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**M.A. Thesis/Project PROSPECTUS (PROPOSAL)**

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**GUIDELINES for the PROSPECTUS (PROPOSAL)**

*The MA in Anthropology Prospectus (proposal) is about 5-10 pages long and must incorporate the following information:*

1. *An abstract that briefly summarizes the project [100-200 words]*
2. *Statement of the objective(s): Statement of the problem, hypothesis to be tested, research questions, or proposed ethnographic study*
3. *Review of the relevant literature*
4. *Theoretical framework for the proposed study*
5. *Methodology or procedures for gathering information and completing the objectives of the study*
6. *Expected completion date [e.g., Expected completion date: May 2017]*
7. *Reference list for any sources included in the prospectus; other reference materials that may potentially be used can also be included*
8. *Optional: Your thesis/project adviser may require other items, such as a budget or an IRB approval, or any other information that is relevant to your particular study proposal*