MASTER OF USULUDDIN - RESEARCH MODE

INTRODUCTION

The programmes offer a study related to the principles of Usuluddin in multidisciplinary areas including Aqidah and Islamic Thought, al-Quran and al-Hadith, Dakwah and Human Development, History and Islamic Civilization. The programmes uniquely represent an integration between Islamic and contemporary knowledge. Students may also choose to undertake research in the one of the following areas of specialization:

- Al-Quran and Al-Hadith
- Aqidah and Islamic Thought
- Da'wah and Human Development
- Islamic History and Civilization

BENEFITS

The dynamic and fast paced developing world calls for the need of more and more Islamic scholars. Needless to say, this programme is UM's in response to that particular need. All-encompassing and in-depth, the programme offers a detailed look on the Islamic principles and thinking in order to produce analytical graduates who will undoubtedly heed the call for their religion and their nation. The objectives of this programme are; to produce scholars in Quran and Hadith who have outstanding credibility and expertise in these disciplines, to raise intellectuals who hold fast to the Quranic teachings and Prophetic traditions and set free from blind imitation of dogmatic practices that have invalid evidence, to contribute quality publications and research works that can give benefits to the Muslim ummah and nation at large, to produce graduates who embrace Islamic aqidah and possess integrated knowledge in order to meet the needs of contemporary society, to produce high quality researches and publications on 'aqidah and Islamic thought as contributions at national and international levels, to promote intellectual networking and to provide consultation and to produce student who possess da'wah and human development knowledge in meeting the needs of today's society, to bring forth students who have knowledge and skills in developing da'wah programmes,to support students with the ability in providing appropriate services through various da'wah activities,to develop students' character, behavior, self-esteem, ethics, moral and spiritual values so that they can be accountable for their work and knowledge, to produce graduates who are competent in knowledge and sources of Islamic History and Civilization as well as able to analyze an relate it to contemporary issues, to produce excellent graduate who are equipped with skill od leadership integration efficient in their career and socialiazible within community and to produce graduate who are able to apply long life learning thru conducting researches especially in field of Islamic History and Civilization.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

- Author
- Educator
- Lecturer
- Philosopher
- Researcher
- Scholar
- Teacher
- Motivator
- Archeologist
- Management

DURATION OF STUDY

Minimum   : 2 semesters
Maximum   : 8 semesters

ENTRY REQUIREMENT

A good bachelor's degree in Usuluddin with a minimum CGPA of 3.0 or second class honours from recognized universities. Bachelors in general Islamic Studies or other certificates with Islamic majors can be considered as equivalent to Usuluddin bachelor's degree, or other qualifications approved by the Senate University.
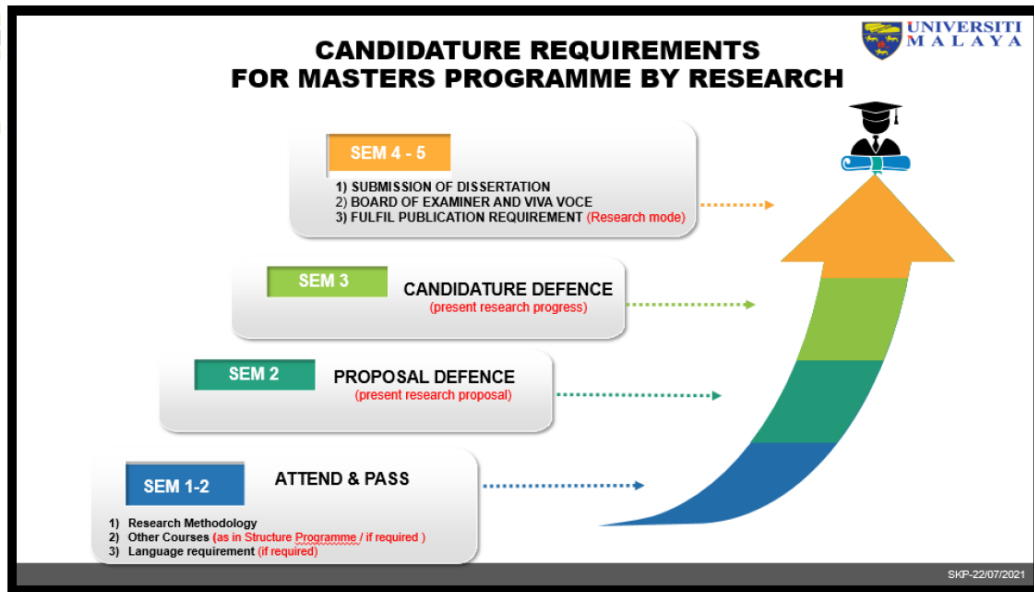
COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates are required to attend and pass the Research Methodology course within the first two semesters of candidature and all the graduation requirements before being conferred the Degree.

