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- **Title of Thesis or Dissertation: Brief; expressive; reflects the focus of the work**
- **Introduction: Statement of the Research Problem (Defines nature and extent of the problem; brief review of the literature; provides adequate rationale of the research; work relevance and importance; outlines objectives, scope and boundary of the research ; time and place of the research**
- **Literature Review: Reflects knowledge of previous studies on the topic, shows contribution to knowledge, gives new analytical additions or interpretations of previous findings and research results**
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- **Conclusions and Recommendations:**
- **References: Consistency in citation and listing**
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Language: Sound and objective
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