

## **MA project proposals: outline of contents**

1. Formulation of central question(s)
2. Rationale for choice of topic
3. Theoretical approach
4. Methodological approach
5. Timetable, including fieldwork if relevant.
6. References

## **MA project proposals Criteria of evaluation**

1. Formulation of central question(s):
  - clarity, coherence etc.
  - rationale
2. Theoretical approach:
  - understanding of alternative theories,
  - appropriate choice of alternative theories for consideration,
3. Methodological approach:
  - understanding of methodology
  - appropriate choice of methodology
4. Overall:
  - clarity of presentation
  - novelty and originality
  - coherence and rigour of argument
  - knowledge of literature and references
  - style and grammar
5. Choice of realistic research objectives given the timeframe