Date: (M)/ (D)/ 2024 (Y)

Statement of Purpose and Research Plan for

AY 2024 “Support Program for Pioneering Research Initiated by the Next Generation Researchers in Doshisha University Doctoral Course”

**1. [Reasons for applying to the program]** \*Within half a page

This program aims to support pioneering and interdisciplinary research free from existing frameworks. Defining your vision of a researcher you aim for, write concisely your reasons for applying to the program including how you take advantage of this program in realizing your vision.

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| **Affiliation** | Graduate School of  | **Name** |  |
| **Research theme** |  |

**Notes to observe when preparing the Research Proposal Document**

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Note :

*1.　Read the “Application Guildelines for “Support Project for Pioneering Research Initiated by the Next Generation in Doshisha University Doctral Course” before preparing this form.*

*2.　Complete the form using font size 10.5 -point or larger.*

*3.　The title and instructions on the upper part of each page should be left intact.*

*4.　Do not exceed the maximum number of pages specified in the instructions. Therefore, if there are any blank page(s), leave them as they are (do not delete any page).*

**2．[Plan of overseas activities]** \*Within half a page

To nurture pioneering and independent spirit as researcher, you develop the plan for overseas activities in which to develop your research subject. Then explaining where your research is situated in international trends, write your plan to develop your research through international activities.

**2．[Research plan]** \*Within two pages including charts. Write concisely and easily to be understood.

(1) Your research history, the position of your research, overall circumstances of the research field, and your subject’s background.

(2) Aim, method, and detail of this research plan, including how to utilize the research expenses in order to develop the research.

(3) Characteristics and originality of the research, including comparison with the prior research, expected impact brought by the completed research, future prospect, and so on.

(4) How to apply your research to solve social issues.