

STUDY PLAN
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) PROGRAMME
UKM-GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Programme : Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
 Mode : Fully Research (By Thesis)
 Duration : 6 – 12 Semesters (3 – 6 Years)

Core Courses for Doctor of Philosophy (PhD):

- i. Research Methodology 1 (ZCDF8014)
- ii. Research Methodology 2 (ZCDF8024)

Core Specialization Course for Doctor of Philosophy (PhD):

- i. Marketing Theory & Thought, or
- ii. Advanced Organisational Management, or
- iii. Financial Theory

Semester	Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
Semester 1	i. Pass the Core Specialization Course; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Marketing Theory & Thought, or b. Advanced Organisational Management, or c. Financial Theory. ii. Pass the Research Methodology 1 (ZCDF8014) Course. iii. Present and Pass the Doctoral Colloquium 1.
Semester 2	i. Pass the Research Methodology 2 (ZCDF8024) Course. ii. Present and Pass the Doctoral Colloquium 2.
Semester 3	i. All students have to undertake Proposal Defence within the Semester 3 of their study. ii. Students may continue with data collection and theses writings after passing the PD.
Semester 4	i. Students to carry out data collection, data analysis and theses writings. ii. Students are required to account and relay their progress accordingly in every semester before the Supervisors' evaluation of Candidates' Progress Report.
Semester 5	i. Students to continue with data analysis and theses writings ii. Students have to perform <i>mock viva</i> before the actual viva being conducted.
Semester 6	i. Thesis finalization and submission. ii. Oral Examination (Viva-Voce).

PUBLICATION REQUIREMENT:

2 papers in Scopus/WOS-indexed journals; OR 1 paper in Scopus/WOS-indexed journal + 1 chapter in book published by local university or publishers listed in WOS

Student publications that are considered a condition for conferring a degree must meet the following criteria:

- 1) The publication is relevant to the student's field of research; and
- 2) The publication must be completed within the period of study of the student; and
- 3) Student publications shall be in collaboration with the University supervisor.