**THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG**

**DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY**

**CAPSTONE EXPERIENCE COURSES RESEARCH PROPOSAL, 2025-2026**

**[Deadline: 23:59 PM 13/11/2025]**

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| **Name of student:**  |  | **UID:** |  |
| **Supervisor:** |  | **Course:** |  |
| **Title/topic:** |  |
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1. **Project Summary**

Please provide a brief summarization of your proposed study.

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1. **Literature Review**

Please provide a literature review on your study.

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1. **Research questions**

Please state proposed research questions that your study will seek to answer (these can be formatted as bullet points).

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1. **Research methods**

Please explain the methods of data collection and analysis you intend to use for your study (including any hypotheses), and justify these in light of your research questions. Use related literature to justify your research methods.

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1. **Expected outcomes/results**

Please illustrate some of your expected results or research findings.

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1. **Potential implications**

Please suggest some potential implications and impacts of your research findings.

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1. **Expected work schedule**

Please show your expected schedule, being as specific as possible (please adjust table parameters as necessary).

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| **Date** | **Work / Tasks** |
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1. **Budget (optional)**

If your project involves expenses of any kind (travel, transcription, translation, equipment purchase, participant compensation, data acquisition/processing expenses, etc.), you are required to complete this section. If your project does not involve any expenses whatsoever, you may skip this section and proceed to item 7 (below) (please adjust table parameters as necessary).

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| **Item** | **Cost** | **Justification** | **Funding source (e.g., research grant, funds provided by advisor, personal funds, etc.)** |
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1. **References**

Please list your references in a standard citation style, such as APA, MLA, Chicago MOS, or Harvard-Sage. **DO NOT** simply post hyperlinks; you must use a standard citation style for all entries, such as those listed above.

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