

**RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE:
FACULTY OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA**

Research ethics approval is mandatory for all human subject research, including questionnaires, interviews, etc.

Direct applications for research ethics approval to:

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The Chairperson: Research Ethics Committee, Faculty of Law

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APPLICATIONS SHOULD ALSO BE SUBMITTED IN *ELECTRONIC FORMAT* TO (annelize.nienaber@up.ac.za):

Outline of documents to be submitted:

- 1) Covering letter;
- 2) Completed document entitled: **LETTER OF INTENT AND SUBMISSION OF RESEARCH PROTOCOL**+(remember to ensure that necessary persons have signed this document, such as the supervisor or lecturer);
- 3) Research protocol (literature study, methodology, the questionnaire / questions to be asked during interview, purpose of human subject research, etc);
- 4) Informed consent documentation;
- 5) If research is conducted in a prison, school, university or other institution, the CEO of that institution has to give official approval of the research taking place in that institution. No application for ethics approval will be considered without proof of such approval; and
- 6) If confidential records or documents are to be accessed, proof of an approved application in terms of Act 2 of 2000 (PROATIA).