

## Postgraduate (Master's) Thesis Proposal Form For proposals submitted in Academic Year 2025/2026

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## **POSTGRADUATE THESIS PROPOSAL FORM AY2025/2026**

Course Name:
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Proposed Title of the Thesis:
Proposed Research Question/s/Hypothesis:
Sub-research question/s:



Abstract: include scope of research and its relevance, supported by in-text citations and a short bibliography, in between 800-1000 words		



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## Description of Research Methods to be applied (please tick the ones that apply): a) Research Strategies: Experiment Archival and Documentary Research Case Study Ethnography Action Research Grounded Theory Narrative Inquiry Project-based Research Other (please specify): b) Research approaches: Deductive Inductive Abductive c) Methodological choice: Qualitative Ouantitative Mixed Methodology d) Methodological Instruments: Questionnaires/Surveys Focus Groups Interviews: structured semi-structured unstructured Observations Discourse Analysis Other (please specify): e) Sampling Details - Projected Participants of the Study with relative projected number of participants for each category. These need to be in line with the research questions.



Keywords (3 to 6 key terms, separated by a comma):	

First choice proposed supervisor's details: Second choice proposed supervisor's details:

Name and surname: Name and surname:

E-mail address: E-mail address:

Mobile number (if from outside ITS): Mobile number (if from outside ITS):

The ARPB will do its utmost to allocate the proposed supervisors. However, other suitable tutors may be allocated due to logistical and academic issues.

**Date** 

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