

Schedule of Master's and Doctoral Thesis Review for Graduation in March 2027

Schedule	Master's Course	Doctoral Course
Late September, 2026	Notice about submission of necessary forms - Registration Form of Thesis Title - Pledge - Master's Thesis Browsing and Copying Consent Form ※Forms are available at the OSIPP website.	Notice about submission of necessary forms - Registration Form of Thesis Title - Application Forms for Academic Degree - Pledge ※ Forms are available at the OSIPP website.
October 13 Tue. 2026	Deadline for submission of Registration Form of Thesis Title	Deadline for submission of Registration Form of Thesis Title
November 9 Mon. 2026	Deadline for submission of Documents for Oral Defense at 4:30pm ★Submit on CLE - PDF data of Master's Thesis - PDF data of Abstract ★Submit to Kyomu-kakari in person - 1 printed set of Abstract and Thesis - Confirmation Sheet of Inscriptions on Diploma	Deadline for submission of Documents for Oral Defense at 4:30pm ★Submit on CLE - PDF data of Doctoral Thesis - PDF data of Abstract (Form 3) ★Submit to Kyomu-kakari in person - 1 printed set of Abstract and Thesis - Confirmation Sheet of Inscriptions on Diploma
November 20 Fri. 2026	Announcement of Oral Defense schedule	Announcement of Oral Defense schedule
December 2 Wed. 2026	(Optional extra day for Oral Defense)	(Optional extra day for Oral Defense and Doctoral Thesis Progress Report)
December 2 Wed. - 4 Fri. 2026	Oral Defense ※ (No OSIPP classes on December 3th and 4th)	Oral Defense and Doctoral Thesis Progress Report ※ (No OSIPP classes on December 3th and 4th)
January 5 Tue. 2027	Deadline for submission of the following documents at 4:30pm: * Deadline strictly enforced ★Submit on CLE - PDF data of Master's Thesis - PDF data of Abstract ★Submit to Kyomu-kakari in person - 1 printed set of Abstract and Thesis - Pledge - Master's Thesis Browsing and Copying Consent Form - Contact Information and Career Options after Graduation Report	Deadline for submission of the following documents at 4:30pm: * Deadline strictly enforced ★Submit on CLE - PDF data of Doctoral Thesis - PDF data of Abstract - WORD data of Application Forms for Academic Degree (Form 2-4,10) ★Submit to Kyomu-kakari in person - 1 printed set of Abstract and Thesis - Printed Application Forms for Academic Degree (Form 1-4, 10) - Pledge - Contact Information and Career Options after Graduation Report
January 7 Thu. - 29 Fri. 2027	Thesis and Final Oral Examination (The chief of your thesis committee members will coordinate with the committee members, and decide on its time and the procedures. Oral Examination: 20 - 40 minutes)	Thesis and Final Oral Examination (The chief of your dissertation committee members will coordinate with the committee members, and decide on its time and the procedures. Oral Examination: 40 minutes to 1 hour)
March 8 Mon. 2027	Announcement of graduating students (On the bulletin board at OSIPP/KOAN around 1:00pm)	Announcement of graduating students (On the bulletin board at OSIPP/KOAN around 1:00pm)
March 25 Thu. 2027	Diploma Conferment Ceremony	Diploma Conferment Ceremony

※Oral Defense: 1. To report on Master's/Doctoral Thesis, which should be nearly completed.
 2. For 20 minutes (Presentation: 10minutes, Q&A: 10 minutes) for Master's Oral Defense.
 For 40 minutes (Presentation: 20 minutes, Q&A: 20 minutes) for Doctoral Oral Defense.
 3. Details on committees and schedule etc. will be announced on the board on November 20.