

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA

BRIEFING FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT



POSTGRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

Doctoral Programme

Doctor of Philosophy Field of Research: Management

Doctor of Philosophy Field of Research: Information System

Masters Programme

Master of Philosophy Field of Research: Management

Master of Management Specialization: Technology Management

Master of Information Technology Specialization: Information Technology Management

Master of Science (Information Technology Entrepreneurship)



MORE ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

Go to:

Website: https://management.utm.my/



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THE ROLES OF SRAD, AMaCS & SPS

LOCATIONS for UTMJB

SRAD:

(Student Recruitment & Admission Division)

Block F54, 2nd Floor, UTM JB https://admission.utm.my/

AMacs:

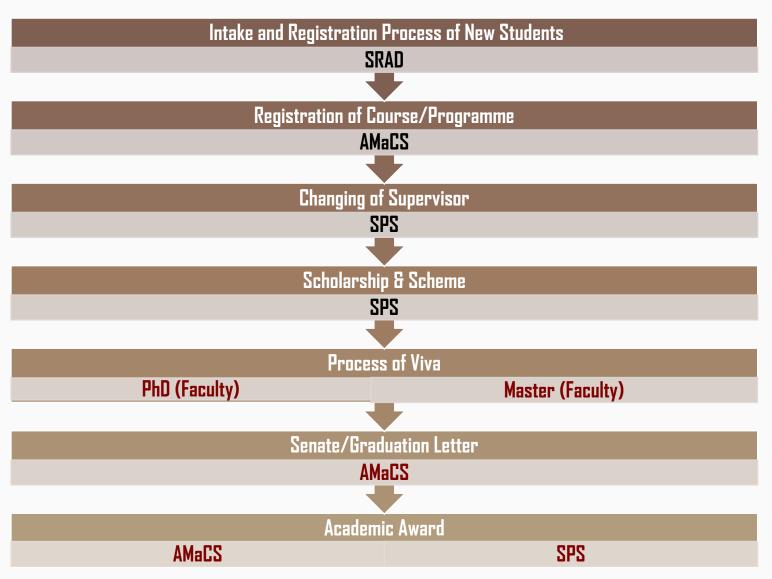
(Academic Management & Convocation Section)

Block F54, 2nd Floor, UTM JB https://amd.utm.my/amacs/

SPS:

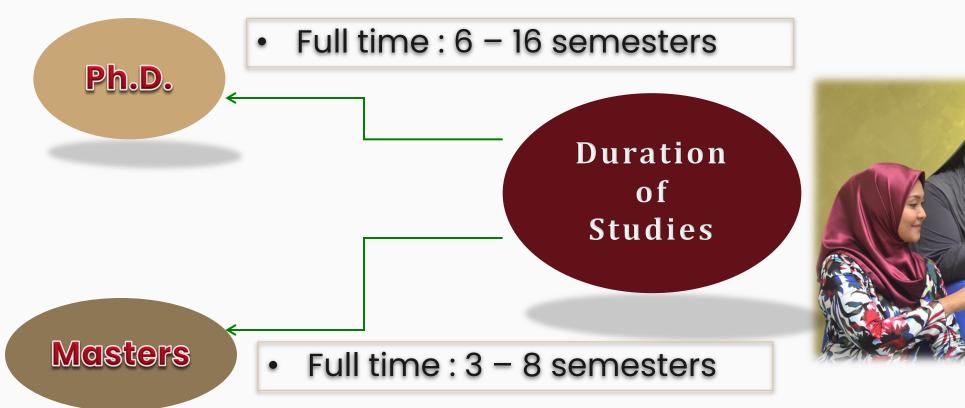
(School of Graduate Studies)

