

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA

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5 April 2020

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PEKELILING AKADEMIK BIL. 3/2020

JABATAN TIMBALAN NAIB CANSOLOR (AKADEMIK & ANTARABANGSA)

**PENAMBAHAN SATU SEMESTER TANGGUH PENGAJIAN BAGI PELAJAR DOKTOR FALSAFAH,
SARJANA PENYELIDIKAN YANG BERADA PADA SEMESTER MAKSIMUM SERTA PELAJAR
BERSTATUS PEPERIKSAAN BERIKUTAN PANDEMIK COVID-19**

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) melalui Mesyuarat Senat Bil. 7 2019 /2020 pada 25 Mac 2020 telah meluluskan penambahan satu (1) semester tangguh pengajian yang tidak dikira bagi pelajar Sarjana Penyelidikan dan Doktor Falsafah (Penyelidikan dan Mod Campuran) yang berada pada semester maksimum pengajian serta status 'Peperiksaan' pada Semester II, Sesi 2019/2020 akibat dari pandemic COVID-19.

2. Pelajar Doktor Falsafah yang berada pada semester 16/16, pelajar Sarjana Penyelidikan yang berada pada semester 8/8 dan pelajar yang berstatus 'Peperiksaan' pada Semester II, Sesi 2019/2020 akan diberikan penangguhan secara automatik berikutan kesulitan yang dihadapi akibat dari pandemic COVID-19. Dengan penambahan satu (1) semester khas ini, pelajar perlu menghantar tesis dan pembetulan tesis dalam tempoh Semester I, Sesi 2020/2021.

3. Walau bagaimanapun, pihak Sekolah Pengajian Siswazah tiada halangan sekiranya pelajar ingin menghantar tesis pada semester semasa setelah memenuhi semua syarat penghantaran tesis yang telah ditetapkan.

4. Pertambahan semester ini adalah tanda keprihatinan pihak Universiti terhadap pelajar yang menghadapi kesulitan dalam menjalankan aktiviti penyelidikan disebabkan pandemic ini.

Sekian, terima kasih.

"BERKHIDMAT UNTUK NEGARA KERANA ALLAH"

Saya yang menjalankan amanah,



(PROF. DATUK. IR. DR. WAHID BIN OMAR)

Naib Canselor

- s.k.
- Timbalan Naib Canselor (Pembangunan)
 - Timbalan Naib Canselor (Penyelidikan dan Inovasi)
 - Timbalan Naib Canselor (Akademik dan Antarabangsa)
 - Timbalan Naib Canselor (Hal Ehwal Pelajar)
 - Pendaftar
 - Pro-Naib Canselor (Kampus UTM Kuala Lumpur)
 - Pengarah Pusat Penyelidikan UTM Pagoh
 - Pegawai-pegawai Kanan/Dekan/Pengarah

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ACADEMIC CIRCULAR NO.3/2020

DEPARTMENT OF DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR (ACADEMIC AND INTERNATIONAL)

***ADDITIONAL ONE SEMESTER DEFERMENT FOR FINAL-SEMESTER STUDENTS OF PHD,
MASTER BY RESEARCH AND STUDENTS WITH EXAMINATION STATUS DUE TO COVID-19
PANDEMIC***

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM) through Senate meeting no. 7 2019/2020 on 25 March 2020, has approved an additional one (1) semester deferment for final-semester students of Phd (research and mixed method), master by research and students with 'examination' status in Semester II Session 2019/2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic

- 2. PhD and Master by Research students who are in their final semester (16/16 and 8/8, respectively) in Semester II Session 2019/2020 will be granted this automatic deferment status due to the difficulties caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. With the addition of this one semester, the deadline for students to submit their thesis and thesis correction will be the last working day of Semester 1 2020/2021.*
- 3. However, the School of Graduate Studies has no objections if students wish to submit their thesis in the current semester after meeting all the thesis submission requirements.*
- 4. This additional semester signifies the university's concern for students who face difficulties conducting their research activities during this pandemic.*

Thank you.

I, who uphold trust,



(PROF. DATUK. IR. DR. WAHID BIN OMAR)

Vice Chancellor

- c.c.
- Deputy Vice Chancellor (Development)
 - Deputy Vice Chancellor (Research and Innovation)
 - Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academic and International)
 - Deputy Vice Chancellor (Student's Affairs)
 - Registrar
 - Pro-Vice Chancellor (UTM Kuala Lumpur)
 - Director Research Centre - UTM Pagoh
 - Senior Officers/ Deans / Directors

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