Instructions for writing the PhD proposal

The length of the proposal should be up to 15 pages, including text and figures, and not including the Abstract page and bibliography.

The research proposal should be written in English.

The proposal will have a front page with the title of the Thesis, the name of the student, and of the supervisor(s) and the signature(s) of the supervisor(s) that agree that the proposal is submitted.

The proposal should include the following topics:

1. Abstract (half to one page), in Hebrew and English
2. Research topic and Importance (approx. half a page)
3. Scientific background
4. Working hypothesis
5. Research Objectives
6. Experimental plan (methodologies to be used)
7. Preliminary results
8. A table with the project time-schedule (tasks and dates)
9. Bibliography

Once your supervisor(s) have approved (and signed) your research proposal, you need to submit the electronic copy by email to Mrs. Anat Overlander, who will send it to the examiners. The subject of the mail will be ‘PhD Research proposal [your name]’. In the email specify the name(s) of your supervisor(s).
Appendix 1. Example of external cover page, Hebrew

.................................................................

.................................................................

מאת: שם פיני, שם מועסק המחבר

בניהית: תואר אקדמי, שם פיני, שם מועסק של המחברriott

תואר אקדמי, שם פיני, שם מועסק של המנחה המשני

חתימת המחנה __________________________

הצגת מחקרי לודוקטורט

אוניברסיטת חיפה

.................................................................

.................................................................

.................................................................

הודשה לועזי, שם לועזי

Department of Marine Biology, The Leon H. Charney School of Marine Science
Multi-Purpose Building, Room 283, University of Haifa
199 Aba Khoushy Ave, Mount Carmel, Haifa 3498838, Israel
Phone: +972-4-8288794  Fax: +972-4-8288267  Email: marbio@univ.haifa.ac.il
Appendix 3. Example of external cover of Thesis, English

Title of PhD research proposal
Name of Writer

Supervisor name: Title, First name, last name

Signature ___________________

University of Haifa

Faculty of...........

Department of..............

Month, Year