

Doctor of Philosophy Research Codes

Requirement to register courses for all students

Item 8(1) of Postgraduate Academic Guidelines states that:

- a) A student must register his/her courses **every semester** within the specified dates determined by the University. Those who fail to register without acceptable reasons will be **terminated**.

- b) Students who do not register for any courses must apply for the deferment of the study and the deferment is considered as a period of study (refer to Item 21: Deferment, Suspension and Termination).

Other important Notes:

- Students are compulsory to register the research course code for each semester except **after thesis submission**.

- Students are compulsory to passed Research Methodology Course before doing their First Assessment.

- All doctoral research programmes have at least one university compulsory course with course U###. Please refer to School's Registration Kit website for further details of the course.

Duration of Studies

LEVEL OF STUDY	MINIMUM SEMESTER	MAXIMUM SEMESTER
Postgraduate Certificate	1 (6 months)	2 (1 year)
Postgraduate Diploma	2 (1 year)	4 (2 years)
Master Degree	2 (1 year)	8 (4 years)
Doctoral Degree	6 (3 years)	16 (8 years)

Research Code

Research codes for Doctor of Philosophy programmes for respective semester are stated as follows:

YEAR	FULL TIME	
	CUMULATIVE SEMESTER	COURSE CODE
1	1	P### 1100
	2	P### 1200
2	3	P### 2100
	4	P### 2200
3	5	P### 3100
	6	P### 3200
4	7	P### 4100
	8	P### 4200
	9	P### 5100
	10	P### 5200
	11	P### 6100
	12	P### 6200
	13	P### 7100
	14	P### 7200
	15	P### 8100
	16	P### 8200

Definition of label in the course code

- The '#' item in the course code P### refers to programme code.
- For example, the programme code for Doctor of Philosophy in Chemical engineering is **PKKK**, then the course codes for this programme are PKKK 1100, PKKK 1200, PKKK 2100, PK2200, etc.
- For course code P### **1****2**00
1 is the year and **2** is the semester of the academic session.

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Programme codes are available at School Registration Kit website.