Scientific Exposé

Prior to writing a bachelor, master and doctoral thesis, or while proposing a research project, the exposé describes the design of the planned project. The exposé is a scientific project plan. It characterizes the scientific problem, reports the state-of-the-art in the respective field of science and explains methods, aims and the hypotheses the project is based on. Often a realistic time schedule with milestones is provided.

Checklist for a scientific exposé (max. 2 pages)

- Name, email address, modul name, teaching staff, date
- Working title of the project
- Tentative introduction includes
  - Scientific question, hypotheses, aims of the project
  - State-of-the-art (literature overview)
  - Outline of the project (tentative structure)
- Scientific approach and methods
- List of references
- Time and work schedule

(source: own translation of German version)