

PhD from Master's (full-time)

Funding	R A						
	T A	4 units	4 units	4 units	4 units		
		Terms 1 - 3	Terms 4 - 6	Terms 7 - 9	Terms 10 - 12	Terms 13 - 15	Terms 16 +
Academic Requirements		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •4 courses •select general area of research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •work on thesis research •complete Comp 1 requirement •present publicly presented seminar (1 of 3) •prepare and complete Comp 2 requirement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •work on thesis research •present publicly posted seminar (2 of 3) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Work on thesis research •present publicly posted seminar (3 of 3) •write thesis •Complete thesis, send draft to committee and defend 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Complete thesis and defend •Submit department level Petition for Extension to be approved by the Graduate Director 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Complete thesis and defend •Submit Faculty level Petition for Extension and Advisory Committee Report to be approved by thesis committee, Graduate Director and Associate Dean*

Program Requirements

- Any required remedial courses
- 4 grad courses
 - at least 3 courses above 600-level
 - at least 1 course in the 800 series
 - Students are permitted to take a limited number of non-CS courses which can count towards their degree requirements. The number of CS courses required in the PhD from Master's program is 3 out of 4 courses. An exception to this policy may apply in some cases but must have the approval of the CS Graduate Director.
- Comprehensive-I completed by the end of term 4
- Comprehensive-II completed by the end of term 6
- 3 publicly announced seminars
- Thesis

Exit Requirements

- Intention to Graduate form to CS Grad Office by April 1 or August 1
- Approval of PhD Defense Committee submitted 7 weeks before oral defense
- Thesis on display at least 6 weeks before oral defense
- Defend thesis in a publicly announced thesis defense
- PhD thesis examination report and acceptance certificate
- Thesis deposited (bound thesis for your supervisor will be produced by Grad Office. Please check with supervisor as to whether he/she would like a bound copy.)

*PhD from Master's students who have been part-time for the duration of their program are not required to submit a department level extension until term 19. Faculty level approval required for terms 22+.