

Tishk International University The Faculty of Administrative Sciences and Economics (FASE) Course: Academic Research and Writing

Individual Assignment: Crafting a Research Paper

Apply the concepts learned in the group assignment to produce a concise research paper on a topic of your choice.

Instructions for the author:

- 1. Topic Selection:
 - Choose a research topic that interests you.
 - Ensure that the topic has enough depth to be explored in a 5-page paper.

2. Title:

• Craft a concise and informative title that captures the essence of your research.

3. Abstract:

• Write a brief summary (approximately 150-250 words) that provides an overview of your research, including the problem, methodology, and key findings.

4. Introduction:

- Introduce the topic, providing necessary background information.
- Clearly state the objective of your research, explaining the significance and relevance of the topic.

5. Problem Statement:

- Identify and articulate a specific problem or challenge related to your topic.
- Discuss the implications of this problem and its relevance to the field.

6. Methodology:

- Detail the research methods you've chosen to address the problem.
- Discuss your data collection methods (e.g., surveys, interviews) and data analysis techniques (e.g., qualitative, quantitative).

7. Literature Review:

• Include a brief literature review, summarizing key findings from primary and secondary <u>sources</u> related to your topic (at least 5 Academic journal or conference papers).

8. Citation and References:

- Ensure that all sources you've referenced in your paper are cited Using APA 7th
- Include a reference list at the end of your paper.

9. Conclusion:

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• Summarize your research findings and their implications.

Formatting Guidelines:

- Your paper should be approximately 5 pages in length, excluding the reference list.
- Use a consistent font (Times New Roman, 12-point) and double-space your paper.
- Include page numbers and use headings/subheadings to organize your content.

Submission Guidelines:

- Ensure your paper is free of grammatical and typographical errors.
- Avoid Plagiarism
- Submit your paper in a Word file format online and printed copy.
- Attach with the assignment any supplementary materials or data sets used in your research.

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