

FERBER DISSERTATION PROPOSAL GUIDANCE

- Project Title
- Abstract 200 words max
- 5-7 keywords
- Proposal 10-15 pages (excluding bibliography)

This guide is designed to provide you with elements your proposal should include. It does not however have to conform to this format.

INTRODUCTION TO PROJECT

Introduce your topic.

Provide necessary context to define and explain your topic.

You may also include your research questions here.

METHOD

What materials will you gather and form the basis of your conclusions?

How will you gather them?

Why are these materials the best suited to answer your research question?

SELECT RELEVANT LITERATURE REVIEW

What fields are you engaging?

How does your project relate and contribute to GWS?

Articulate contributions and interventions of your work.

CHAPTER SUMMARIES

Provide brief summaries of the chapters of your dissertation.

PLAN OF COMPLETION BY SEMESTER

Lay out what you will do to advance your project by semester.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Include archives and interviews you will or have consulted.