Research Proposal

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| Name |  |
| Prospective Supervisor |  |
| Research Topic after Enrollment |  |

This research proposal will be used to assess the suitability of your study and research plans for the 1-year master’s course. Questions during the interview will focus primarily on this research proposal, so please prepare it according to the following guidelines.

**Research Proposal Guidelines**

* Write in either Japanese or English.
* Use a word processor like Microsoft Word and write in size 11 Mincho or Gothic font.
* For proposals written in Japanese, one A4 page should contain approximately 1600 characters, written horizontally with 40 characters per line and 40 lines per page.

1. **Plan and Overview for Completing the Master’s Thesis in One Year**

* Provide a clear research plan and overview.
* There is no specific word limit, In principle, use about one sheet of A4 paper. However, if you use charts, illustrations, etc., the size may exceed one sheet.

1. **Summary of Research Content**

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1. **Characteristics, Originality, and Logic of the Research Objectives:**
   * Describe the unique and original aspects of your research and the background that led to its planning.
2. **Validity of Research Methods:**
   * Indicate the suitability and validity of the research methods you use to achieve your objectives.
3. **Novelty of Findings:**
   * Highlight any new findings that differ from existing research.
4. **Significance in the Field:**
   * Describe the importance of your research within the field of sports health science.
5. **Research Environment**
   * Please fill in the research facilities, equipment, and research materials necessary for conducting research.

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