

# IR Research Project

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- Goal
  - *Produce* and *evaluate* something *novel* for a problem in the field of IR
- Assessment criteria
  - *Novelty* with respect to the state-of-the-art
  - *Soundness* with respect to the proposed solution and the conducted experimental evaluation
    - Doesn't necessarily have to work
    - Must be rigorously evaluated

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- Pairings
  - Individual for
    - Monograph and postgrad students
    - Isolated matriculations
  - In pairs for
    - Other undergrad students  
*(Moodle forum set up to help form pairs)*

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- Steps
  - 1-page proposal (theme + members)
    - Email Subject: Curso RI: projeto de pesquisa
    - Prazo para enviar email: 15/04/2015
  - Mid-term seminars (proposal vs. state-of-the-art)
    - 5 minutes presentation
  - 5-pages report (final results)
  - End-of-term seminars (final results)