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**Indian Council of Social Science Research, North-Western Regional Centre,
Panjab University, Chandigarh -160014 – INDIA**
Short Duration Research Project (for 12 Months) with an award of maximum grant of Rs.1.00 Lakh only.
Format for Research Proposal

S. No.	Description					
1	Name of Project Director					
1-A	Co-Director (if applicable)					
1-B	Department / College / Institution where employed (Provide complete address)					
1-C	Designation					
1-D	Type of Institution where the project would be located(Please specify)					
1 -E	Status of job	Regular <input type="checkbox"/>	Self Financing <input type="checkbox"/>	Contractual <input type="checkbox"/>		
1-F	Contact Number (Mobile) and E-mail.					
1-G	Date of Birth and Age	DoB:	Age:			
1-H	Category to which the Project Director belongs (Enclose relevant certificates.)	Gen <input type="checkbox"/>	SC <input type="checkbox"/>	ST <input type="checkbox"/>	PWD <input type="checkbox"/>	
1-I	Gender	Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Transgender <input type="checkbox"/>		
1-J	Educational Qualification	Name of Degree	Name of the University	Year of Passing	% of Marks	Disciplines
		Masters				
		M.Phil				
		Ph.D				
		Post Doctoral				

2	Title of the Research Proposal	
2-A	Abstract (Maximum 500 words)	
2-B	Introduction of the Proposed Study (Maximum 500 words)	
2-C	Discipline(s) of the proposed research studies	
3	Major Research Works Reviewed: I) International II) National. (Not less than 15 to 20 important works (Maximum 600 words)	
4	Identification of Research Gap (Maximum 350 words)	
5	Objectives of the Proposed Study. (Maximum 100-150 words)	
6	Major Research Questions / Hypotheses (Maximum 300 words)	
7	Proposed Methodology for the Research Work (Maximum 450 words)	
8	Sample size for the Research study (The indicative sample size for each individual study would be 400 to 500)	
9	Innovation/path-breaking aspects of the Proposed Research (150 to 250 words)	
10	Expected Output such as books, policy papers, documents, datasets etc. with proposed timeline (300 words)	
11	Details of data sets to be generated (150-200 words)	
12	Relevance of the proposed study for policy making (Maximum 250 words)	
13	Relevance of the proposed study for society (Maximum 250 words)	
14	Milestones set for each month (200 words):	

(15). Total Grant expected for this study (in Rs.)

(15-A) Budget Estimation:

	Heads of Expenditure	Number	Months	Rate	Amount
1	Field Investigator: Hired Services (Field Investigator (not exceeding 40%))				
2	Field Work: Travel/Logistics/Boarding, etc. (not exceeding 35%)				
3	Study material (not exceeding 10%)				
4	Contingency (not exceeding 10%)				
5	Institutional Overhead Charges (fixed 5%)				
	Total = 100%				

15-B	Justifications:		
	Justification of different heads of budget estimation (write in 90 words)		
	1. Research Staff 2. Field work 3. Study material		

(16-A). Research output of the Project Director**a. Experience**

	Number	Brief Detail (supporting institution)
Projects completed (Maximum 5)		
Ongoing projects, if any (With completion date)		
Fellowships		
Ph.D. Guidance		
M.Phil. Guidance		

(16-B). Papers in Journal/Edited Books/Report published/Citations, etc. (details of the best 10)

S. No.	Title of the Article	Name of the Journal, Place of Publication and frequency	Month, Year and Volume of Publication with Page Nos.	Is the Journal Scopus Indexed / UGC CARE listed? (Yes/No)

(Signature)
Name and Address

Place:

Date:

Annexure/Checklist (in the given order)

- 1) Detailed Research Proposal (in about 500 words as indicated in the guidelines).
- 2) Bried academic CV of the Project Director and Co-Directors with their signatures and consents in writing (Brief CVs, not more than two or three pages each).