**PhD in Japanese Studies**

**Thesis Proposal (ca. 2000 words)**

**Name:**

**Proposed Title:**

**Research Question(s) and Overall Aim of the Project:**

**Description of Thesis:** (ca. 1500 words)

*Specific Area of Research:*

*General Description of your Research Project:*

*Overview of recent and/or relevant scholarship in your subject area:*

*Methodology / Theoretical Framework:*

**Supervision:**

*Proposed Supervisor (you should already have contacted this person):*

*Why do you wish to study your particular topic at the University of Edinburgh?*

**Impact:**

*What impact might your research have for other people outside of Higher Education?*

**Indicative Bibliography**

*At least ten books and journal articles in academic format (Chicago, Harvard, MLA, APA):*