

HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT

Doctor of Philosophy

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Shape the future of healthcare

The Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Healthcare Management offers a transformative journey for exceptional students who aspire to be industry shapers. Through cutting-edge applied research, IMU will equip you to lead in healthcare management, consultancy and policy development, opening up a world of opportunities. This programme is your passport to undertaking a substantial passion project of your choice. It will instil in you the research skills required for high-level contributions. Moreover, you'll be connected to a vibrant community and the chance to present your insights to fellow researchers and global audiences. Come make your mark in the ever-evolving landscape of healthcare.

Degree / Duration

Doctor of Philosophy in
Healthcare Management
3 years (Full-time)
4 years (Part-time)

Commencement

Throughout the year

◆ Assessment

This programme is based wholly on individual supervised research. Candidates of this programme are assessed in two parts. The first is the thesis which is an original body of work representing the methods and results of the research project. The second is an oral defense (viva voce). The thesis must be submitted at the end of the study period. Upon successful defence of the thesis, the candidate will be granted the PhD.

◆ English Language Requirements

For International Students (only one required)

1. IELTS : Band score 6.0; or
2. TOEFL (PBT) : Overall score of 410 – 413; or
3. TOEFL (iBT): Overall score of 34; or
4. Cambridge English : Advanced (CAE) : Overall score of 160; or
5. Cambridge English : Proficiency (CPE) : Overall score of 180; or
6. Pearson Test of English (PTE) : Overall score of 36;

The following categories of students are exempted from the above requirements:

1. International students from countries in which English is the first language.
2. International students who graduated from any Malaysian or other institutions where the curriculum is delivered in English.

Entry Requirements

- Master's Degree in relevant field that accepted by the University's Senate; OR
- Other qualifications equivalent to a Master's degree accepted by the University's Senate; OR
- First Class Honour Degree in a relevant field that is accepted by the University's Senate (direct entry).

Programme Structure

Research Modules (compulsory)

Research Methodology,
Quantitative Analysis & Qualitative Analysis

Proposal Defense/ IMUJC Approval

Presentation of PhD research proposal at IMUJC
ICL module 1 / Micro-Credential 1 (Optional)

Executive Programme (optional)

External Executive Programme / Student Mobility
/ International Conference
ICL module 2 / Micro-Credential 2

Data Collection & Thesis Preparation

Data collection, Data Analysis & Thesis writing
ICL module 3 / Micro-Credential 3 (Optional)

Viva Voce

Thesis submission
Proof of two (2) submitted papers to Scopus /
ISI indexed journal (related to the topic of the research)

Programme Fees

Fees Overview

All fees quoted are in Ringgit Malaysia unless stated otherwise.

Fee	Amount (RM)	
	Malaysian Student	International Student
Application Fee	150	500
Registration Fee	1,100	3,400
Refundable Caution Deposit	2,000	2,000
Student Association Fee per Semester	40	40

- All IMU Alumni who are self-funding their postgraduate studies and meet the eligibility criteria will be eligible for a bursary of 15%.
- Application fee is payable upon submission of application.
- Registration fee and refundable caution deposit is payable upon acceptance of the offer letter issued by the IMU Admissions Office.
- Student must adhere to the "Policy on Payment of Fees".
- For information on Student Visa Application fee, please refer to Visa and Immigration on the IMU website, www.imu.edu.my
- Fee payable per semester are subject to the number of credits registered.

Tuition Fees

		Malaysian Student (RM)		International Student (RM)	
		Fee Per Semester	Total Fee Per Year	Fee Per Semester	Total Fee Per Year
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	Tuition Fee	7,200	14,400	14,050	28,100

- VIVA fee for this programme is RM2,500 for Malaysians and RM2,600 for international students. This is a one-time fee payable at the end of the programme.

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