

Research project: (Tentative Title)

- Write the high-level storyline/motivation of your project below (in 1-3 bullets per item). This can also be used for the project proposal.

Setting:

- (Describe the *high-level* setting, and why it is relevant. e.g.: we require prediction models that show good compositional generalization over object interactions).

Challenge:

- (Describe which challenge appears in the above setting.)

State-of-the-art:

- (Describe current approaches to this challenge (i.e., related work))

Open problem:

- (Describe the remaining limitations/problems in the above state-of-the-art)

Solution:

- (Describe the solution(s) you propose/want to investigate)

Experiment design:

- (Algorithms to test – including baselines)
- (Tasks to test on)
- (Outcomes/performance measures)
- (Hardware & software requirements/dependencies)

Timeline

- Outline your high-level thesis planning. Make sure you start writing early, by adding some written deliverable every month. This way, your thesis naturally grows over time.

Start date: (e.g. Feb 1)
Projected first draft: (e.g. June 1)
Projected feedback supervisor: (e.g. June 7)
Projected final version: (e.g. July 1)
Projected thesis defense date: (e.g. July 7)

Month	Plan	Deliverables
Feb	Read literature, write research proposal	Project proposal, Related Work section
March		
April		
May		
June		
July		Final thesis + codebase (on Github)

Meeting notes

- Before every meeting, summarize your progress, the open challenges, and the possible next steps below (in 1-3 bullets per item).
 - Send these to your supervisor before the meeting. After the meeting, update your notes and log them below.
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Meeting (month, day)

- Progress:
 - (factual progress + your interpretations/conclusions from them)
 - (...)
- Challenges:
 - (remaining open problems)
 - (...)
- Next steps:
 - (possible directions to try next)
 - (...)