**RESEARCH CAPSULE SUMMARY**

Institutional Research Discipline based Multidisciplinary/Collaborative Research

**Title of the Study:**

**Author/s:**

**Department/ Work Unit/s:**

**Date submitted:**

**College Research Agenda:**

**Institutional Research Agenda:**

**l. Introduction**

* This Section contains a brief summary of the background information why this problem is important. The introduction includes a) what is already known on the variables understudy (state-of-the-art), b) what question this study will addressed (gaps identified), c) what this study will add to knowledge (contribution to the body of knowledge), d) how this relevant to the field of discipline/practice (utility value of the study. This information is necessary in order to understand the rationale for the study.

**II. Objectives of the Research**

* Enumerate the goals that the paper would attempt to achieve. If possible, Delineate the general from the specific objectives. Research objective should: Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant and Time- bound. It Should state what the study intends to describe, find out, discover or Evaluate. Specific objectives should be in declarative form.

**III. Literature Review**

* This section should discuss literatures relevant and specific to the topic of the research proposal. It should be complete enough so the reader can be convinced that the research proposal being presented is built upon sound information base, addresses current country priorities and will contribute something new to the discipline.

**III. Method/s**

* **Research design –** this section indicates how the study objectives will be achieved. It includes a description of the type of study design for the intended research.
* **Respondents of the study –** this is required for studies as to who were the participants, how they will be selected. Demographics and other characteristics.
* **Data gathering Instrument –** this refers to the instrument to be used in answering research objectives.
* **Data gathering procedure –** this is the systematic discussion on how the instrument is validated internally/externally, how to distribute and retrieved the data subject to analysis.
* **Data analysis –** this section requires mentioning the statistical tests to be used in interpreting data
* **Ethical Consideration** – this pertains to ethical principles observed by the researcher such as informed consent, voluntary participation, anonymity of respondents, confidentiality of data, and utilization of data per academic purposes only.

**IV. Ethical/Biosafety Clearance**

* Ethical clearance from the LPU-B Research Ethics Review Committee (RERC) is required for researches involving the use of human subjects.

**V. Expected Output/End Users/Target Beneficiaries**

* This refers to the end results (e.g. production technology or knowledge)

Expected upon completion of the research. The output (s) needs to be identified to highlight impact/importance of the research. The probable end-users or beneficiaries of the research output and the number and locality of beneficiaries, if applicable

**Vl. Intended Research Utilization**

* This section should indicate the strategies to be used in disseminating and ensuring utilization of the expected research results. For product- based researches, proposal should include the prospective technology user, as well as, plans for technology transfer

**Vll. References (APA Style)**

* An alphabetical, numerical list referencing or of source of relevant information or literature as used in referred journals or other international journals, should be followed.There should be a minimum of thirty (30) references, majority of which came from published journals in the completed paper and at least 15 references for the capsule summary.