



Ph,D Program

at the Institute of Electro-Optical Engineering

1. The Examination Standards are in accord with the principles and standards for Master's and Doctorate (Ph,D.) students as set forth by NTNU (National Taiwan Normal University).
2. After having been successfully admitted to NTNU, Ph,D students must complete at least 18 credits worth of courses related to both Master's and Ph,D. subject areas. In order to graduate, a minimum of 30 credits must be attained (the aforementioned 18 credits contribute towards this total) as SET forth by the NTNU Graduation Principles.
3. In order to be considered as a worthy candidate to graduate, the Ph,D student's record must be in accordance with the criteria outline below:
 - (1) Completion of subject courses and the acquirement of the subsequent credits.
 - (2) During the period of study, at least two articles written by the student (not taking into account any arrangements made with the assigned professor) must be published in relevant academic periodicals and these must rank in the top 30% of thesis articles published within the periodical (the pieces must be completed within a time frame that will administered to the student). In addition, at least two SCI or EI pieces must be delivered (this is based upon the assumption that more than five years of study and practical research results have already been achieved), and, once the student's professor has recommended that they are worthy of consideration, the pieces will be sent to be examined by the Review Committee Meeting, the guidelines of which are not noted here.
4. Before the research student can begin to write their thesis, completion of a course regarding the academic ethics upheld by the university, which consists of an examination, is mandatory.
5. The Ph,D student must fill in an oral examination form which, once consent has been given by the assigned professor, must be sent off for application. One month before this application is sent off however, the student must first send the 'Graduate Examination Qualifications Form' to be checked by the Office of IOR. If consent is given by the Office, the student is then able to attend the Degree examination, which is administered by NTNU. Upon passing this examination the student's Ph,D. can be awarded.