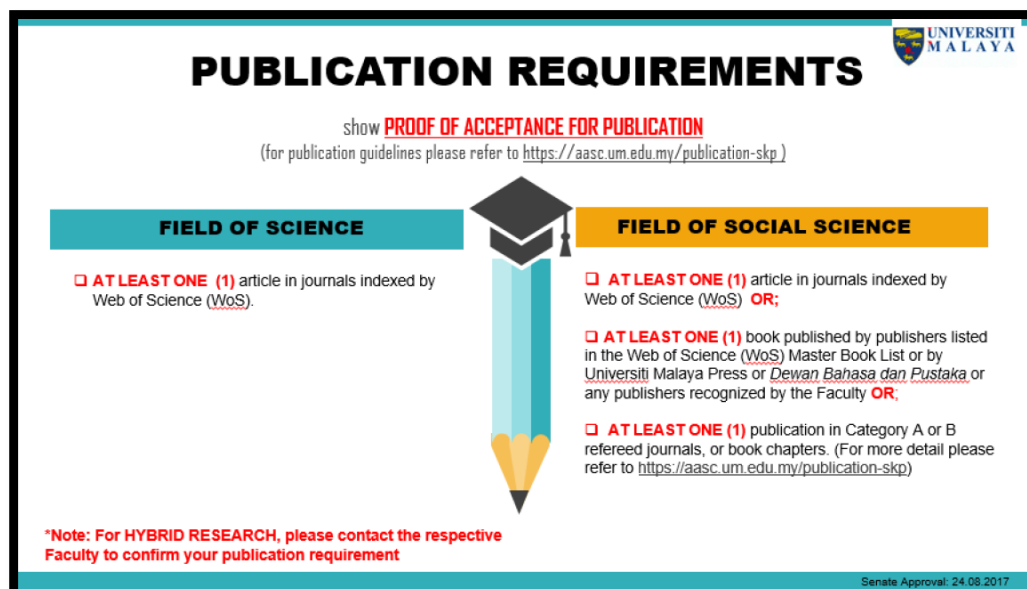| Course Code	Courses	Conducted by	Notes
IMX7001	Research Methodology**	Academy of Islamic Studies	-
IMB7002	Dissertation	Academy of Islamic Studies	Must be registered every semester until thesis is submitted
-	Additional Courses	Academy of Islamic Studies / other faculty	If only stated in the offer letter
TXGZ6102	Basic of Malaysia Language**	Faculty of Language and Linguistic	For international candidates only
-	IELTS/TOEFL**	Can be registered outside from the university	For international candidates who are writing their thesis in Arabic/Malay language only

Notes: **exemption for these courses can be applied to the faculty if the candidates already take/pass in the previous university (with proof)

FULFILLMENT OF GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Candidature Milestone provided below is to assist the students in planning their academic progression throughout the study programme. It is also to enhance the students' understanding of the expectations of the university on their academic journey. The students are advised to regularly consult their appointed academic supervisor(s) and/or the office of the Deputy Dean for Postgraduate Studies for further assistance.

All research mode students are expected to publish in the respective journals (based on their field of study) to complete their study programme. A summary of the required publication is shown below.

ROUTE / RESEARCH FIELD

Route / Research Field can be search through the link: https://apium.um.edu.my/research-field

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

English Language Requirements for International Candidates

(1) International Candidates Writing the Thesis/Dissertation in English – Admission Requirements.

Applicants are required to submit an IELTS (Academic) qualification of at least band 5.5 or an TOEFL minimum score of 550 before registration.

(2) International Candidates Who Write the Thesis/Dissertation in Bahasa Malaysia/Arabic Language (Other than English) – Graduation Requirements.

Applicants are required to submit an IELTS (Academic) qualification of at least band 4.0 or a minimum TOEFL score of 400 before the degree conferment.

Malay Language Requirements

The basic qualification requirements for Malay Language Competency are as follows:

1. Non-citizen applicants are required to meet the Bahasa Malaysia requirements before the degree conferment.

2. Non-citizen applicants who have attended a Public Higher Education Institution (IPTA) in Malaysia and plan to continue their studies to a higher level are exempt from condition (1).

INTAKE SCHEDULE

Application and admission are open throughout the year.

POTENTIAL SUPERVISORS

Applicants can appoint potential supervisors as early as the application for admission to the Universiti Malaya, together with the research proposal paper. Field experts can be referred through the link: https://apium.um.edu.my/department

BROCHURES

https://study.um.edu.my/download-brochures

FEES

Fee Structure can be search through the link:

a) Overall Programm Fee : https://study.um.edu.my/programmes.php
b) Semester Fee : https://apium.um.edu.my/fees-structure

Summary of the Fee Structure as stated below:

	LOCAL	INTERNATIONAL
Application Fee	RM50.00	RM300.00
Admission Fee	RM700.00	RM1,000.00
Tuition Fee	RM15,900.00	RM29,200.00

Important Notes: The fee stated does not include specific fee for modules. It also depends on how many modules have been registered.

HOW TO APPLY

https://study.um.edu.my/how-to-apply-master-rsquo-s-degree

CONTACT US

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