Qualifying Exam Requirements
National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (NTUST)
Department of Information Management

Qualifying Examination Requirements for Ph.D. Candidacy

(1). The Ph.D. student should pass the qualifying examination within three years of study The student should have at least one paper published, accepted by, given a chance to revise by, or submitted to, an SCI (SCI expended), SSCI, or AHCI journal. The journals cannot be contained in the list of the https://beallslist.weebly.com website. Paper presented by the Ph.D. student as being credited toward the qualifying exam should be published under the university's and department's name. Papers accepted after admission or those published after admission should meet one of the following conditions below:
1. Student publishes as the first author with advisor(s).
2. Student publishes with his/her advisor(s) only.

(2) The Ph.D. student should file the application of the qualifying examination with the approval of her/his advisor and the department chair.