

Admission to doctoral studies

The admission requirements can be found in § 7 of the doctoral degree regulations.

Documents to be submitted for admission to doctoral studies with exposé*

The application form for admission to doctoral studies must be accompanied by

- a) an outline of the applicant's professional and academic curriculum vitae and educational background, supplemented by a complete list of academic publications if applicable,
- b) proof of higher education entrance qualification,
- c) Certificates and supporting documents in accordance with Section 7 (1) of the Doctoral Degree Regulations,
- d) a detailed exposé of the planned dissertation with the supervisor's endorsement,
- e) a supervision agreement in accordance with Annex 1 of the Doctoral Degree Regulations,
- f) a declaration of any grounds for refusal in accordance with Section 7 (2) of the Doctoral Degree Regulations,
- g) if applicable, an application to carry out a binational doctorate or another joint doctoral procedure (§ 1 para. 2) with the name of the cooperation partner,
- h) a declaration that the regulations on good scientific practice at the Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg are known and will be followed,
- i) a declaration that no commercial mediation or advisory services (doctoral advice) will be or have been used in connection with the doctoral project,
- j) a declaration that the applicant has not already used major parts of a Bachelor's, Master's, Diploma or similar examination paper for the dissertation.

The certificates and evidence according to § 7 para. 1 of the doctoral degree regulations must be submitted as certified copies. All documents submitted become the property of Carl von Ossietzky University.

Separate admission regulations can be found in § 7 of the doctoral degree regulations.

The doctoral committee will inform the applicant of the acceptance or rejection of the doctoral application. At the same time, the office set up to register doctoral candidates at the University (including the Matriculation Office) will be notified. After admission, enrollment is possible online (<https://uol.de/en/registering-phd>).

*If a supervision agreement with the required documents has already been submitted for acceptance as a doctoral candidate and/or admission to the doctoral program has already been applied for, only the submission of the application for admission and the exposé are required for admission to the doctorate (including exposé).