# Master's Program in Informatics
## Degree Program in Comprehensive Human Sciences
## Graduate School of Comprehensive Human Sciences
### (For those who enrolled in or after 2023)

【Study method・Completion requirements】

| Course Area | Course group | Condition or Course names | Credits |
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| Major Courses | Lecture | At least 20 credits must be taken from lecture courses.<br>(1) At least 12 credits must be taken from major subjects of the Master's Program in Informatics<br>(2) Up to 8 credits can be accredited from Graduate General Education Courses (GGEC), Interdisciplinary Foundation Courses, Degree Programs' Common Courses, or lecture courses of other graduate schools and degree programs of the University | 20～ |
| | Seminar | At least 10 credits must be taken from seminar courses of the Master's Program in Informatics.<br>(1) At least 6 credits must be taken from Methodological Foundation Courses or Research Practice Courses<br>(2) At least 4 credits must be taken from Research Seminar Courses | 10～ |
| | | Total Required Credits | 30 |

The following are the requirements for completion of the Master's Program.
1. Acquire at least 30 credits following the table above.
Seminar courses are categorized as stated below.
・ Methodological Foundation Courses: Research Foundation in Informatics (2 credits)
             Literature Survey (2 credits)
             Survey and Data Analysis (2 credits)
・ Research Practice Courses:    Research Design (2 credits)
             Job Design (2 credits)
             Content Production and Development (2 credits)
             Records and Information Management (2 credits)
・ Research Seminar Courses:    Special Seminar in Informatics A (1 credit)
             Special Seminar in Informatics B (1 credit)
             Special Seminar in Informatics C (1 credit)
             Special Seminar in Informatics D (1 credit)

2. Acquire all Generic Competences for Master's Students and Competences Specified by the Master's Program in Informatics through taking credits or other research activities.
Competences are categorized as stated below.
・ Generic Competences for Master's Students: Knowledge application competence
             Management competence
             Communication competence
             Teamwork competence
             Internationality competence
・ Competences Specified by Master's Program
       in Informatics: Qualitative research competence
             Quantitative research competence
             Media expertise
             System expertise
             Resource expertise
             Information ethics
3. Give an interim presentation of the thesis theme following the regulations of the Master's Program in Informatics.
4. Submit a Master's thesis and pass its screening and final exam.
Note:
1. The target of the Special Seminar in Informatics A and Special Seminar in Informatics B out of seminar courses is 1st year students.
  The target of the Special Seminar in Informatics C and Special Seminar in Informatics D out of seminar courses is 2nd year students.
2. Students can enroll for external courses (courses other than the Graduate School courses) with a maximum of 10 credits per year, and up to a total of 8 credits can be counted as credits of completion requirements.
3. Students can enroll for courses of undergraduate schools of the University to acquire supplementary knowledge, but they are not counted as credits of completion requirements.
4. Graduate General Education Courses (GGEC), Interdisciplinary Foundation Courses, Degree Programs' Common Courses, and lecture courses of other graduate schools or degree programs are included in the requirements for completion. Those seeking accreditation for credits must submit the necessary application form by the designated deadline.
5. Credits acquired in the graduate school prior to admission can be accredited for the program completion requirements. Those seeking accreditation for credits must submit the necessary application form by the designated deadline.
6. The submitted thesis will be made publicly available one year after the Master's degree is granted.