

CS447 Literature Review Proposal [Insert Your Project]

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If you are taking CS447 for 4 hours credit, you need to either do a research project or a literature review. This is a \LaTeX template for the initial proposal for the literature review, but should also give you a start on the final report.

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lines in the preamble (just above `\begin{document}` of this .tex file) by removing the leading % marks, recompile (run \LaTeX again) and submit the PDF on Compass.

Research question or focus of your review

Your review should have a particular research question or focus in mind

Relevant literature

What papers will you discuss in your review? (Or, perhaps more realistically: which papers will you use as a starting point?) Please provide bibliographic references.

Your to-do list

Get started by making a to-do list. Set yourself deadlines. Here are a few items that might appear on your to-do list

1. [Insert ...do you have a starting point of papers?]
2. [Insert ...do you understand each paper on your list?]
3. [Insert ...do you need to do more background reading?]
4. [Insert ... when will you take the time to summarize each individual paper?]
5. [Insert ...when will you take the time to discuss and analyze each paper?]
6. [Insert ...when will you take the time to write the overarching story?]

Bibliography

Your references should go in your own .bib file. You then need to run `bibtex`.¹ If you call your bibliography `mybib.bib` and put it in the same directory as this .tex file, add `\bibliography{mybib}` before `\end{document}`

¹You may want to look at <http://www.bibtex.org/Using/>