Block F54, 2nd Floor, UTM JB https://sps.utm.my/





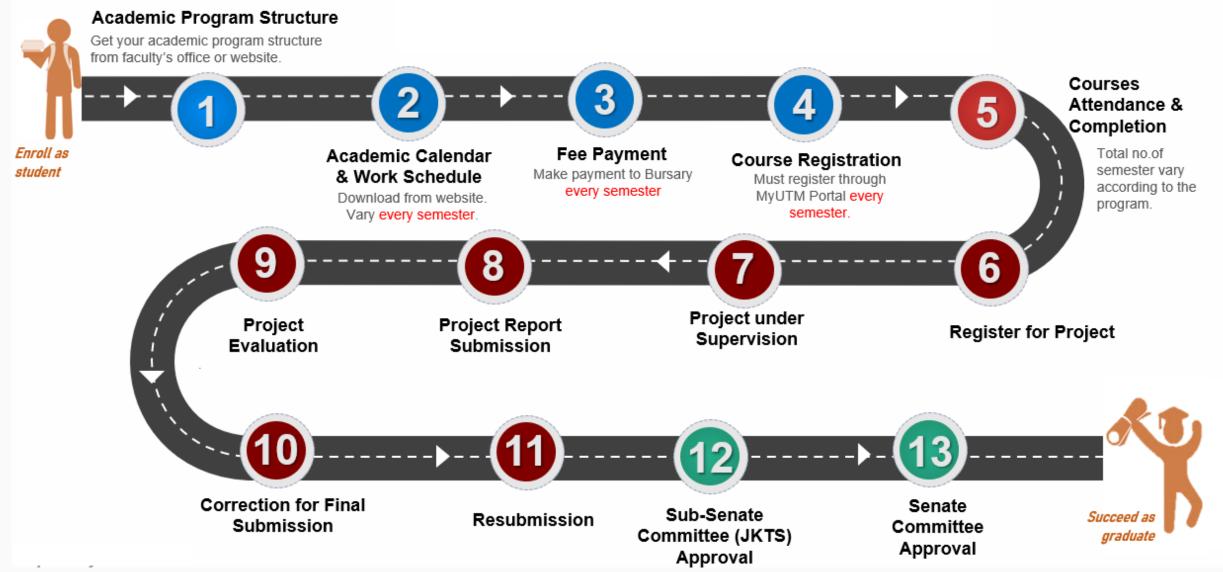
DURATION OF STUDIES





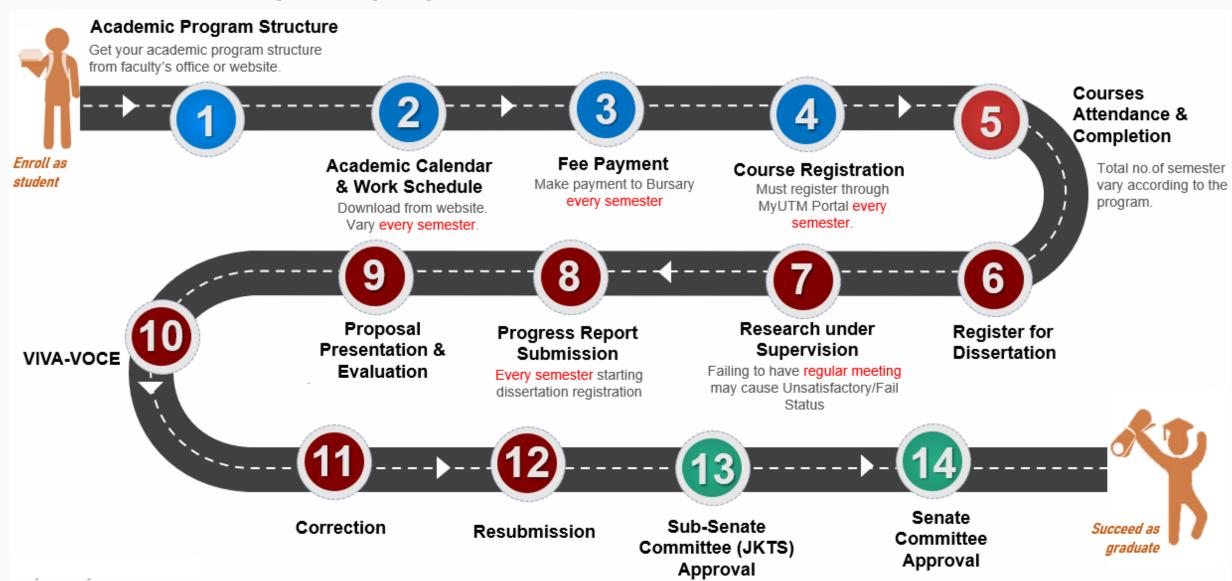


TAUGHT COURSE STUDENT PATHWAY



