

Thesis Defence

Presentation + Oral Exam

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- ▶ Follow the guidelines in our previous lecture.
- ▶ Dress properly.
- ▶ Have a backup pen-drive, CD-rom, laptop in case things fail in the exam room.
- ▶ Sleep for 8 hours in the previous night and be calm and show enthusiasm in the presentation.
- ▶ **Do not give up on questions you do not know - try to derive the answer.**

Expectation of Examiners in Thesis Defence

- ▶ Maintain time
- ▶ A good understanding of the main subject
- ▶ A good understanding of the problem and related areas
- ▶ **Aware of the literature, esp. the recent papers**
- ▶ Understanding of the results obtained
- ▶ Aware of the contribution
- ▶ **Future extension of the work**

After the Defence

- ▶ Final Corrections
- ▶ Final Printing and E-copy
- ▶ Binding of the thesis (University Guidelines)
- ▶ Submission of copies 😊
- ▶ **Continue the research and writing ...**

Summary

- ▶ MTech and PhD degrees
- ▶ What is research
- ▶ Thesis structure
- ▶ Thesis defence