**Applicant Information**

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| Last Name | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Institution | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
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**Research Question**

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| Select the topic(s) that most closely aligns with your research question. |
| □ | Women’s Studies |
| □ | Clientelism |
| □ | Traditional Governance |
| □ | Migrants/Migration |
| □ | Identity and Social Norms |
| □ | Gender and Political Participation |
| □ | Ethnic or National Identity Politics |
| □ | Gender in Politics |
| □ | Immigration/Diaspora Political Connections |
| □ | Ethnic Voting |
| □ | Influence of Community characteristics vs individual characteristics on outcomes |
| □ | Relationship between lineage systems, gender, vulnerable populations and or migration on outcomes such as taxation and service provision. |
| □ | Voting Behavior |
| □ | Democratic Accountability |
| □ | Access to Services |
| □ | Inequality |
| □ | Local Governance |
| □ | Belief Formation |
| □ | Elections |
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State your research question below:

**Relevant Data**

Will you be utilizing data from other sources in addition to the survey?

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| □ | No |
| □ | Yes |

If yes, please describe what external data you will be incorporating. You do no need to provide references to the data.

Fill out the table below to specify the **5** most relevant variables in the survey to your research question.

For each question you will provide the question number, whether it came from the household or elite survey, and copy the question text.

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| **Question Number** | **Household or Elite** | **Question Text** |
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**Analysis Plan Overview**

Please answer the following questions regarding how you plan to analyze the data. Note that you do not need to provide great detail since we will be learning analysis techniques during the workshop.

What is your primary dependent/outcome/response variable?

What are your primary independent/predictor/covariate variables?

Are there any analysis tools or models (regression, hypothesis tests, etc) you would like to try to use to answer your research question?

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| □ | No |
| □ | Yes |

If Yes, please list them below:

**Importance of Proposed Research**

Briefly (at most 1 page) indicate what is new and important about your proposed research.

How are you contributing to knowledge about the proposed area of inquiry? Are you developing a new theory or testing an existing theory in a context it has previously been unexamined? How does your proposed research contribute to the academic literature? Is the proposed research policy-relevant, and if so, in what way?