**Postgraduate Academic Credits Requirements**

Welcome to NPU! Here are some tips on academic requirements for new postgraduates.

1. Course Credits Requirements   
   1. ***Master – Minimum credits needed: 29***

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| **Curriculum** | **Course Content** | **Course Type** | **Credits** |
| Compulsory Courses | Public Courses (Chinese Language I, & II, Brief Introduction to China) | Compulsory | 10 credits |
| Basic Theory Courses | Compulsory | ≥5 credits |
| Basic Specialised Courses | Compulsory | 6~10 credits |
| Optional Courses | Specialised Courses | Prescribed Optional | ≥ 8 credits |

* 1. ***Ph.D. – Minimum credits needed: 18***

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| Compulsory Courses | Public Courses (Chinese Language I, & II, Brief Introduction to China) | Compulsory | 10 credits |
| Basic Theory Courses | Compulsory | ≥ 2 credits |
| Basic Specialised Courses | Compulsory | 2 ~ 4 credits |
| Optional Courses | Specialised Courses | Prescribed Optional | ≥ 4 credits |

1. Courses should be selected under the guidance of the Supervisor.
2. The course completion timeline:

Master and Ph.D. Degree: Within one year (2 semesters) since the registration

1. Specific credit requirements for each type of course should be fulfilled.
2. Contact: Your school secretary or Academic Advisor Mr. Li, lidonghoing@nwpu.edu.cn

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