MANUAL FOR THE PREPARATION OF RESEARCH PROPOSAL

1. GENERAL: In general, the <u>RESEARCH PROPOSAL</u> shall report, a brief explanation of original research work of the research scholar leading to the discovery of new facts or techniques or correlation of facts already known (analytical, experimental, hardware oriented etc).

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Literature Review

Identification of Research Gaps

Indentifying the area of research and formulation of research problem

Proposed methodology or solution model

Schedule

Key References

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