

Implementation Guidelines of the Ph.D. Candidacy Examination

Department of Information Management

National Taiwan University of Science and Technology

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Article 1

These implementation regulations are formulated in accordance with the university's regulations on the Ph.D. candidacy examination.

Article 2

Ph.D. students must, within three years of enrollment, publish at least one academic paper, or have one academic paper accepted, or under revision based on research conducted in the department in a journal indexed by SCI (including SCI-Expanded), SSCI, or AHCI. Additionally, the journal must not be listed on Beall's List(<https://beallslist.weebly.com>). The paper must meet the following conditions:

1. The Ph.D. student must publish under the sole affiliation of the department and may not list any other institutions.
2. The students advisor must be listed as a co-author.
3. The Ph.D. student must be listed as the first author or immediately after the advisor.

Article 3

Students who fail to meet the requirements stipulated in Article 2 within three years of enrollment shall be subject to withdrawal in accordance with the university's academic regulations.

Article 4

Ph.D. candidacy qualifications shall be reviewed by the departmental faculty committee. Applications for the review shall be accepted in May and December each year. In special cases, an ad hoc review meeting may be convened. Students must submit supporting documents for their publications along with an application form signed by their advisor.

Article 5

These implementation regulations shall take effect upon approval by the Department Affairs Meeting. Amendments shall follow the same procedure.

Ph.D. Candidacy Qualification Application Form
Department of Information Management, National Taiwan University of Science and Technology

Ph.D. Student: _____ Student ID: _____

The paper titled _____ has been authored under my supervision, and I approve its submission for Ph.D. candidacy qualification review.

Journal Name:

SCI (including SCI-Expanded)

SSCI

AHCI

Not listed on [Beall's List](<https://beallslist.weebly.com>)

Attached Documents:

Full paper

Proof of journal SCI, SSCI, or AHCI indexing within the past three years

Proof of paper's publication, acceptance, or revision (if submitted via email or web platform, a printed version signed by the advisor must be provided)

Publication/Acceptance/Revision Date: Year _____ Month ____ Day ____

Advisor's Signature: _____

Date: ROC Year _____ Month ____ Day ____