**Project Proposal Marking Guideline**

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| **Description** | **Final Marks** |
| Introduction  [ ***Motivation + Summarize the problem (1 or 2 sentences) +***  ***Summarize the solution* (1 or 2 sentences)**  **Describe format of rest of proposal (sections, etc.)**  **Motivation (1 to 3 paragraphs)**  *What is the history of the problem? Why is this problem*  *Interesting? When and why does the problem occur?*  *Is the problem already solved? What is done now? Are*  *there any similar systems or solutions to the one you propose?*  *If so, reference and very briefly explain them. Are there are*  *possible improvements to current solutions?]* | …../20 |
| **Project Details**  Project Summary (1 paragraph)  Architecture and Environment (2-3 paragraphs + figures)  Describe the project environment (software, hardware, languages, organisations,  etc.) Diagrams and figures are useful here if appropriate. What software, hardware,  or tools will you use?  Implementation Issues and Challenges (2-3 paragraphs)  What will be the most difficult issues and challenges in the implementation?  How are you using or extending current tools/systems for your problem?  What makes your project unique?  What in general will this project achieve? (Do not focus on datelines here) | ……./20 |
| **Timeline**  Provide an estimated timeline of project deliverables and important dates. | ……../20 |
| **Conclusion** Summarize the project including the problem, motivation, and proposed solution, and re-state important (planned) contributions. | ……./20 |
| **References**  List references used to compile proposal and references that will be used for project | ……../20 |
| **Total** | ………/100 |