Big Data - 6CS030

Week 6 - Proposal Presentation

For week 6 of the Big Data module, there will be no lecture class. Instead, during tutorial and workshop you are expected to present your coursework proposal using slides within 7 - 10 minutes. Also there will be a QA session of around 3-5 minutes after the presentation.

IMPORTANT REMINDER

- If working in pairs, only one member should deliver the presentation. However, both members must actively participate during the Q&A session.
- Both members should also clearly define and specify the division of workload for the final coursework after the presentation.

Your proposal slides **should cover** the following key aspects:

1. **Domain and Research Title** - Clearly define your **research area** and the **exact title** of your study.

Example:

- **Domain/Area**: Natural Language Processing.
- Research Title: Enhancing Sentiment Analysis in Social Media using Hybrid Deep Learning Models.
- 2. **Problem Statement -** Explain the **problem** you aim to **address** with your research.

Example:

Social media platforms generate vast amounts of text data daily, making sentiment Analysis as a crucial task for businesses and researchers. Traditional machine learning models struggle with understanding contextual meaning, sarcasm, and slang in user-generated content. This study aims to improve sentiment classification accuracy by integrating transformer-based deep learning models with conventional sentiment analysis techniques.

3. **Research Question -** Your research question should be the **central query** your research seeks to **answer**. It should serve as the **foundation of your research** by defining what you want to explore, analyze, or solve.

Example:

How does the use of deep learning improve sentiment analysis accuracy in social media data?

4. **Base paper & comparison -** Find and mention at least *one base paper* similar to the paper you are planning to write. Also, explain how your research will **differ from** or **build upon** it.

Also mention:

- a. The **title** and **authors** of the base paper.
- b. The **dataset** used in the paper and its **source**.
- **c.** A **comparison** between the base paper and your proposed research (e.g improvements, differences in approach (tools and methodology).

Note:

- Base Paper First → Then Dataset :
 - If you find a strong base paper first, you can look for a dataset that aligns with it.
 - This ensures your research builds upon existing work effectively.
- Dataset First → Then Base Paper
 - If you already have a dataset, you can search for papers that have used the same or similar dataset.
 - This helps in comparing methodologies and improving upon past research.

Either approach is valid.

- 5. **Dataset & Source** Provide details (size, shape, features) of the dataset you have chosen for your research along with the **dataset link**. You may use the **same dataset** as the base paper (if available) or a **similar dataset** that aligns with it. Clearly mention its source and relevant details.
- 6. Aim & Objectives Clearly define the aim of your research and break it down into specific objectives.

Example:

Aim:

To develop a deep learning model that enhances sentiment analysis accuracy in social media data by integrating transformer-based architectures.

Objectives:

- 1. To collect and preprocess social media data.
- 2. To design and implement an LSTM-based deep learning model.
- 3. To enhance model performance.
- 4. To evaluate the model's performance.
- 5. To compare the proposed model.
- 6. To analyze the impact of model architecture and preprocessing steps.
- 7. To provide insights and recommendations for future improvements.