

Regulations for Direct Pursuit of a Ph.D. Degree by Master's Students of the School of Forestry and Resource Conservation, National Taiwan University

Article 1

These regulations are established by the “National Taiwan University Regulations Governing Direct-Entry Doctoral Degree Programs.”

Article 2

Applicants must meet the following qualifications:

1. Academic performance ranking within the top one-third of their class, or other exceptional circumstances as evaluated by the Department Chair to demonstrate outstanding academic performance and potential for doctoral studies.
2. Fulfillment of the “Foreign Language Proficiency Requirements for Master's Program Students, School of Forest Environmental and Resources, National Taiwan University.”

Article 3

Applicants must submit the following documents:

1. Bachelor's (or Associate's) degree certificate.
2. Official academic transcripts from undergraduate (or associate) and master's programs.
3. Research proposal signed by the intended advisor.
4. Two letters of recommendation from faculty members of assistant professor rank or above.
5. Published works or other relevant supporting materials.

Article 4

The admissions committee shall consist of 5 to 9 members appointed by the Department Chair. Faculty intending to serve as the applicant's advisor must recuse themselves. The Department Chair serves as an ex officio member and the committee convener.

Article 5

The admissions committee will determine the list of admitted candidates based on the document review and oral examination results. The document review accounts for 50% of the total score, and the oral examination accounts for the remaining 50%.

Article 6

These regulations shall take effect upon approval by the Departmental Affairs Meeting.