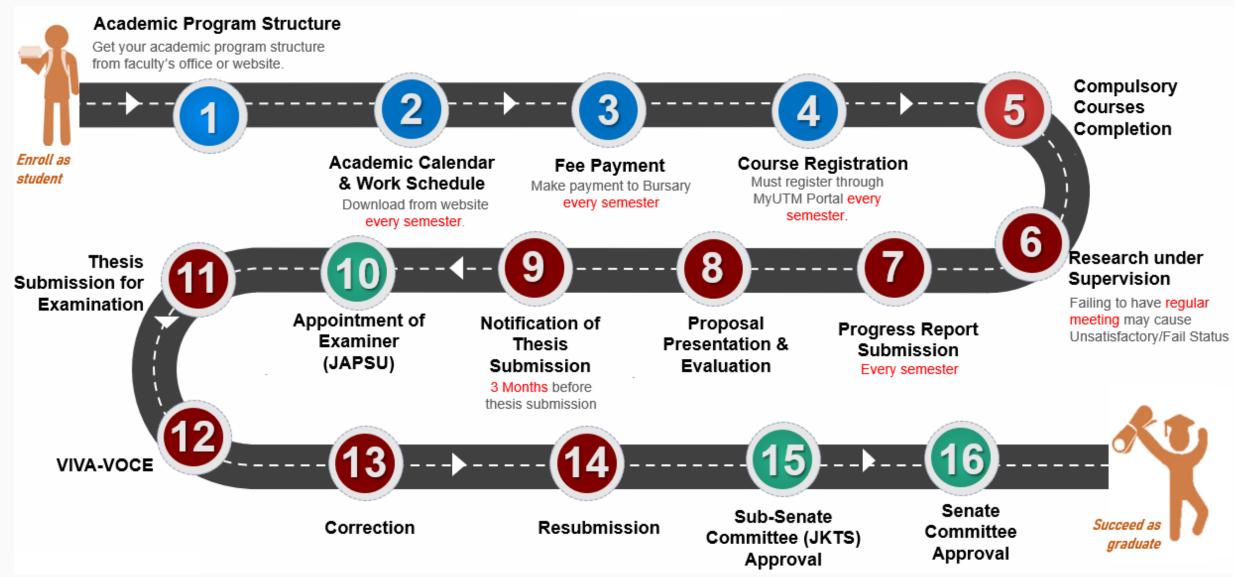


MIXED MODE STUDENT PATHWAY



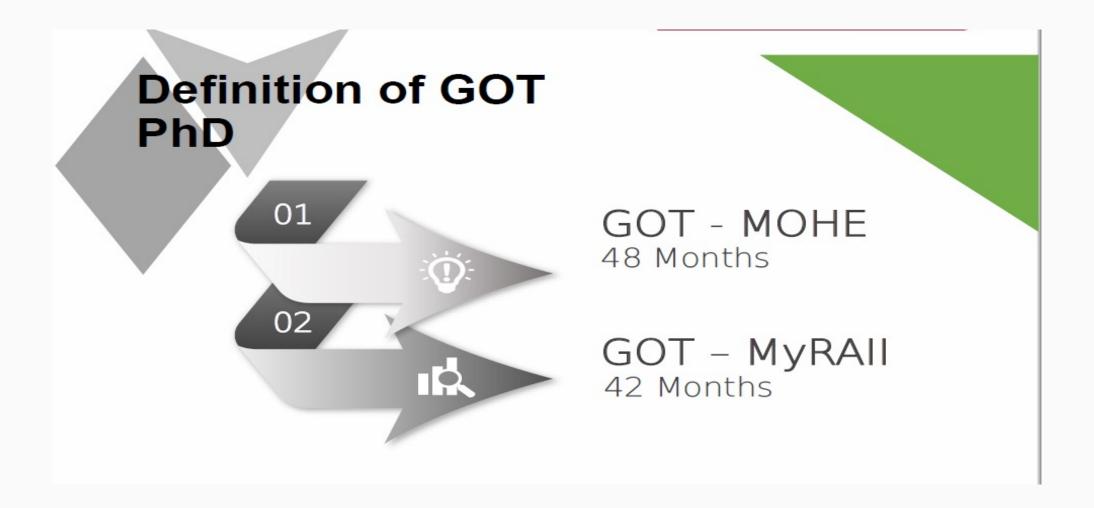


RESEARCH STUDENT PATHWAY





GRADUATE ON TIME (GOT)





