

FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE, PLANNING, AND SURVEYING (AP)

PHD BY RESEARCH

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (BUILT ENVIRONMENT) – AP991
DURATION OF STUDY: 2.5 - 7 YEARS / 5 - 14 SEMESTERS
(INTAKE :MARCH & OCTOBER)

Synopsis

This program is intended to enable student to plan and manage a research project by combining critical understanding and developing research process, to produce a thesis of professional relevance with the area of study at doctoral level. Candidate will be required to attend foundation courses conducted by Institute of Graduate Studies and complete all TIE2 module organized by MASMED. Candidate will be required to present his/her research proposal in Semester 2 or 3 of their studies. Upon acceptance of the proposal, candidate may proceed to complete their research project and produce a written thesis. Candidate will be required to defend his/her thesis in an oral viva-voce examination.

The minimum duration to complete the study for full-time and part-time students is 5 semesters (2.5 years). The duration may be extended to a maximum of 7 years.

Entry Requirement

General	
i.	A Master's Degree in relevant field from UiTM or any institution of Higher Learning recognised by the Senate of UiTM;
	OR
ii.	Other qualifications equivalent to a Master's Degree in relevant field with relevant working experience in a related field.
	OR
iii.	Other requirements stipulated by the University.
	OR
iv.	Candidates without a related qualification in the field/s or working experience in the relevant field must undergo appropriate prerequisite courses determined by UiTM.
Fast-Track Entry Requirements (from Bachelor to PhD)	
i.	A first class honours of Bachelor Degree or equivalent in related field from UiTM;

OR

- ii. Achieved at least 3.67 of Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) or equivalent; from an academic programme or Technical programme and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) from any Higher Learning Institutions recognised by the Senate of UiTM;

AND

- iii. Passed an interview session;

AND

- iv. Passed a Research Proposal Presentation.
v. Other requirements stipulated by the respective faculty.

The candidate is required to submit a research proposal in a specific area of study, together with documentation as stipulated in the application form by the Institute of Graduate Studies (IGS), UiTM. If necessary, the candidate will be called for an interview session.

International

Candidates must pass an interview.

Language Requirements

International applicants are required to obtain a minimum:
(MUET/IELTS/TOEFL/CEFR/TOEIC/BULATS)

- Malaysian University English Test (MUET) Band 4; OR
- IELTS Band 5.5; OR
- TOEFL: Internet-Based Test (IBT: 46-59); Computer Based Test (CBT: 133-169); Paper Based Test (453-496); OR
- CEFR: 441 – 569; OR
- BULATS: 60 – 74.

Candidates must have strong English Language proficiency according to the requirements of the University.

Candidates who do not have TOEFL or IELTS are required to attend six (6) months of English Proficiency Class (EPC) prior to enrolment in the program. Upon completion of the EPC program, candidates need to sit for TOEFL/IELTS/MUET examination with the score stated above.

Fees Structures

Local

FEES	TOTAL RINGGIT MALAYSIA (RM)	
	Full time	Part-time
Fees for semester 1	RM 2,038	RM 1,978
Fees for semester 2-4	RM 1,965/semester	RM1,905/semester
Fees for semester 5-9	RM 1,715/semester	RM 1,655/semester
Fees for semester 10	RM 3,945	RM 3,885
TOTAL ESTIMATION FOR TUITION FEES	RM 20,453	RM 19,853

**ESTIMATED FEES *Subject to change*

**Fees for Convocation RM230 will be charged in the final semester*

International

FEES	TOTAL RINGGIT MALAYSIA (RM)
Fees for semester 1	RM 6,065
Fees for semester 2-4	RM 5,855/semester
Fees for semester 5-9	RM 5,605/semester
Fees for semester 10	RM 9,835
TOTAL ESTIMATION FOR TUITION FEES	RM 61,490