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| **Proposed title(s):**  |  |
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| **Brief description of project scope and content:**  | *Please summarise what the project will be about, and what it will aim to cover.* |
| **Overall objectives for proposed content:**  | *Please provide 3-5 bullet points on your overall objectives and the impact of this proposed project in its immediate field* * ..
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| **Introduction to subject area:**  | *Please summarise the discipline and its importance.* |
| **Key words for proposed subject area:**  | *Please provide up to 10 key words.*  |
| **Audience:**  | *Please summarise how this publication and/or resource will be used, and identify who the primary and (and any secondary) audience would be.* |
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