PhD GRADUATE ON TIME (GOT) PATH

Y1
1st Sem

(i) Class

Research Methodology Course

University General Course

(ii) Research

Literature Review

(iii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iv) Publications
NIL

(v) Progress Report

Y1

2nd Sem

(i) Research

Introduction (Problem Statement, Significant), Literature Review, Research Methodology

> (ii) Publications Systematic Review Paper

(iii) Progress Report

Y2

1st Sem

(i) Research Proposal Defense

(ii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iii) Publications
Conceptual Paper

(iv) Progress Report

Y2

2nd Sem

(i) Research

Data Collection/ Experiment

(ii) Publications
Instrument/Pilot Study

Paper

(iii) Progress Report

Y3

1st Sem

(i) Research

Data Analysis and Conclusion, NHT

(ii) Structured Course

PGSS Structured Course

(iii) Publications

Full Length Paper

(iv) Progress Report

Y3

2nd Sem

(i) Research

Thesis submission; Filling of IP or copyright

(ii) Publications

Full-Length Paper

(iii) Progress Report



MPhil GRADUATE ON TIME (GOT) PATH



(i) Class

University General Course Research Methodology Course

(ii) Research

Introduction (Problem Statement, Significant), Literature Review, Research Methodology

(iii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iv) Progress Report



(i) Research Proposal Defense

(ii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iii) Publications Conceptual Paper

(iv) Progress Report

Y2
1st Sem

(i) Research
Data Collection/ Data Analysis

(ii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iii) Publications
Full-Length Paper

(iv) Progress Report

Y2 2nd Sem

(i) Research

Thesis write-up, Conclusion, NHT,

Thesis Submission, IP or Copyright

(ii) Structured Course
PGSS Structured Course

(iii) Progress Report



MASTER (MIXED MODE) GRADUATE ON TIME (GOT)PATH



(i) Class

University & Master Programme's Compulsory Course

(ii) Research

Introduction (Problem Statement, Significant), Literature Review, Research Methodology

(iv) Progress Report



(i) Class

University & Master Programme's Compulsory Course

(ii) Research

Dissertation Proposal Defense

(iii) Progress Report



(i) Research

Data Collection/ Data Analysis/ Write-up

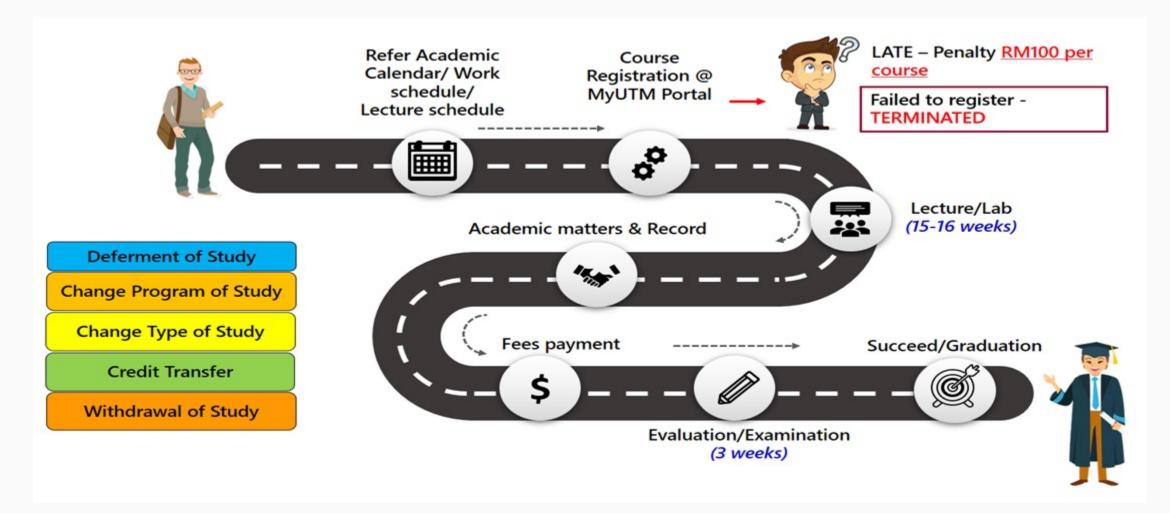
- (ii) Submit Dissertation for Viva
 - (iii) Viva & Correction
 - (iv) Final Dissertation Submission



