

Department of Civil Engineering
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Regulations of PhD Qualifying Written Examination
International Graduate Program in Civil Engineering

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1. PhD students must, with the approval of their advisor, select three courses as their qualifying subjects before the end of the first semester after enrollment. (If qualifying subjects change needed, PhD students must get approval from their advisor and department chairman then proceed the application.)
2. PhD students are considered to pass the qualifying subjects if their grades are 80 (or above) or in the first 50th percentile of the students who pass the subjects (if less than five students registered the course, the course instructor shall provide recommendations for the student's overall performance. The committee of International Graduate Program will then conclude whether the student shall pass that subject area of the qualifying examination upon the recommendations of the course instructor).
3. Students who get direct admission into doctoral program, with the approval of their advisor, may be exempt from one qualifying subject which they completed in their master program, receiving a score of 80 (or above) or in the first 50th percentile of those who passed the course.