

## CRITICAL ANALYSIS: STRATEGIC DEVIATION TEMPLATE

|  |
|--|
| <b>Research problem. One sentence</b>  |
| <b>Purpose statement. One sentence</b>   |
| <b>Overarching research question and/or hypothesis. One-two sentences</b>  |
| <b>Population/sample. Two sentences</b>  |
| <b>Leading theory through which the problem and results are framed and interpreted. Provide lead descriptor and its main premise. One-two sentences.</b>   |
| <b>Research approach/design/method</b> , e.g., quantitative/correlational/survey methodology for a multiple regression analysis; qualitative case study utilizing semi-structured open-ended interviews, archival data, and observation; mixed methods utilizing a quantitative survey data and case study semi-structured interviews for deep contextual data. (20-50 words). |
| <b>Constructs</b> –provide lead descriptor. <b>Variables</b> , if any. For each variable, identify the type i.e., dependent, independent, mediating, or moderating. (20-50 words).   |
| <b>Main limitations and assumptions</b> (Two to three sentences).  |
| Recommend follow up research or related problem to expand on or close gaps in knowledge in the broad topic area.   |
| Cite at least two supporting peer reviewed research articles – single sentence. Cite at least one peer reviewed journal article that presents an alternative view – single sentence. (Three supporting scholarly articles in total)  |