

## CITY GRADUATE SCHOOL

# DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN EDUCATION

# City U - City Graduate School

Higher education ensures adults are able to excel in their field of expertise. By preparing them to meet all expectations of the real world environment, we are focused on producing the future leaders and professionals. At City University, we firmly believe in a holistic approach to adopting and developing dynamic professionals. Ever since 1984, we have produced over 35,000 graduates, who are now in various reputable organizations worldwide. Our years of experience, make us one of the oldest private education providers in Malaysia, qualify us as a provider of top-quality yet affordable tertiary studies.

**Quality, Tradition and Recognition**, these three elements are majorly embedded strongly in all possible areas in City University, which also includes management, programme design, and even student activities. Our main motive is to be the leader of postgraduate studies in Malaysia; by providing enough trust and enhanced guidance on all postgraduate programmes. We are committed to provide a positive and an empowering environment to support postgraduates in achieving their objectives in academic and research by providing expert practitioners in the respective field.

## CityU in numbers



38 YEARS  
OF EXCELLENCE



2 CAMPUSES



8 FACULTIES



>70 PROGRAMMES



> 5,500 STUDENTS



35,000 GRADUATES



60 NATIONALITIES



98% OF STUDENTS  
HIRED BY LOCAL &  
INTERNATIONAL  
COMPANIES

**CITY**  
**UNIVERSITY**

# Doctor of Philosophy in Education

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This program is designed for practitioners pursuing educational leadership roles. Our Doctor of Philosophy in Education is designed to prepare graduates for research and teaching roles, focusing on the field of education.

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## Duration of Study

Full Time: 3-5 Years ; Part Time: 4-6 years

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## Credit Hours

By Research

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## Career Prospect

- College president
- Chief Learning Officer
- School Superintendent
- Elementary, Middle and High School Principal
- Academic Dean
- Professor
- Executive Director of Education

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## Subjects Offered

- Research Methods 1: Qualitative
- Research Methods 2: Quantitative
- Idea Paper
- Preliminary Literature Review
- Preliminary Draft Proposal
- Proposal Defense (VIVA-VOCE)
- Draft Proposal
- Finalize Research Proposal
- Data Collection
- Data Analysis
- Prepare Final Draft Thesis for Examination
- Thesis Defense (VIVA-VOCE)
- Amended Final Thesis / Thesis Accepted

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## Entry Requirements

- A Master's Degree, as accepted by the Senate; OR
- Other qualifications equivalent to a Master's Degree, as accepted by the Senate
- For international students, IELTS & TOEFL equivalent is required

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