How to Defend The Master's Thesis?

Process Steps

Document to be Used

Step 1: Students who complete the courses in their curriculum and have a GPA of at least 3 out of 4 submit the Thesis Defense Application Form filled with the thesis supervisor to the Department Secretary.

- Thesis Defense Application Form

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Step 2: The thesis supervisor prepares the similarity report for the thesis that is defendable and complies with the writing guide and submits a copy to keep in the the Graduate School, and share it with the jury members through the Head of Department.

- Similarity program report
- Written opinion of the thesis advisor
- Five copies of thesis for jury members

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Step 3: The Head of Department sends the document to the Graduate School Administrative Board for discussion.

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Step 4: The Graduate School Administrative Board makes its decision after discussion.

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Step 5: Jury members meet within one month from the date they receive the thesis for the thesis exam. The thesis exam consists of the question and answers part following the presentation.

Successful

Revision

Unccessful

Step 6:Thesis Defense Report is sent to the School of Graduate Studies by the Department Secretary. Step 6: After making the necessary corrections, the student defends the thesis again in front of the same jury within three months by carrying out the above steps. The student who fails in this defense also is dismissed from the University.

If this defense is successful:

If this defense is unsuccessful;

Step 6: The student whose thesis is rejected is awarded a master's degree without a thesis upon request, provided that the requirements of the non-thesis master's program, course credit load, project writing, and similar requirements are met. An additional semester is given to the student to meet the required conditions.

Note: During the thesis study, the student makes a presentation about the graduate studies at the Social, Humanities, and Management Graduate Studies Conference organized by the University or in a scientific meeting organized within or outside the University, or published an article in a refereed journal or accepted for publication, with the approval of the thesis supervisor. Proof of document submitted to the School of Graduate Studies by the student through the Department Secretary.