

Phases of PhD Program at WUD

PHASE – 1 | SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

PHASE – 2 | ACCEPTANCE BY WORLD UNIVERSITY OF DESIGN

After acceptance of the form, the admission process will be as follows

- Stage 1 - Written test – (*Basic understanding of research*)
- Stage 2 - Interview – (*Power point presentation*)

**The 2nd stage of the admission process will be offered to those candidates who clear the stage 1 with merit.*

PHASE – 3 | SELECTION FOR DOCTORAL PROGRAM

Once you are selected for the PhD Program at World University of Design, you would need to deposit a fee of 25000/- towards registration and commencement of your course.

PHASE – 4 | COURSE WORK – Full time/Part time

- Once the candidate selected, he/she will get detailed course work schedule on registered email.
- Course work is mandatory for all the selected candidates for PhD program.
- All candidates admitted to the Ph.D. program will be required to complete the course work prescribed by the university during the initial one year.
- The course work shall consist of the following four courses:
 1. Course I: Research and Publication Ethics
 2. Course II: Research Methodology
 3. Course III: Literature Review

- Minimum 75% Aggregate attendance is mandatory in the course work.
- The evaluation parameters will be similar to that of regular programmes of the university.

PHASE – 5 | FINALIZATION OF RESEARCH PROPOSAL AND APPROVAL

This commences immediately after a candidate successfully completes the course work (i.e., Phase 4). Research guide is allotted and formation of Doctoral Research Committee (till tenure of your PhD research work) of the following process is followed for smooth research work:

- Extensive review of literature under guidance of the research supervisor
 - Selection of a topic and alternative topic
 - Preparation of research proposal
 - Presentation research proposal to the Doctoral Research Committee (DRC)
 - Approval of proposal and commencement of research
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PHASE – 6 | PROGRESS REVIEW SEMINARS

All researcher scholars must submit the research progress report every semester to the Research Advisory Committee.

PHASE - 7 || PRE-SYNOPSIS REPORT & SEMINAR

The supervisor, on assessment that the research work done by the research scholar is sufficiently completed in term of plan, quality and quantity for submission as a PhD thesis.

PHASE – 9

PHASE 9(A) | SYNOPSIS & FINAL THESIS SUBMISSION: On acceptance of pre synopsis report the research scholar shall submit the PhD synopsis and PhD thesis within 4 months from the pre synopsis assessment report.

PHASE 9(C) | THESIS EVALUATION

PHASE 9(C) | PHD DEFENCE VIVA VOCE

PHASE 9(D) | AWARD OF DEGREE