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PhD program Animal and Zoonotic Infections
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Project Description
for application for the PhD program “Animal and Zoonotic Infections”

1 Title (English and German)
2 Summary (at most 15 lines)
3 Current state of research
   – State of knowledge in the area of the project
   – The initial question and the resulting necessary tasks
     (Provide quotes from only a few relevant sources.)
4 Preliminary work
   – Preliminary tests, established methods or models
   – Earlier publications or dissertation projects from within the working group that are related to
     the proposed project.
   – It should be mentioned whether these preliminary studies have been carried out by the
     student or a member of the working group.
5 Aim
   – Aim and working hypothesis should be summarized.
6 Study design
6.1. Material
   – Description of cell cultures/laboratory animals completely if necessary
   – Indicate the approval of the ethics commission if necessary.
6.2. Methods
   – If published: short description with reference
   – If methods must be developed or if further development of an already established method is a
     major part of the project, then this should be fully described.
7 Time schedule
   – Timetable with an overview of the project
   – Evaluation and writing of the thesis should be included.