GRADUATION



UTM STUDENT'S TIMELINE (Every Semester)





THINGS TO REMEMBER

ACADEMIC CALENDAR: https://amd.utm.my/academic-calendar/

WORK SCHEDULE: https://amd.utm.my/work-schedule-pg/

COURSE REGISTRATION: https://amd.utm.my/amacs/course-registration/

INFORMATION ABOUT COURSE REGISTRATION: https://management.utm.my/rk-pg/

ACADEMIC MATTERS: FORMS: https://sps.utm.my/academic-related-resources/ OR https://amd.utm.my/pg-forms/

PROGRESS REPORT FOR RESEARCH AND MIXED MODE STUDENTS: https://my.utm.my/home - GRADUATE STUDIES MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (GSMS): http://spsapp3.utm.my:8080/gsmsv4/

UNIVERSITY GENERAL COURSE: CLASS SCHEDULE: SPS - CURRENT STUDENTS - ACADEMIC RELATED RESOURCES - ACADEMIC CALENDAR AND WORK SCHEDULE: https://sps.utm.my/academic-related-resources/

PAY YOUR FEES

ATTEND AND PASS YOUR COURSES



IMPORTANT DATES OF COURSE REGISTRATION FOR POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME SEMESTER I, 2023/2024 SESSION

COURSE REGISTRATION (ONLINE)

25 SEP - 8 OCT 2023

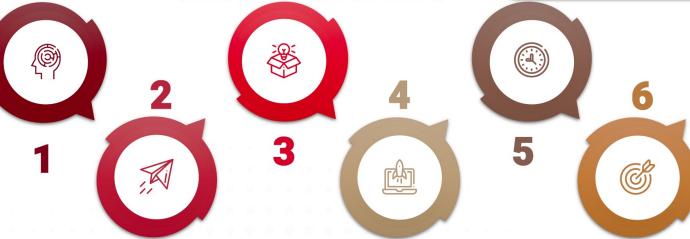
LATE COURSE REGISTRATION (WITH PENALTY)

16 - 23 OCT 2023

(With penalty RM100 per course)

COURSE WITHDRAWAL (TD) 13 NOV - 8 DEC 2023

(A penalty RM100 per course will be charged after this date. TD application with penalty must be made before the revision week.)



AMENDMENT OF COURSE REGISTRATION (ONLINE)

9 - 15 OCT 2023

AMENDMENT OF COURSE REGISTRATION (WITH PENALTY)

24 - 30 OCT 2023

FACULTY CHECK & REMIND STUDENTS WHO DID NOT **REGISTER COURSES**

13 NOV - 15 DEC 2023

Prepared by **AMaCS - Aug 2023** (With penalty RM100 per course)

A student must register a course/ research every semester. Those who fail to register without acceptable reasons will be **TERMINATED**



PROGRESS REPORT SUBMISSION VIA GSMS

(For Research and Mixed Mode Programme)



Report

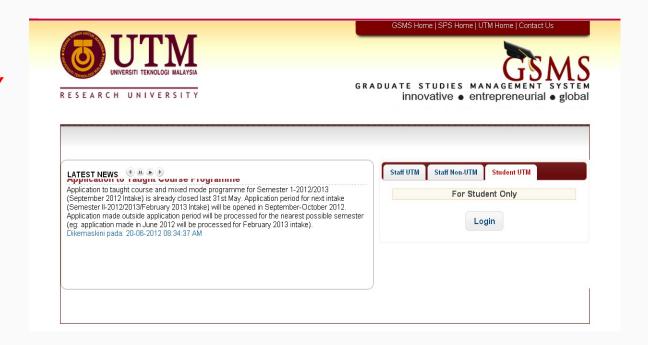
Submission of progress report **EVERY SEMESTER: Week 10 -13** via GSMS
(online)



Fail to submit

Unsatisfactory Status (TM)
TWO (2) CONSECUTIVE Unsatisfactory
Status (TM)

