

Appendix A

Compulsory Declaration of Generative AI Use

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1. Declaration of AI Use

☐ **No use of generative AI tools** was made in the preparation of this dissertation/research report, other than standard spelling and grammar checkers.

☐ **Generative AI tools were used**, as permitted, for the following purposes (please complete all applicable fields):

- **Tool(s) used (name and version):** _____
 - **Purpose of use (e.g., grammar correction, clarity editing, outline generation, figure formatting):** _____
 - **Extent of use (brief description):** _____
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2. Student Responsibility Statement

I confirm that:

- The intellectual content, analysis, and arguments in this dissertation are my own work.
 - Where generative AI tools were used, I retained full responsibility for verifying accuracy, originality, and correct referencing.
 - Records of AI prompts and outputs have been retained and will be provided on request to the supervisor, Head of Department, or Faculty.
 - I understand that undeclared or inappropriate use of AI tools constitutes academic or research misconduct.
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Signature of Student: _____

Date: _____