

National Tsing Hua University Regulations for the Embargo of Thesis/Dissertation

- Article 1 National Tsing Hua University (hereinafter referred to as “the University”) establishes these Regulations for handling the embargo of master's and doctoral theses/dissertations (hereinafter referred to as “thesis/dissertation”) in accordance with Article 14 of the National Tsing Hua University’s Master’s Degree Examination Measures and Article 14 of the National Tsing Hua University Doctoral Degree Exam Statutes.
- Article 2 Graduates who have passed the thesis/dissertation examination and review (hereinafter referred to as the “author”), and whose thesis/dissertation involves confidential information, patent matters, or is not permitted to be provided on statutory grounds, must submit an Application for Embargo of Thesis/Dissertation (hereinafter referred to as the “Embargo Application”) along with supporting documents for review. The thesis/dissertation may only be embargoed upon approval by the designated reviewing authority.
- Article 3 The duration of the embargo shall be set within a reasonable time frame, in principle not exceeding five years. If a confidentiality agreement is involved, the embargo period must extend beyond the confidentiality term. Upon expiration of the approved embargo period, if a further extension is needed, the author must reapply in accordance with Article 2 before the embargo expires and obtain renewed approval from the University’s designated review authority.
- Article 4 These regulations shall be enforced upon approval of the Faculty Meeting and subsequent confirmation by the Administrative Committee Meeting.