

## Applying for & starting studies

About one month

Discussion with the supervising professor concerning the start of doctoral studies and defining possible supplementary studies

### Preparation of the application

- ➔ research plan
- ➔ preliminary study plan
- ➔ required attachments

Submission of the application

Decision on the study right

## Research work and completing studies

About 3,5 years

Research work, publishing articles, attending conferences, possible exchange period abroad, completion of doctoral studies (40 ECTS credits)

Writing of dissertation

About 4 years

## Dissertation process

About six months

Submission of the manuscript

*Dissertation Committee*

Appointment of preliminary examiners

*Dissertation Committee*

Preliminary examination

Granting permission to print the dissertation, choosing the opponent(s) and custos

*Academic Council*

Assessment of the dissertation

*Academic Council*

Public examination of the dissertation

Publishing dissertation, Press information

Custos and opponent will agree the date for public examination.

Doctoral degree

Conferment ceremony