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PRE-REQUISITES
Status of Registration:
University’s General Elective: Subject Code: Date taken: 
Subject Code: Date taken: 
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Notice to Submit Thesis received:
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THESIS ARRANGEMENT
1. Blank Paper
2. Status of Thesis
3. Supervisor’s Declaration
4. Declaration on Cooperation
5. Title Page
6. Declaration of originality and exclusiveness
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BINDING AND FORMAT OF THESIS
1. Page Numbering
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6. Temporary Bind
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8. Colour of the Front Cover

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Other Comments:

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Dear Student,

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Congratulations! Finally you have come to the end of your research and thesis preparation. In order to facilitate your thesis submission for the purpose of examination, we would like to remind you again that the University requires a high standard pertaining to the format and quality of the thesis presentation as explained in detail in UTM Thesis Manual (download at www.sps.utm.my) and Regulations on the Submission of Thesis and Dissertation.

We believe that you have referred to those documents in your preparation. Nevertheless, to ensure that the thesis is up to the required standard, you are required to run through the checklist overleaf. Thesis that does not comply to the required standard and format will be rejected.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation. I wish you all the best. Good luck.

Yours sincerely,

Dean
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i. **Period of study**: For a doctoral degree programme, the minimum study duration is six (6) registered semesters or three (3) registered years before the student is allowed to submit his/her thesis for examination. A student who has successfully published two (2) papers in international journals may be allowed to submit his/her thesis after he/she has completed a duration of two (2) years. See Item 6 (2) Graduate Studies Rules and regulation.

ii. **University General Elective Subject**: A subject of at least 2 credits that is offered by the University and must be taken by the student as required by the curriculum of study. See Item 2 Graduate Studies Rules and regulation.


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