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| Full Name |  |
| Student ID |  |
| ORCID ID |  |
| School・Department |  |
| Admission Time (MM/YYYY)（5-year course・3-year course） |  |
| Chief Supervisor |  |
| E-mail Address |  |
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| Title of the Research |  |

**1．【Research Plan】**※ Describe the status specifically; chart/diagram may be included. Prepare this section within 4 pages.

**(1) Evaluation of Research**

Describe the background to past researches, issues, solution measures, characteristics, and unique points, by citing important documents in the relevant field.

**(2) Purpose and contents of research**

・ State the purpose, method, and contents of the research.

・ Specifically describe what type of plan it is, and what will be clarified and to what extent will it be pursued.

・ Describe about the following items, (1) If there is any prior researches, indicate characteristics, viewpoint, and unique points of the research in comparison

 with them. (2) Expected impact and future prospects when the research is completed.

・ Within research activities of your research unit/group, please clarify parts that you will be responsible for.

・ State what program you will choose among "SOKENDAI Student Dispatch Program", "SOKENDAI Dual Degree Program", or "Internal Joint Advising Program", and describe your plan in detail. (Those who have been enrolled in a 5-year doctoral course (excluding transfer students) for more than 48

months, or who have transferred to the third year of the 5-year doctoral course and have been enrolled for more than 24 months are not required to

participate in the above programs.)

**2．【Ability of research accomplishments】** Prepare this section within 2 pages.

Describe your ability that carries out your research based on your previous research activities by citing main references appropriately that support feasibility of your research project. Do not just provide an exhaustive list. Also please provide sufficient information to identify the relevant document.

・Thesis published in academic journals and books (Including a bulletin and collection of papers. Mention it is peer reviewed or not. For peer-reviewed cases, provide information that has been decided to be included in a journal.) Authors, titles, names of journals, publishing offices, volumes, pp. starting page-ending page, and years of publications shall be stated in this order.

・Presentation at international or domestic conferences (State whether it was an oral presentation or poster, and whether it was peer reviewed or not.) Authors, titles, the names of academic conferences, numbers of papers, locations, month and year shall be stated.

・For students who have been enrolled in a 5-year doctoral course (excluding transfer students) for more than 48 months, or who have transferred to the third year of the 5-year doctoral course and have been enrolled for more than 24 months, but have not participated in any of the above programs, please describe your experience in attending international conferences, participating in joint research, etc.

**3．【Motivation for becoming a researcher, intended image of a researcher in the future and selling points】**

SOKENDAI “Special Researcher (Challenging Research type)”aims at fostering and securing creative researchers who will assume important roles in future scientific research activities in Japan. In view of this aim, please describe your motivation for becoming a researcher, intended image of a researcher in the future and your selling points.