

PhD Programme: The New Curriculum

Valid for the students who enrolled in September 2009 and later

Credits will be used from October 2010. In the meantime, they are replaced by **points**.

Subject	Credits
MANDATORY COURSES AND EXAMINATIONS	
Foreign language for Academic Purposes (except English) (Cizí jazyk – Jazykové centrum/Language Center)	6
Interpretation of Philosophical Texts (Filozofie pro doktorandy – Ústav filozofie a religionistiky/Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies)	6
Examination in the student's specialization (first version of a chapter from the dissertation)	10
Doctoral Seminar	18
1st semester: a course on general theoretical topic (specified every year)	
2nd semester: Student presentations in thematic panels	
3rd-6th semester – supervision of PhD dissertations (individual consultations with supervisors)	
Minimum number of points for mandatory courses	40
MANDATORY RESEARCH ACTIVITIES (must be specified in individual study plans)	
1. Publications	
Article published in a Charles University academic journal or proceedings (not peer-reviewed)	10
Article published in a Czech peer-reviewed academic journal	15
Article published in an international peer-reviewed academic journal	20
Article published in a Czech academic journal listed in the Current Contents database	25
Article published in an international academic journal listed in the Current Contents database	30
Review in a Czech/international journal	1/2
Chapter in a collaborative book (minimum 30 pp. of standard typescript)	30
Minimum number of points for publications	30
2. Grant Activities	
Successful grant application submitted to the University	15
Successful grant application submitted outside the University (not listed in the Czech Government research database)	20
Successful grant application submitted outside the University (listed in the Czech Government research database)	30
Unsuccessful grant application submitted to the University	5
Unsuccessful grant application submitted outside the University	10
Minimum number of points for grant activities	10
3. Conference Activities	
Active participation (paper, poster) at a conference, workshop, colloquium at the University	10
Active participation (paper, poster) at a conference, workshop, colloquium in the Czech Republic	20
Active participation (paper, poster) at a conference, workshop, colloquium abroad	30
Active participation (paper, poster) at a prestigious international conference	40
Minimum number of points for conferences	20
4. Research Visits	
The first short research visit (less than a month) abroad or at another domestic academic institution	10
The first semester-long research visit (at least 3 months)	20
The second (and further) short research visit (less than a month) abroad or at another domestic academic institution	15
The second semester-long research visit (at least 3 months)	25
Minimum number of points for research visits	10
Minimum number of points for mandatory research activities	70
OPTIONAL COURSES (max. 3; can be substituted with research activities)	
Help with Undergraduate Teaching (under the guidance of the department staff)	6
Other Activities (organizing conferences, etc.)	6
Total number of points for optional courses and other activities	30
PhD DISSERTATION	40
Total number of points	180