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Faculty Introduction

	Research Fields
Prof. HUANG Shu-Pin	Prostate Cancer, Urologic Oncology, Molecular Epidemiology, Clinical Trials, and Precision Medicine
Prof. Jeng-Hsien Yen	Clinical Immunology, Rheumatology, Translational Medicine
Prof. Shyh-Shin Chiou	Pediatrics, Hematology, Oncology, Molecular Biology, Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation, Translational Medicine
Prof. Jaw-Yuan Wang	Digestive Surgery, Colorectal Surgery, Robotic Surgery, Cancer Molecular Medicine, Nutrition Science
Prof. Mei-Ren Pan	Molecular Mechanisms of Tumor Metastasis and Drug Resistance
Prof. Yu-Peng Liu	Cancer Translational Medicine, Stem Cell Biology, Neuroscience
Prof. Chun-Hsiang Tan	Neuroscience
Prof. Hui-Ching Wang	Hematology, Oncology, Internal Medicine
Prof. Sin-Hua Moi	Bioinformatics, Machine learning, Artificial Intelligence, Disease risk modeling, Medical database
Prof. Chia-Hsin Liu	Application of Large Language Models, Multi-omics Analysis, Database Architecture, Lipidomics, Bioinformatics

◎ Qualifying Examination◎

Qualifying Examination

※ The Qualifying Examination must be completed before the fifth year of the doctoral program.

◎Upon completion of the required credits, students shall apply to their respective department, graduate institute, or degree program for qualification as a doctoral degree candidate and shall submit the following documents:

（一）One copy of the Qualifying Examination Application Form (printed from the online student system: D.1.43).

•（二）**Recommendation of Qualifying Examination Committee Members by the Dissertation Advisor**

•The dissertation advisor shall recommend a list of qualifying examination committee members, including **at least four members from the University and one member from outside the University**.

•（三）**One copy of the Recommendation Letter from the Dissertation Advisor.**

（四）One copy of the Academic Transcript.

（五）Seven copies of the Research Proposal Related to the Doctoral Dissertation (including ongoing research results).

•Detailed Guidelines and Related Forms for the Qualifying Examination:

•Please visit the "Qualifying Examination" section of the Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine website to read the detailed guidelines and download the relevant forms.
https://clinic.kmu.edu.tw/index.php/en-gb/qualifying-examination

Qualifying Examination

※ IMPORTANT NOTES ※

※ **Please be sure to confirm the availability of the Convener first.** The Convener is the **Director of the Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine**, and the oral examination date **must not be determined independently by the student**.

•After confirming the Convener's available time, please coordinate with the other committee members to determine a suitable date and time for the oral examination.

•Please also note that you must wait until the **University's official announcement and approval process is completed**. Once the application has been approved, the Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine will send an **email confirming the final list of approved examination committee members**.

Qualifying Examination

1.Contact the committee members directly to coordinate and confirm the date and time of the oral examination.

•Once the examination date and time have been confirmed, please email the information to the Graduate Institute Office at **bunny@gap.kmu.edu.tw** so that the office can send the official notification letter and research proposal to the oral examination committee members.

2. Documents to Prepare on the Day of the Oral Examination

•**Notification of Results** (printed from the online system).

•**Committee Members' Ballot Form:** Please obtain the ballot form from the Graduate Institute Office **one week before the oral examination**.

•**Receipt for Payment to the External Committee Member**

•**Written Review Comments Form**

◎ Degree examination◎

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

- **I. Credit Requirements**
- The total number of credits required for graduation is **37 credits**, including **12 credits for the doctoral dissertation**, which are counted separately. Students must complete **at least 25 academic credits**, excluding the 12 doctoral dissertation credits, in order to graduate.
- For elective credits, students must complete **at least two courses offered by departments or graduate institutes of the College of Medicine**.
- For students admitted to the doctoral program based on **equivalent educational qualifications**, the required number of credits shall be determined in accordance with the **Academic Regulations of Kaohsiung Medical University**.

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

- **II. Requirements for Applying for the Doctoral Degree Examination**
- Doctoral students must meet the following requirements to apply for the doctoral degree examination:
- The **initial draft of the dissertation** must be reviewed and approved by the dissertation advisor.
- Before graduation, students must submit **two original research articles published in academic journals**. Both articles must have been completed during the student's enrollment in the doctoral program and must constitute part of the doctoral dissertation. In addition, the articles must meet **one of the following requirements**:
- **(1)** Both articles are published (or accepted for publication, with proof of acceptance) in **SCI-indexed journals**, with the student as the **sole first author**, and the journals must have an **Impact Factor (I.F.) of 2.0 or higher**, or rank within the **top 30% (inclusive) of the relevant field**.
- **(2)** One of the two articles is published in an **SCI-indexed journal with an Impact Factor (I.F.) of 5.0 or higher**, with the student as the **sole first author**; the other article is published in **any SCI-indexed journal**, also with the student as the **sole first author**.

