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Dear Miss L Makhafola,

FACULTY COMMITTEE FOR RESEARCH ETHICS AND INTEGRITY

Your recent application to the EBIT Research Ethics Committee refers.

Approval is granted for the application with reference number that appears above.

1. This means that the research project entitled "Recognising and mitigating the influence of disruptive technologies: a strategy to enhance digital competence of South African university library staff" has been approved as submitted. It is important to note what approval implies. This is expanded on in the points that follow.

2. This approval does not imply that the researcher, student or lecturer is relieved of any accountability in terms of the Code of Ethics for Scholarly Activities of the University of Pretoria, or the Policy and Procedures for Responsible Research of the University of Pretoria. These documents are available on the website of the EBIT Research Ethics Committee.

3. If action is taken beyond the approved application, approval is withdrawn automatically.

4. According to the regulations, any relevant problem arising from the study or research methodology as well as any amendments or changes, must be brought to the attention of the EBIT Research Ethics Office.

5. The Committee must be notified on completion of the project.

Conditional approval based on the UP Registrar's approval. Follow the procedure as indicated on the EBIT ethics website for applying at UP Survey Coordinating Committee.

For other universities, no data is to be collected without first obtaining permission letter(s). The permission letter(s) from other universities must be signed by an authorized person (depending on each university's process) and the name of the universities cannot be disclosed without consent.

The Committee wishes you every success with the research project.

Prof K.-Y. Chan
Chair: Faculty Committee for Research Ethics and Integrity