**RESEARCH PLAN OUTLINE**

**OBJECTIVE:** Due to time constraints we can’t actually do a research project. Instead, you are going to create a plan of action for a SOCIOLOGICAL research project using the terminology and methods explained in chapter 2 section 1. Fill in the following outline

Sociological topic or question you want to address:

Type of research (Qualitative or Quantitative) and why:

**METHOD OF EXECUTION**

Population you want to study:

Sample (Random/Representative) & explain:

Method (Survey, Questionnaire, Interviews, Case study, Participant observation, Open or closed ended questions) Explain:

Examples (2-3) Questions if a survey, questionnaire, or interview or explain a typical day of observation if using a type of field research (Case study or Participant observation):

Positives and negatives of the particular methods you’ve chosen. What are they good for? What are their short comings from a researcher’s perspective. This should focus on the methods not the topic of you research.

CONJECTURE (guess) IF you were to do this experiment for real what would the results be and why? Explain in detail.