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| **National Tsing-Hua University**  **Department of Education and Learning Technology**  **Regulations of Doctoral Degrees Conferment for Foreign Students** |
| * Applicable students:   Overseas students (including foreign students, overseas Chinese students, Hong Kong and Macau students, but excluding China students) who enrolled in the doctoral degrees from the academic year of 2020 are applied. |
| * Regulations of study |
| 1. Period of study: two to seven years. In-service students may extend the length of study for two years. |
| 1. Course requirements:    1. The minimum credits required for overseas doctoral students is 30 credits (four credits for thesis are not included in the graduation credits), the courses can be taken in the doctoral program of the department (including combined programs of master and doctoral) or internal and external doctoral programs in universities in Taiwan (including combined programs of master and doctoral) which are taught in English. Overseas students can submit the application of each semester within the prescribed time limit after the evaluation made by their advisors based on the academic background and research needs. The final decision will be made after by the approval of the academic review committee.    2. Overseas students can also follow the Article 3 in the doctoral program regulations of the department to take courses. |
| 1. Regulations of study: |
| (1)Complete the course requirements. |
| (2) Pass the qualification assessment: According to the main points of the qualification assessment for doctoral candidates of the department, only common compulsory subject (Methodology of Education) can offset by one academic journal of SCI/SSCI/SCIE//TSSCI/THCI/CSSCI or two SCOPUS academic journals (the academic journals above which must be published independently or co-published with advisors of the department, the students who co-published with the advisors should be the first or second author, or the corresponding author).  The offset journals mentioned above are limited to one person to apply for. The offset journals must be published in the name of the school (or department), which can not serve as the academic papers for the graduation threshold. |
| (3) The completion of doctoral dissertation plan and degree examination: it will be implemented in accordance with the relevant regulations of the department's doctoral dissertation plan and degree examination. |
| Graduation threshold: |
| It will be implemented in accordance with the relevant regulations of the department’s graduation threshold of the doctoral program. |
| * Tuition fees and scholarships: |
| 1.The standards of tuition fees: please refer to the website of the Division of General Academic Affairs Office for details.  http://dgaa.site.nthu.edu.tw/p/412-1209-1493.php?Lang=zh-tw/ |
| 2.Scholarships: please refer to the website of the Academic Affairs Office for details.http://academic.site.nthu.edu.tw/p/426-1007-21.php/ |
| * Others |
| 1.Within one month after enrollment, students should select an advisor, go to the department office to register, and handed in with the consent form the advisor. (The resolution of 1082-2 Academic Review Committee: Each advisor of the department can instruct supervise 2 - 3 foreign graduate students per academic year in principle) |
| 2. According to Article 64 in the provisions of the school’s academic rules: foreign students enrolled in the academic year of 109 (inclusive) should complete the required Chinese credits before graduate and leaving the school, which is based on the " Mandarin Course Requirements for National Tsing Hua University International Students ".  If master’s foreign students and doctoral foreign those foreign students for master and doctoral degrees could not leave school and graduate in the semester of the thesis are completely reviewed due to the aforementioned Chinese language courses, the term for graduation and leaving school can be postponed up to the maximum years of study’s regulations, and the degree certificate will be on the date of the credits completion of mandarin course. The credits of mandarin course will not be counted in the credits of graduation, but if the department, institute, or degree course have other regulations, then follow their rules. |
| 3.Other unsettled regulations will be implemented in accordance with the National Tsing Hua University Academic Regulations. |