Graduate Institute of Networking and Multimedia

Regulations and Requirements for Master Students

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I. Advisor

1. A master student's advisor has to be a full-time dedicated faculty member of CSIE.

2. Each master student must find an advisor by the end of the first year of study.

3. From the second year on, each master student needs to submit the Letter of Consent signed by the advisor during registration.

4. Change of dissertation advisor shall base on the regulations by the GINM and NTU.

II. Course

Courses in the GINM are categorized into three categories: *multi-media technology*, *networking technology* and *systems and application*. Each category includes courses offered by our faculty or courses approved by the Committee of Curriculum. With the approval of the director, students can apply for course exemption for related courses taken in other departments.

Please refer to the course list and the course flow chart for course titles, the hierarchy of courses (Basic \rightarrow Kernel \rightarrow Advanced \rightarrow Project), and the relationship between them.

1. Required Courses

(1) Master thesis (must be taken during the last semester of study)

(2) Special project (selective for the first semester, must be taken in each semester expect the first one, need to register for at least 2 semesters.)

(3) GINM Seminar Course (need to register for at least 2 semesters). Exceptions shall acquire the approval from the Committee of Curriculum.

2. To graduate, each GINM master student has to earn at least 24 credits (excluding master thesis, special project and seminar). Among these 24 credits, at least 6 should be from the

multi-media technology, at least 6 from networking technology category, and at least 3 from the systems and application category.

3. A master student is eligible to apply for the course exemption if the equivalent courses have been taken before entering the program.

4. Deficiency courses to be taken will be determined by the institute authority during the process of registration. However, undergraduate courses are not eligible to be used for graduation credits.

III. Master thesis defense

1. Thesis defense must follow the regulations by NTU.

IV. Termination of study

From the third semester on, master students without thesis advisor for two semesters will be terminated from study.

V. Please refer to related regulations by the Ministry of Education and the NTU authority for unspecified issues.

VI. These regulations and requirements will be implemented after being adopted by the Institute Council, as will amendments when they are made.