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PhD Qualifying Examination Regulation for International Students

1. This regulation is under the University Regulation for Master and PhD degree examination.
2. The international PhD students should complete the PhD qualifying examination before the end of the fourth academic year after enrollment.
3. Requirements for PhD qualifying examination application
 - (1) Pass the required courses
 - (2) Obtain at least 18 credits (including the required courses).
 - (3) For students who directly transfer from Master program to PhD program, 30 credits are required for the application for qualifying examination.
4. The qualifying examination consists of a written non-thesis proposal and an oral presentation. The subjects and/or models for non-thesis proposal should not be similar to those of the PhD thesis.
5. If the qualifying examination is failed, the applicant can apply for the second qualifying examination after three months.
6. The application for PhD qualifying examination should be processed **ONE MONTH** before the date of Examination.