

## **SAMPLE CONTAINING METHODOLOGY TO BE USED IN PROPOSAL WRITING**

1. **Cover sheet** (Sample enclosed)
2. **Introduction:** It should include background information about the proposal along with its significance, scope and importance.
3. **Objectives**
4. **Questions**
5. **Hypothesis**
6. **Methodology:** It should explain the approach of researcher, i.e. the intention to follow scientific, behavioral, inductive, deductive, empirical or normative, quantitative or qualitative approaches. This section should also provide information about the phases of the research, i.e. in **Phase-I**, one will do the literature survey, in the **Phase-II**, will treat data and sources, in **Phase-III**, will do the field work and in **Phase-IV**, will write the first draft of research project.
7. **Time framework:** It means mentioning the duration of the theme of the research.
8. **Literature survey:** It should include the methodology to seek various sources of for research from different libraries and by conducting fieldwork etc.
9. **Proposal results/implications**

### **It may be noted that;**

- the proposal should also include outline of the research in which researcher should mention the title and sub-title of the chapters
- the proposal should also include detailed bibliography including books, periodicals and documents.
- In order to follow the format of bibliography, references, notes and other requirements to write a research paper, kindly consult, Kate L. Turabian, *A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Thesis, and Dissertations* (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1996), pp. 308.