



**UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG**

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

**PROJECT PROPOSAL AND REGISTRATION OF STUDY FIELD**

**PARTICULARS OF STUDENT:**

<b>TITLE: (DR/MR/MRS/MS)</b>	<b>FIRST NAME/S</b>	<b>SURNAME</b>	<b>STUDENT NO.</b>
<b>TEL:</b>			
<b>CELL:</b>			
<b>E-MAIL:</b>			
<b>DEPARTMENT:</b>			
<b>CURRENT QUALIFICATION REGISTERED FOR: (Discipline eg. MSc Computer Science)</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Lectured Masters</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Research Masters</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>PhD Thesis</b>	
<b>DATE OF FIRST REGISTRATION (eg. 21 January 2010) FOR CURRENT QUALIFICATION:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Full-time</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Part-time</b>	
<b>PREVIOUS QUALIFICATION: (eg. BSc Hons in Botany)</b>			
<b>INSTITUTION WHERE QUALIFICATION WAS OBTAINED:</b>			
<b>YEAR WHEN QUALIFICATION WAS OBTAINED:</b>			
<b>SUPERVISOR:</b>	Mr/Ms/Mrs/Dr/Prof:		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>			
<b>CO-SUPERVISOR:</b>	Mr/Ms/Mrs/Dr/Prof:		
<b>INSTITUTION: (currently affiliated with)</b>			
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>			

<b>DOES THE RESEARCH INVOLVE RESEARCH ON HUMANS OR ANIMALS?</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>WOULD THE SUPERVISOR (AND STUDENT) CLASSIFY THIS PROJECT AS A 4IR PROJECT AND BE ABLE TO DEFEND SUCH CLASSIFICATION?</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>FOR PHD STUDIES ONLY: WILL THIS THESIS BE SUBMITTED AS A THESIS BY PUBLICATION?</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>I, THE STUDENT UNDERSTAND WHAT PLAGIARISM IS AND HAVE FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH INSTITUTIONAL AND FACULTY INFORMATION AND TRAINING (e.g faculty video) REGARDING PLAGIARISM</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>PROPOSED STUDY FIELD AND/OR PROPOSED TITLE</b>		
<b>AIMS AND OBJECTIVES OF STUDY</b>		
<b>CONTRIBUTION OF STUDY TO THE EXISTING BODY OF KNOWLEDGE</b> (Applicable to PhD students only)		
<b>PROBLEM STATEMENT OR HYPOTHESIS AND RESULTS EXPECTED</b>		
<b>JUSTIFICATION OF STUDY WITH REFERENCE TO RELEVANT AND RECENT LITERATURE</b> (Contextualise the study in terms of the broader field and literature, including preliminary research conducted), ending with the anticipated		

contribution of the proposed study)	
<b>STUDY METHODOLOGY:</b> <b>(TECHNIQUES TO BE USED,</b> <b>ASPECTS TO BE INVESTIGATED,</b> <b>ETC.)</b>	
<b>REFERENCES:</b> (Refer only to cited literature used in this proposal and provide at least three appropriate references to be referenced in full)	

**THE SUPERVISOR(S) CONFIRM/S THAT:**

- The supervisor(s) consider(s) the student competent to undertake the study
- The supervisor(s) and assessor(s) have at least M-degrees (for Master’s students) or D-degrees (for Doctoral students) or their equivalent
- The proposed field of study falls within the department’s or supervisors(s’) field of research
- The proposed field of study is of sufficient academic merit to justify a Master’s/Doctoral degree
- That the proposed study can be undertaken with available equipment and facilities without delays to allow the study to be completed in the specified time
- The study will be undertaken in compliance with all applicable statutory and ethical guidelines
- An adequate budget has been provided for this study

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**SUPERVISOR (Name, surname and signature)**

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**DATE**

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**CO-SUPERVISOR (Name, surname and signature)**

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**DATE**

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**STUDENT**

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**DATE**

I, Mr/Ms/Mrs/Dr/Prof (full name and surname of HOD)\_\_\_\_\_hereby declare that this project proposal has been considered and approved by the department, after a thorough quality assurance process of the technical merits of the research study proposal.

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**HOD or senior colleague**  
(if HOD is the supervisor)

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**DATE**

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**FOR OFFICE USE**

<b>STATUS APPLICATION SUBMITTED:</b>	
<b>RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING: (RPL)</b>	

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**FACULTY OFFICER**

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**DATE**