

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

(N/0417 /8/0001) (MQA/PA 15624)

About this programme

The Industry related PhD offers an alternative path for industry professionals who wish to pursue a PhD without leaving their current position. The purpose of this program is to facilitate the exchange of information between academics and industry professionals in order to develop highly qualified professionals. In return, the university has access to new knowledge and innovation provided by private companies.

DURATION OF STUDY

Full Time : 2 Years (Minimum) 6 Years (Maximum)
Part Time: 3 Years (Minimum) 8 Years (Maximum)

MODE OF STUDY

Full Research

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- A Master's degree (Level 7, MQF) in related fields as accepted by the HEP Senate; OR
- A Master's degree (Level 7, MQF) in nonrelated fields as accepted by the HEP Senate, subject to having relevant working experience**** and rigorous internal assessment****; OR
- A Master's degree (Level 7, MQF) in nonrelated fields as accepted by the HEP Senate and without relevant working experience, subject to passing prerequisite courses*****; OR
- Other qualifications equivalent to a Master's degree (Level 7, MQF) recognised by the Malaysian Government

ENGLISH COMPETENCY REQUIREMENT (INTERNATIONAL STUDENT)

- Achieve a minimum of Band 4 in MUET OR equivalent to CEFR (Mid B2)

Admission criteria through APEL.A:-

- At least 35 years of age in the year of application.
- Possess at least a Bachelor's degree or equivalent qualifications (or those with higher qualifications, e.g., Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma).
- Possess at least 5 years of relevant work experience after completion of the Bachelor's degree programme.
- Pass the APEL.A assessment for Doctorate level.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

No.	Program Structure	Duration Months	Proportion of the Study
1	Topic Analysis Report	9 months	25%
2	Research Proposal	9 months	25%
3	Thesis	18 months	50%

No.	Specialisation	Generalisation
1	Logistics, Customer Relations and Communications	Client Needs
2	Intellectual Development	Company Knowledge
3	Disaster Management	Conflict Management
4	International Labour Relations	Managing Diverse Workforce
5	Dynamic Capability	Training and Development
6	Operational Management, Product Reliability	Quality Assurance
7	Rehabilitation at work place	Industrial Relations
8	Industry and Community, Corporate Sustainability	Corporate Social Responsibility and Business
9	Organization Communications, Job Satisfaction, Employee Well Being	Organizations at Work

WHY CHOOSE DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY PROGRAMME?

- Research is conducted at the industry and candidates do not have to leave their work place.
- Joint supervision by experts from the Industry and the University.
- The company benefits from access to new/innovative and valuable knowledge acquired by the student/ researcher during his or her studies at the University.

