	Rubric: ESCI 220 Due 2023–12–04			oposal F	ull subm	ission
Front matter: title, author, date, word counts for Abstract & main text.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Abstract is a concise, sharp & informative distillation of your entire paper, 250 words or less		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Introduction meets all standards detailed in its respective rubric.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
This new version of the Intro represents a significant revision.		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
Methods						
The study area is described in sufficient detail to understand all possible considerations of study design & results interpretation.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Field methods make sense based upon the research question and the objectives stated in your Intro.		Critical	Many	Focus on	Strong /	Superb
Analytical approach is sound & appropriate given your objectives and the limitations of your data		issues	issues Many	improving Focus on	good Strong /	Superb
Field methods are fully reproducible given the level of		issues	issues	improving	good	Superb
detail and quality of explanation. Data analysis are fully		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Сирств
reproducible. Schematic/diagram of your		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
sampling plan is beautiful and helpful.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Analytical approach is properly thorough & focused No unnecessary reinventing of		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
wheels. Established methods in your field have properly adapted & cited.		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
Methods section contains Methods only no material that belongs in other sections		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
Anticipated results						
A concise narrative , without interpretation or commentary on their importance or consequences.		Critical	• Many	Focus on	Strong /	Superb
Complete based on the analyses you described in your Methods section.		issues	issues	improving	good	No issue
Appropriate, given the limitations of the data and the methods you		Critical issues		Several issues		TVO ISSUE
employed. Tables & figures are		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
beautiful, well-presented & referenced correctly (in terms of both format & order) within the text.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Captions meet standards outlined in class.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Remaining sections Study Limitations demonstrate						
that you are thinking proactively about potential pitfalls and constraints on how you interpret your results.		Critical	Many	Focus on	Strong /	Superb
Broader Impacts are discussed knowledgeably and convincingly, amounting to a convincing concluding argument that this is multi-dimensional, high-impact		issues Critical	issues Many	improving Focus on	good Strong /	Superb
Project timeline is detailed, feasible, well–conceived, and		issues	issues	improving	good	Superb
well-visualized as a Gantt Chart. Project budget is detailed, feasible, well-conceived, and		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Сирств
well-visualized. Literature Cited is properly		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
formatted and complete, without extraneous unused references. At least 20 sources are used.		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
Style						
Overall, writing is succinct, exact, & clear.		Critical	Many	Focus on	Strong /	Superb
Sentence-to-sentence flow is intuitive, word-efficient, and easy to follow.		issues Critical	issues Many	improving Focus on	good Strong /	Superb
First–person is not over–used; when used, it does not draw attention to the author.		issues	issues	improving	good	No issue
There are no typos or errors; has clearly been proofread & revised		Critical issues		Several issues		•
carefully. Most sentences end on their		Critical issues		Several		No išsue
punchline/take-away, facilitating a clear & purpose-oriented voice		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
All formatting instructions followed		Critical issues		Several issues		No issue
Overall the document is highly polished & professionally presented		Critical issues	Many issues	Focus on improving	Strong / good	Superb
	40	40 60 80 Percentage				