CONVERSIONS FROM MASTERS TO PHD DEGREE PROGRAMME

The following guides apply:

a) The supervisor for a Master Degree student needs to apply for a candidature conversion from Masters Degree to PhD within 12-15 months from the commencement of the student’s registration.

b) The student must:

  i) Have completed at least 90% of the Master Degree objectives

  ii) Have presented or accepted for presentation the research findings at any conferences (local or international conference)

        OR

  Have submitted at least one article to a referred journal or its equivalent (e.g. book chapter) based on research done during candidacy.

  iii) Submit an extended research report (10,000 words) that meets the scope of a PhD degree.

The written proposal consist of followings:

- Problem statement, rational of research significance of
- Research objectives, scope and methodology
- Output of research achieved
- Additional scope for the Doctoral degree
Flow Chart of Conversion Process

Candidate submit the application:

1) Application Form: IGS/RSCH/APPLICATION_2012
2) Assessor Individu Form: IGS/RSCH/CONVERSION/ASSESSOR/2012 – 2 Copies
3) Panel Recommendation Form: IGS/RSCH/CONVERSION/PANEL /2012
4) Report (10,000 words)
5) Certificate of Conference Participate or Evidence of article submition

Supervisor must submit:

1) Conversion Application Letter
2) Panels nomination with their CV’s
3) Chairperson nomination

- Application will be approved by Faculty Academic Board of Post Graduate Studies (JKAPS)
- Faculty Academic Board of Post Graduate Studies (JKAPS) will provide appointment letter for the panels and chairperson

- Candidate is required to present his/her research to the panels.
- Panels will submit the recommendation to the Faculty Academic Board of Post Graduate Studies (JKAPS)

- Faculty Academic Board of Post Graduate Studies (JKAPS) will endorse the upgrading of the candidature

- IGS will change the student status in the system

- The student will be imposed the doctoral programme fees one the status is changed