The research proposal (in PDF) should be submitted in the following format:

* Title
* Principal investigator [Name, Agency and qualification]
* Collaborator [Name and Agency]
* Funding source [Mention secured or not secured]
  + Secured [Name of the funding agency]
  + Not secured [Mention where applying for grant]
* Rationale [Please explain why you decided to undertake this work] – Limit to 1000 words
* Study site [Please provide brief description of your study sites, including habitat and conservation importance and why it was chosen] – Limit to 300 words
* Work plan [Describe the key activities and when it would be undertaken] – tabular format
* Methods [Describe the research methods in detail. Also explain why it was chosen] – Limit to 1000 words
* Ethical issues (If any) [In case of handling of wildlife /plant specimens are involved]
  + Yes
    - Animals
      * Coloring /GPS tagging/ Tissue samples/Trapping
      * Specimen collection
    - Plants
      * Specimen collection
    - Interviews
  + No
* Expected output of the study [Limit to 300 words]