= Students will be **TERMINATED**





EVALUATION OF PROGRESS REPORT

	Penilaian Umum [Overall Assessment]	Keterangan mengikut kategori [Statement by category]	Deskripsi Markah [Mark Description]	Markah (M)** [Mark] [M]**	Komen [Comments]
(a)	Memuaskan (MM) [Satisfactory]	Cemerlang [Excellent]	9.0 ≤ M ≤ 10.0		
		Sangat Baik [Very Good]	8.0 ≤ M < 9.0		
			7.0 ≤ M < 8.0		
		Baik [Good]	6.0 ≤ M < 7.0		
			5.0 ≤ M < 6.0		
(b)	Tidak Memuaskan	Sederhana [Fair]	4.0 ≤ M < 5.0		
	(TM) [Unsatisfactory]		3.0 ≤ M < 4.0		
	Gagal (GG) [Fail]	Lemah [Poor]	2.0 ≤ M < 3.0		
(c)			1.0 ≤ M < 2.0		
			0.0 ≤ M < 1.0		



ACADEMIC STANDING FOR MIXED MODE

CGPA	DISSERTATION/ RESEARCH GRADE	ACADEMIC STANDING	CONDITION TO PROCEED WITH THE STUDY	AWARD OF THE DEGREE
COOD DACC (VD)	MM	КВ	QUALIFIED	QUALIFIED
GOOD PASS (KB) CGPA ≥ 3.00	TM	KS	QUALIFIED	NOT QUALIFIED
<u>CGPA ≥ 3.00</u>	GG	KS	QUALIFIED	NOT QUALIFIED
CONDITIONAL PASS (KS)	MM	KS	QUALIFIED	NOT QUALIFIED
2.67 ≤ CGPA < 3.00	TM	KS	QUALIFIED	NOT QUALIFIED
	GG	KG	TERMINATED	NOT QUALIFIED
FAIL	MM	KG	TERMINATED	NOT QUALIFIED
(GG)	TM	KG	TERMINATED	NOT QUALIFIED
<u>CGPA < 2.67</u>	GG	KG	TERMINATED	NOT QUALIFIED

MM	SATISFACTORY
TM	UNSATISFACTORY
GG	FAIL



GRADING SYSTEM FOR TAUGHT COURSES

MARKS	GRADE	POINT VALUE	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	
90 - 100	A+	4.00		
80 - 89	A	4.00	EXCELLENT PASS	
75 - 79	A-	3.67		
70 - 74	B+	3.33	COOD DACC	
65 - 69	В	3.00	GOOD PASS	
60 - 64	B-	2.67	PASS	
55 - 59	C+	2.33		
50 - 54	С	2.00		
45 - 49	C-	1.67		
40 - 44	D+	1.33	FAIL	
35 - 39	D	1.00		
30 - 34	D-	0.67		
00 - 29	D	0.00		



RESEARCH / DISSERTATION PROPOSAL DEFENSE

			Pre-requisite to Submit PROPOSAL for First Stage Evaluation	Strongly Encourage	Unsatisfactory Status (TM)
PROPOSAL DEFENSE	PhD	1. 2.	Passed Research Methodology Passed University Elective Course	3 rd Semester	4 th Semester
	Master (Full Research)	1. 2.	Passed Research Methodology Passed University Elective Course	2 nd Semester	3 rd Semester
DISSERTATION	Master (Mixed Mode)	1.	Passed ALL Compulsory courses in the Programme	2 nd Semester	3 rd Semester

