**The Program for Excellence in Earth-Space Science (IGPEES)**

**Research Proposal for Final Examination**

Name：　　　　　　　　　　（Student ID number　　　　　　　）

Affiliation：Department of , Graduate School of

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| **1. Research Status up to date** (within 1 page)   1. Describe the background to past researches, issues, solution measures, purposes of the researches, methods of the researches, characteristics, and unique points, by citing important documents in the relevant field. 2. Organize the applicant’s research progress so far and obtained results and describe them in association with above. |

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| **2. Research and Activity Plan Proposal** (within 1 page)  Provide your research plan after you finish your doctorial course with the interdisciplinarity which you have fostered through IGPEES in mind.  Even if you do not choose an academic career after graduation make a plan of your future activities. The theme must be different from that of your PhD project.  (1) Research Goals and Area of Study   1. Describe your research goals, methods, and area of study. 2. Explain the defining characteristics of your research, what makes it original, and the impact it will have when it is completed. 3. Give details of your plans, including what you intend to reveal and to what extent.   (2) Activity Goals and Contents  a. Summarize your career path after graduation.  b. Describe your challenge to the real world, and its purpose.  c. Describe how you can apply your research at the university in global issues. |

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| (3) Annual Plan  If you plan to work as a researcher, describe your annual plan for consecutive 3 years within one page. (The length of description for each year may be changed as long as the whole description is within the given space.)  If you choose other career path than above, describe your ambition for the next 10 years, and how do you want to make impact on society. |

(First year)

(Second year)

(Third year onward)

【In case you choose other career path】

* You do not need to describe annual plan.

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| **3. Research Background**  For the following three categories (1) – (3), list only those works in which you played a central role. List each item with a serial number, and state "Not applicable" for categories in which you do not have anything to list. Underline the applicant’s name.Research outcome at master’s and/or undergraduate program(s) can also be included. In such case(s), please specify the program (doctoral, master’s or undergraduate). You may exceed the page limit only for this section.  (1) Presentations given at conferences and symposia, both domestic and international (Divide your list into oral and poster presentations, as well as reviewed and non-reviewed, and mark them accordingly.)  List only those presentations that were given by the applicant. For each item, provide the names of all authors (including the applicant, in the same order as at the time of presentation; you may omit part of the list of names by substituting them with "and XX others" if there are many co-authors), title of the presentation, name of the conference, identification number of the paper, location, and month and year of your presentation. (Presentations planned for the future should be excluded, except in cases where your submission has already been accepted. In such case, you must attach a document verifying the acceptance of your paper.)  (2) Papers published in academic journals and books (List only those works that have already been printed or accepted for publication. Divide your list into reviewed and non-reviewed publications.)  For each item, you must provide the names of all authors (including the applicant, in the same order as in the paper; you may omit part of the list of names by substituting them with "and XX others" if there are many co-authors), title of the paper, name of the journal, publisher, volume, issue, and page numbers, and year of publication, in this order. For papers already accepted but not yet published, you must attach documents verifying their acceptance.  (3) Other (e.g., awards, social contributions) |