

Regarding Withdrawal from the Doctoral Program after Completion of Course Requirements

Ph.D. student is approved as “Withdrawal from the Doctoral Program after the completion of course requirements” upon satisfaction of all the conditions below.

1. Have enrolled in the Doctoral Program for more than 3 years in total and have earned credits of Independent Research for Doctor in Media Design more than (4 credits) x (the number of years enrolled in the Ph.D. Program).
2. Have passed the preliminary oral examination judged by a research committee and have approved by faculty general meeting.

Remarks: Since temporary leave of absence is equivalent to discontinue of research guidance, research guidance will not be conducted during the period when a Ph.D. student is on temporary leave of absence from the 4th year of enrollment on. To be precise, it is not allowed for the student to present a research paper, to get research guidance on proposal of a research paper, to give preliminary oral presentation, or to submit doctoral dissertation during the period.