



**Cartography M.Sc.**

# Extended Research Proposal Pre-Assessment Form

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*Form to be filled by each member of the Thesis Assessment Board (TAB) and sent to TAB chair, **PRIOR** to the defence by the student concerned.*

Name student : .....

Name TAB Member : .....

Role TAB member : first supervisor / other supervisor / reviewer

University where thesis is written: TUM / TUW / TUD / UT

! Indicate per category an overall assessment ( - +- or +), use assessment criteria and provide comments.

<b>Scientific scope and depth</b>			
Assessment criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- The research problem is relevant</li><li>- The research problem is clearly formulated</li><li>- The research problem is placed in the scientific field</li><li>- The MSc Research Proposal contains a critical discussion of contemporary literature in the scientific field concerned</li><li>- The MSc Research Proposal has sufficient scope and depth</li><li>- Anticipated results are described in the MSc Research Proposal</li><li>- The student shows understanding and mastering of the subject</li><li>- The research is original and/or innovative</li></ul>			
<b>Assessment of this category</b>	-	+-	+
<b>Comments:</b>          			
<b>Scientific method</b>			
Assessment criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- The research question is well conceptualized and made operational</li><li>- The research methodology is well structured</li><li>- The data collection and data analysis methods are appropriate</li><li>- Data availability does not constrain the research</li></ul>			
<b>Assessment of this category</b>	-	+-	+
<b>Comments:</b>          			

<b>Reporting</b>			
Assessment criteria:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal is well and clearly written</li> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal contains good English spelling and grammar</li> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal is well structured</li> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal is logically written</li> <li>- References and referencing are properly used</li> </ul>			
<b>Assessment of this category</b>	-	+ -	+
<b>Comments:</b>			

<b>Process - only for supervisor(s)</b>			
Assessment criteria:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal reflects the students' own research ideas</li> <li>- The MSc Research Proposal was developed in an independent and structured way</li> <li>- The student takes initiative</li> <li>- There is a good communication between the student and the supervisors</li> </ul>			
<b>Assessment of this category</b>	-	+ -	+
<b>Comments:</b>			

**If you cannot be present at the defense session:**

Provide possible questions to be asked on your behalf to the student by the chair: