Natural Resources Institute

Ph.D. in Natural Resources & Environmental Management

Program Outline

Program Requirements

Completion of NRI 7310 Ph.D. Thesis Research Seminar
Minimum of 12 credit hours of 7000 level or higher of coursework
Ph.D. Thesis successfully defended

Stages of Completion

Coursework
Formation of Advisory Committee
done no later than the end of the first year of program
Completion of coursework

Development and Approval of Thesis Proposal
Obtain ethics approval, if required
Candidacy Examination
Held within first 2 years of full-time registration and no later than one year prior to expected graduation

Conduct field/laboratory research
completed within first 3 years of full-time registration
Development of the First Draft of the Thesis
Presentation of the First Draft and approval by Advisor/Advisory Committee

Preparation of Final Thesis
Thesis Title & Formation of Examining Committee
Submission of Thesis to Faculty of Graduate Studies
who distributes to examining committee

Date is set for Oral Examination
scheduled by the Faculty of Graduate Studies
Oral Examination and public defence of Thesis
Revisions and final approval by Advisor and/or Committee
Submission of Thesis to Faculty of Graduate Studies

NOTE: This chart reflects the normal program outline, individual programs may vary.