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I, *[student full name]*, declare that in the course of conducting my research for the thesis titled "*[thesis title]*", I have utilised AI tools, including but not limited to **Connected Papers**, **Otter.ai** and **ChatGPT**, in the following aspects of my study:

1. *[student to present a list of how they used it, some examples below of how my students have listed their usage. For example: 1. Formulate or refine research questions. 2. Create or refine research objectives]*
2. **Connected Papers** *[model used]* was used to provide an initial sense of the existing scholarship and the connections between ideas in the literature, guiding the initial reading for the literature review
3. **Otter.ai** *[or relevant AI used]* was used to transcribe audio-recorded interviews into text.
4. *[...]*
5. **ChatGPT** *[or whichever was used]* was used during editing and interrogating the thesis, asking the search engine questions like:
 - *How can I improve [my written abstract or conclusion]?*
 - *List abbreviations within the following [paragraph].*
 - *How can I shorten this [paragraph I wrote]?*
 - *What are the key findings from [my written discussion]?*

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