

Graduate Requirements of International Doctoral Student

1. Minimum requirement for graduation: Completion of 36 semester-hours of course work with an average grade of 70. Of these 36 semester-hours, **19** must be required nursing courses, **5** must be elective nursing courses and 12 must be Dissertation.
2. An accepted or published article (as the first author) in SCI or SSCI journal while studying doctoral program.
3. At least one presentation of English thesis at international seminar before graduation.
4. At least attend foreign scholars' speech held by College of Nursing or KMU once for each semester after entering the college.
5. At least pass one of the below English qualification.

CEF Index	TOEFL (IBT)	IELTS	GEPT	TOEIC
B2	72	5.5	Medium High grade	785

6. If the students plagiarized sections of their final assignments/reports, the assignment/reports will be scored as "0" (zero).
7. Graduate students commencing their studies as of September 2016 should complete the self-learning online course on the website of "Center for Taiwan Academic Research Ethics Education" (<https://ethics.nctu.edu.tw/>) and obtain a certificate of attendance through passing the final exam during the first semester in order to apply for their final oral examination.