

Naresuan University Announcement

Re: Research Ethics Training for Graduate Students

Taking Master's Degree Program – Plan A and Doctoral Degree Program – Type 1 and Type 2

Graduate students are expected to recognize the importance of conducting research and must comply with the appropriate ethical standards and academic principles that conform with the Professional Research Ethics and Guidelines set by the National Research Council of Thailand, which could lead to the development of the quality of Naresuan University's research to be at par with international standards. Therefore, by virtue of Section 20 of the Naresuan University Act of B.E. 2533, in conjunction with Articles 3 and 4 (2) of the Naresuan University Regulations on Graduate Studies B.E. 2554 together with the Academic Council Resolution in Meeting No. 5/2554 held on the 7th of September 2011, the guidelines to manage the quality of graduate studies that requires graduate students to attend a research ethics training are set as follows:

Clause 1 This announcement is titled "Naresuan University Announcement Re: Research Ethics Training for Graduate Students Taking Master's Degree Program – Plan A and Doctoral Degree Program – Type 1 and Type 2".

Clause 2 All graduate students taking a master's degree program – Plan A and doctoral degree program Type 1 and Type 2 must attend a research ethics training to qualify to take the thesis proposal examination as prescribed by the course.

If a student is enrolled in a course that includes research ethics, the student can use the result of the course instead of attending a research ethics training by submitting a request addressed to the Dean of Naresuan University Graduate School, and it will be subject to approval by the Graduate School Board.

Clause 3 Naresuan University Graduate School shall organize the research ethics training for graduate students every semester. Graduate students may register to join the research ethics training starting from their first year of study.

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Clause 4 The President is the person in charge of implementing this announcement. If

there are problems regarding the implementation and compliance of this announcement, the

President shall have the power to resolve the issue. The President's decision is final.

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