

Application for Data Funds

Student Name: _____
SID: _____

Please provide the following information. The total length of the application should not exceed 3 pages

- 1) Problem Statement. *What is the question you are seeking to answer? Why is it important?*
- 2) Unique contribution to the literature. *How is this intellectually differentiated from previous work?*
- 3) Data
 - a. What is the data you are seeking?
 - b. Explain why public release data are not available to study this question.
 - c. Power calculations / feasibility. *Will you have enough statistical power to answer the question you seek to answer with this data?*
 - d. Total cost of data.
 - e. Does the research with the data require Human Subjects Research approval? If yes, has this been obtained?
 - f. Could the data be useful for other researchers in the department?
- 4) Timeline and deliverables. *When do you reasonably expect to have results? How will you disseminate the research (i.e. present in department workshops, conferences, circulate a draft)?*

Advisor Approval: _____
Date: _____

Department Approval: _____
Date: _____