

JKUAT

**BOARD OF POST GRADUATE
STUDIES**

- COMMON REGULATION

DURATION PGD

- PG DIPLOMA programmes extend to two and half (2.5) academic years from the date of registration.
- **Minimum Duration:** one (1) academic year from the date of registration or completion of requisite coursework and examination
- For part time candidates a minimum of two years is required.

- COMMON REGULATION

DURATION MSC /MBA

- **Minimum Duration:** two academic years from the date of registration or completion of requisite coursework and examination

- COMMON REGULATION

DURATION MSC /MBA

- **Maximum Duration:** no full time candidate shall exceed 4 or five (5) academic years for part-time except by permission of the Senate.

Approval of Research Proposal

- Duly signed minutes from the School approving the proposal and allocating supervisors.
- At least 3 (three) copies of spiral bound proposals (the number may vary depending on the number of supervisors).
- Anti-plagiarism report.
- A soft copy of the proposal burnt on a CD.
- A copy of the academic transcript (applicable to those who undertake coursework).

SUPERVISION

Identification of supervisors

- recommendation originates from the departments and forwarded to relevant SBPS committee which forward to director BPS for appointment
- Normally a minimum of two (2) for MSc and three (3) for PhD though more are allowed

Identification of supervisors

- Students to liaise with the department for identification of supervisors.
- One of the supervisors must be an subject expert from the department .

SUPERVISOR'S ROLE

- Maintain constant and effective contact with the candidate .
- Ensure the student regularly (monthly)
- Ensure submission of progress report after 3 months.
- Report through DBPS and School BPS on student issues.
- Meet the students at least once a month and logbook signed

STUDENT PROGRESS

- Student are required to submit progress reports quarterly after proposal approval.
- Progress reports form available online
- Progress reports be duly signed
- Minimum 3 for Master and 6 for pHD

SEMINARS

- Each candidate must give at least a minimum of two (2) seminar for MSc and 4 for PhD.
- Seminars must be internal (departmental or school)
- Proof of seminar presentation required

Publication

- Each candidate must publish (at least one for MSc, 2 for PhD) article in peer reviewed journals with Impact factor of at least 0.001 and.
- Student to submit a copy of the published article
- Student to get list of recommended journals from the department

Intent To Submit Thesis

- Notice be given three months before thesis submission
- Form Available online
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Intent To Submit Thesis (CHECKLIST)

- Admission (Degree program)
- Approval of proposal
- Progress reports.
- Publications,
- Seminars,
- Student Research Logbook
- Student academic transcripts.
- Thesis duration

Thesis submission

six duly signed spiral bound copies of thesis soft copy in word and PDF.

Plagiarism report ($\leq 20\%$).

Duly signed Clearance Forms.

Thesis/report submission Requirements

- declaration that the thesis/report has not been submitted elsewhere
- Declaration that the content of the report/thesis are original
- Signatures of the supervisors
- Soft copy of the report

MSC INSCRIPTION

‘in partial fulfilment of the requirements
for the degree of master ofof the
Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture
and Technology’

PhD INSCRIPTION

In partial fulfillment of the requirements of
the degree of Doctor of Philosophy
.....of the Jomo Kenyatta University
of Agriculture and Technology”.

ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTIONS

- Confirmation of the final title of the thesis
- Confirmation of incorporation of suggested corrections (signed correction matrix by supervisors and supervisor of correction)

Letter of Award

- Two (2) black bound thesis duly signed.
- A soft copy of thesis burnt on a CD.
- Certificate of corrections.
- Approval from the Vice Chancellor through Registrar (AA).

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