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Body of the Thesis

Chapter I Introduction

- Motivation/need and overview
- Objectives
- Research methodology
- Chapter scheme

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• Literature survey

Chapter 3

• (Same as above, fill details)

Chapter N

Conclusions and suggestions for further work

Concluding Part

• References Bibliography (if any) Appendix or Appendices Index

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Introduction

- Overview
- Definitions
- Research motivation
- > Research question
- Overview of research model
- Overview of research approach
- Contribution of research
- Outline of thesis chapters

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- Chapter overview
- Literature survey
- Chronological order of research done and researcher(s) and contribution (tabular form) Chapter summary

Chapter 3 (Based on research problem, for instance)

- Chapter overview
- Introduction to research problem (e.g. Information system management)
- ➤ Information system elements (for instance)
- > Evolution of management information system (for instance)
- Implications of research problem
- Influence of research problem on system's performance
- Chapter summary

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- Chapter overview
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- Statistical test to test the research problem's competency(on the basis of attributes/factors selected (for instance)
 - > Data collection
 - > Sample generalizability
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 - > Analysis of research model's fitness
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- ➤ Measure purification
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- Empirical validation of constructs
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 - Unidimensionality analysis (for instance)
 - Reliability analysis (for instance)
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- Chapter overview
- Competing model for research problem
- (For instance) formative path model

- Coalignment model (for instance)
- ➤ Mediating coalignment model (for instance)
- Methodology
- ➤ Construct measurement scales
- Analysis and empirical results
- ➤ Results of formative path model
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- > Results for mediating coalignment model
- Discussions and conclusions
- ➤ Components of research problem's competence
- Conclusions
- Summary

Chapter 7: Conclusion and future research

- Introduction
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- Contributions of this research
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 - > Implications for practice
- Limitations and future research
- ➤ Limitations of the sample
- ➤ Analysis using structural equations modeling (if any)
- > Evolution of research area

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