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

- **III. Requirements for Graduation Within Three Years**
- Students who wish to graduate **within three years**, subject to the University's regulations regarding the maximum and minimum period of study, must have **at least one article published in a journal with an Impact Factor (I.F.) of 6.0 or higher**.
- For students admitted **from the 111th academic year onward**, at least one article must be published in a journal with an **Impact Factor (I.F.) of 8.0 or higher**, with the student as the **sole first author**.

When publishing research articles, the **Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine must be listed as the first affiliation**.

(Affiliation:：Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine, College of Medicine, Kaohsiung Medical University, 100,Shih-Chuan 1st Road,Kaohsiung,80708,Taiwan.)

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

- **V. Restrictions on Research Articles**
- The original research articles submitted by doctoral students for the doctoral degree examination **must not be based primarily on secondary databases**, such as the **National Health Insurance Database** or **meta-analyses that do not involve individual-level data**.

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

•Original research articles submitted by doctoral students must meet the following requirements:

•The research must have been **completed after admission to the doctoral program** and must include **laboratory work**.

•The research must be published **under the name of Kaohsiung Medical University and the Graduate Institute in which the student is enrolled**.

•Of the **primary dissertation advisor and co-advisor**, if one serves as the **corresponding author**, the other must be listed as a **co-author**.

•The publication must be **registered on the webpage provided by the University's Office of Research and Development**. When applying for the graduation review, students must also submit **proof of registration**.

Doctoral Program Graduation Requirements

The **Impact Factor (I.F.)** of the journal in which the article is published shall be determined based on the **Journal Citation Reports (JCR)** for the year of publication or the preceding year.
When applying for the graduation review, students must also submit the **JCR ranking of the journal**.

- **Reminder:**
- **1. Research based primarily on secondary databases is not permitted for doctoral dissertations.**
- **2. For regulations related to graduation requirements, please refer to Articles 16 and 17 of the *Guidelines for Doctoral Students Applying for the Doctoral Degree Examination* in the Student Handbook of Kaohsiung Medical University.**

English Proficiency Requirements for Graduation

•Before applying for the **Doctoral Degree Examination**, doctoral students must meet the following English proficiency requirement of the Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine:

•The English proficiency requirement for doctoral students is to demonstrate **English listening, reading, speaking, and writing skills at CEFR B2 level or above**, or an equivalent level as recognized by the University.

•For detailed information regarding the applicable English proficiency tests and their corresponding CEFR levels, please refer to the **English Proficiency Test Equivalency Table (applicable to students admitted in Academic Year 2024)**.

•**Website Path:**
Office of Academic Affairs → Registration and Curriculum Section → English Proficiency Requirements for Graduation

•**Note:**
Students who have taken an English proficiency test **at least once during their enrollment at the University** but did not meet the English proficiency requirements stated above may fulfill the requirement by completing an **English continuing education course offered by the Language and Culture Center of Kaohsiung Medical University** and passing the course examination.

英檢門檻與證照維護（學生資訊系統：wac.kmu.edu.tw）

1. 登錄網址為http://wac.kmu.edu.tw/

2. D.學生資訊系統 -D.2.學務資訊- D.2.5.05.證照維護

- **Reminder:**
- **You must upload the required documents through the Student Information System (D.2.5.05).**
- **Please print the application form, attach the required photocopies, and submit them to the Graduate Institute of Clinical Medicine Office on the 4th floor of the International Research Building for review.**



填表說明如下：

① 證照(成績單)名稱(例如)：TOEFL-ITP

② 證照類別：F語言認證

③ 證書字號：（請依證書字號填寫，無則免填）

④ 起~迄有效日：（請依證書上日期填寫，無則免填）

⑤ 英檢別：等同全民英檢級數(請參考英檢級數對照表)

⑥ 請上傳證照電子檔：請務必上傳證照電子檔

電子檔上傳方式：點選 請上傳證照電子檔→
再依檔案規定格式上傳

高雄醫學大學 英語檢定相關測驗對照表(113學年度新生適用)

113.07.22 112學年度第4次教務會議通過

CEFR	培力英檢				全民英檢	外語能力測驗				劍橋國際英語認證 FCE	雅思	多益測驗				托福網路測驗					劍橋領思-職場英語測驗、劍橋領思-實用英語測驗			
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C1(含)以上	130	130	330	330	高級 聽讀說寫 通過	240	240	S-3	A	180	7	490	455	180	180	22	24	25	24	95	---			
B2	100	100	280	280	中高級 聽讀說寫 通過	195	195	S-2+	B	160	5.5	400	385	160	150	17	18	20	17	72	160			
B1	70	70	230	230	中級 聽讀說寫 通過	150	150	S-2	C	140	4	275	275	120	120	9	4	16	13	42	140			
A2	40	40	150	150	初級 聽讀說寫 通過	105	105	S-1+	D	—	—	110	115	90	70	—	—	10	7	—	120			
A1	30	30	120	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	60	50	30	—	—	—	—	—	100			

** 英文畢業門檻標準依各學系、所規定辦理，本表僅供參酌。

Thanks you for your attention