

# **Five-year Bachelor's and Master's Degree Regulations of the Department of Civil and Construction Engineering, College of Engineering, National Taiwan University of Science and Technology**

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Article 1 The regulations are prescribed to encourage outstanding undergraduate students in this university to apply for the master's program of this department to continue their learning and shorten their study period.

Article 2 If the average GPA of undergraduate students' first 5 semesters (including those in elite programs of the university and various colleges) is above GPA 3.5, or ranked in the top thirty percent of their class, they can apply to this department within 1 month after the 6th semester begins. For the application, demographic information, the grades of the first 5 semesters, ranking certifications, future study plans, research plans, recommendation letters from professors, and other information for examination must be attached.

Article 3 Students who wish to apply shall ask one professor of this department for consent to be the advisor for their master's thesis as soon as possible. In addition, the recommendation letter by that professor shall be attached in the application. Qualified students will become candidates for a bachelor's degree and prepare for their postgraduate studies.

Article 4 Students already qualified to be postgraduate students still must apply for participation in the examination for the master's program (foreign students are required to participate in the foreign student recruitment tests of the academic year of graduation). The application documents include (but are not limited to) research plans for the master's thesis (including initial research results) and a 5-year study plan for the bachelor's and master's programs. After passing the recruitment process (or foreign student recruitment test) and acquiring the bachelor's degree before (the end of) the 8th semester, students officially become qualified for the postgraduate program.

Article 5 After becoming qualified for the postgraduate program, students can begin taking master's courses from the 7th semester. A waiver for selected courses can be applied for after students officially become qualified for the postgraduate program. The waiver regulations follow university regulations.

Article 6 Students who are qualified for this five-years program and enroll Master's program will be given high priority to be the Teaching Assistant of CE courses and be the representative of international activities.

Article 7 These regulations were passed in the departmental meeting. These and the revisions will be implemented after being sent to the College of Engineering for evaluation.