Format for Undergraduate Research Proposal

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Cover Sheet [Limit to 1 page]

CE 4000 (Project/Thesis) [12 point font]
Undergraduate Research Proposal on [12 point font Bold]

Proposed Study Title [16 point font Bold]



Name of the Student

Department of Civil Engineering,
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Qadirabad, Natore-6431, Bangladesh

Month, Year

Table of Contents [Limit to 1 page]

Table of Contents to be **automatically** created using the relevant commands in **MS Word** is suggested.

1. Details of the Undergraduate Research Project

Proposed Study Title (no more than a maximum of 16 words, preferably shorter but sufficiently informative)

Name of the Student

- Institutional Affiliation: Undergraduate Student (ID:),
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Name of Supervisor (s)

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2. Introduction

[Maximum of **four, 1.5-spaced A4 pages:** 12 point font with 2.5 cm margin on each side] Should cover the following content in general

- <u>Background Information</u>: Please include a short review of relevant literature. Try to identify at **least 3-5** related peer-reviewed journal articles from within the scope of your study. Citations are essential, and they should be provided methodically.
- <u>Research Problem</u>: Provide a clear and simple description of the problem identified for the research.
- *Rationale*: Justification of the study by emphasizing the importance of solving the research problem.
- <u>Policy Context and applications</u>: If relevant, describe how your research would inform specific management and/or policy reforms and its application values.

3. Objectives:

Identify a single Primary/Overall Objective and not more than four Specific Research Objectives.

4. Proposed Research Methods

[Maximum of **four**, **1.5-spaced A4 pages:** 12 point font with 2.5 cm margin on each side] Should cover the following content in general

- Description of the study area [if any]
- Hypothesis/es to be tested [if any] or research questions to be answered [as relevant to your study]
 - O Please note that hypotheses are generally but not essentially parts of a quantitative study, while research questions are essentially but not exclusively parts of a qualitative study, while your research could also be a mixed mode research where some specific objectives are achieved quantitatively, while the others through qualitative methods.
- Methods for data collection [0.5 1 pages]
- Methods for analyses of data [0.5 1 pages].
 - Please note that the above two sections should link to each of your specific objectives and then to the hypotheses/research questions thereof.
- Expected results and applications [if any]

o Preferably under each specific objective

5. Tentative Budget/Costing

Sl No.	Item	Quantity/	Unit Price	Total Price
		Unit	(Tk.)	(Tk.)
1.	Materials:			
	i.			
2.	Equipment:			
3.	Labor and Others:			
4.	Research Publication: (Referred Journal/International Conference)			
5.	Thesis/Project Printing and Binding:			
6.	Miscellaneous: (Maximum Amount: Tk. 500)			
Grand Total (Tk.):				
In Words:				

6. Time Line

[the use of Gantt Chart is suggested]

7. Status of permits and clearance

e.g. Permits from the relevant authority, ethical clearance from relevant authorities, etc. [only when applicable]

8. References

[Use APA style for referencing]

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