

## **Dissertation Proposal**

### **AIM:**

At the end of this module the student should, with the guidance of a supervisor be able to write a dissertation proposal. This will help prepare the student for the overall completion of the dissertation for the degree of Master of Arts in Leadership and Management

### **OBJECTIVES:**

By the end of this module the learner should be able to:

1. To build an existing knowledge of research methods learned in previous studies.
2. Develop a research model based on your problem statement and research questions.
3. Develop skills necessary to perform a review of literature in your research area.
4. Apply the principles of qualitative research method to social situations.
5. Exhibit an understanding of the quantitative method in data analysis.
6. Employ several types of research design in planning scholarly research.
7. Present the dissertation proposal and orally defend their choice of topic to the faculty.
8. Learn how to focus on a topic that is narrow enough to accomplish in the required time but deep enough to achieve the highest standard of higher education for a Master's dissertation.
9. Develop a formal research proposal as a preliminary model for an MA dissertation proposal.