TWO (2) CONSECUTIVE

Unsatisfactory

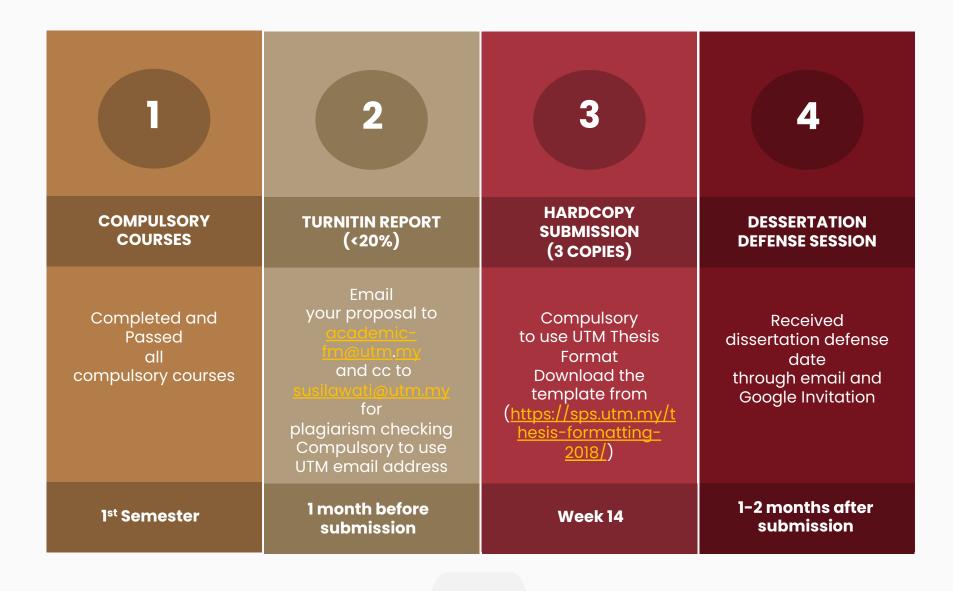
Status (TM)

= Students will be

TERMINATED



A GUIDE TO DISSERTATION PROPOSAL DEFENSE



GUIDELINE FOR RESEARCH PROPOSAL DEFENSE

	2	3	4	5
COMPULSORY COURSES	NOTICE OF DEFENSE	TURNITIN REPORT (<20%)	HARDCOPY SUBMISSION (3 COPIES)	PD SESSION
Passed Research Methodology Course And University General Course	Submit Notification of Evaluation of Research Proposal Form to academic-fm@utm.my and cc to m-azlina@utm.my	Email your proposal to academic-fm@utm.my and cc to susilawati@utm.my for plagiarism checking Compulsory to use UTM email address	Compulsory to use UTM Thesis Format Download the template from (https://sps.utm.my/th esis-formatting-2018/)	Received PD date through email and Google Invitation
1 st Semester	2 months before submission	l month before submission	Week 14	1-2 months after submission



NOTIFICATION OF EVALUATION OF RESEARCH PROPOSAL (PROPOSAL DEFENSE)

Submit Notice 2 MONTHS before proposal submission

NOMINATION BY SUPERVISOR:

NOMINATE **3** INTERNAL EXAMINERS (NOT RETIRING within 6 months)



Approval

JKA monthly meeting (faculty level)



Validity

Valid for 6 months



NOTIFICATION FOR THESIS SUBMISSION (NHT)

Submit Notice 3 MONTHS before thesis submission

STUDENT (VIA GSMS):
ABSTRACT

NOMINATION BY SUPERVISOR (VIA GSMS):

NOMINATE 3 INTERNAL EXAMINERS and

3 EXTERNAL EXAMINERS (NOT RETIRING within 1 year) & PROVIDE LATEST CV OF EE







Approval

JKA monthly meeting (faculty level)

Approval

JAPSU monthly meeting (University level)

Validity

12 months (PhD) 6 months (Master)



SUBMISSION OF THESIS FOR VIVA VOCE FOR DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY AND MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY Faculty of Management, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia **IMPORTANT** NOTE LIST OF FORMS Thesis format must follow Download from: ☐ All forms and thesis must be sps.utm.my/academic-related-**UTM Thesis Guidelines.** completed and signed by the Download from: resources candidate & supervisor. sps.utm.my/thesis-1. Submission of Thesis Any softcopy submitted must be 2. Submission of Thesis 2 formatting-2018 (updated the same one as the hardcopy to be 3. Plagiarism Agreement on 28/06/2019) submitted after MCO. What You Need To Prepare 151 1750 LIST OF ATTACHMENTS CONTACT 1. List of Publication(s) academic-fm@utm.my 2. Zero Balance Fee Letter from Bursary arinah@utm.my (email to : bendahari-ukp@utm.my) Attention: Ms Arinah

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Whatsapp: 019-7330358

3. Turnitin Report (by each chapter and

full chapters)



PLAGIARISM CHECK REQUIREMENT





PUBLICATION REQUIRED FOR THESIS SUBMISSION (Ph.D.)

2.1 Publication requirements in the regular semester (6th to 16th semester):

Student has come out with at least one (1) published article that has been accepted or published in a journal indexed on the Web of Science.

OR

Student has come out with **at least two (2) published articles** that have been accepted or published in journals indexed in SCOPUS/ERA/journals listed in myJurnal (Malaysian Journal Management System) from MyCite (Malaysian Citation Center).

2.2 Publication requirements for early thesis submission (5th semester):

Student has come out with at least two (2) published articles that have been accepted or published in journals indexed on the Web of Science/SCOPUS/ERA.

Refer to: https://sps.utm.my/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/19.-220721-Pekeliling-Akademik-bil-4-2021-Pindaan-Syarat-Penerbitan-Menghantar-Tesis-Utk-PhD-Proofread.pdf



PUBLICATION REQUIRED FOR THESIS SUBMISSION (MPhil.)

A master by research candidate may submit his/her thesis for viva-voce provided that he/she produced at least one (1) accepted or published publication from journal article, conference proceeding or book chapter.



DEFERMENT OF STUDIES

SEMESTER WILL NOT BE COUNTED

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JOB COMMITMENT

HEALTH PROBLEM

(MUST attach an official letter from organization)

FORM:

Application For Deferment of Study

https://amd.utm.my/pg-forms/

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MAX : ONE (1) SEMESTER

per application

OTHER REASONS

(eq: personal matters)

UNIVERSITY/NATION INTEREST

(MUST attach the medical report)

(MUST attach an official letter)

MAX: TWO (2) YEARS

(2 sem per application)

Email completed form to:

academic-fm@utm.my

Note: INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

must get approval from UTM International Office

Fail to register after TWO (2)
CONSECUTIVE semester
= subject to be TERMINATED



CHANGE OF SUPERVISOR



FORM

Get APPLICATION FOR CHANGE SUPERVISOR FORM from SPS website:

https://sps.utm.my/acad emic-related-resources/



APPROVAL

Get approval from: a) Current SV

b) Proposed SV

Email completed form to: academic-fm@utm.my



ENDORSEMENT

In Academic Committee (JKA) meeting



VERIFICATION

By Deputy Dean (Academic)



RECORD

Send to SPS for updating record in system



TERMINATED STATUS

(Did Not Register For Any Course OR Did Not Pay The Fee)

- Use Application For Reinstatement Of Terminated Status Form

- Within 14 days
- Have not been given Terminated Status more than **TWO (2) semesters**

ENDORSEMENT

RESEARCH STUDENT:

Main Supervisor

COURSEWORK/MIXED MODE STUDENT:

Deputy Dean (Academic)

PENALTY CHARGE

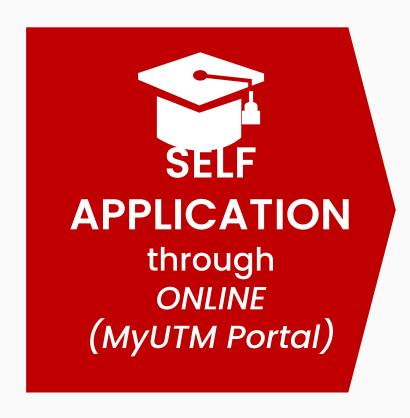
RM250.00

For further information:

https://sps.utm.my/wp-content/uploads/2016/07/GuidelinesToAppealReinstatmentOfTeminatedStatus.pdf



GRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARD



- Duration of study
- Viva-voce result
- 03 Publication
- Recognition (for publication/research)
- O5 Student's personal qualities



ACADEMIC RULES AND REGULATIONS

Downloadable at:

https://sps.utm.my/wp-

content/uploads/2020/03/Final08-LAMPIRAN-II-

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POSTGRADUATE STUDENT SOCIETY (PGSS)



To promote **social cohesion** among FM postgraduate students' community



To organise **academic** (**structured courses**) and **social programs** that will be of immense benefit to FM postgraduate students



To address within its powers, **issues** faced by the FM postgraduate students









FM PGSS FACEBOOK: https://m.facebook.com/UTMPGSSFM/



GOOGLE MAIL GROUP

FM RESEARCH STUDENTS:

fm-researchstudent-group@utm.my

FM MIXED MODE AND TAUGHT COURSE STUDENTS:

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https://t.me/fmutmmixedmode

Master Taught Course Faculty of Management: https://t.me/fmutmtaughtcourse



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Friday & Saturday : CLOSED







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