LKCMedicine PhD Programme by Research
Details of Curriculum Requirements

HWG702 Teaching Assistant Programme

All full-time PhD students are required to attend and pass this course by the Qualifying Examination (QE) to be eligible for the $500 increment in the monthly stipend. For students, who have not passed the course at the point of QE, they can continue with their candidature in the absence of teaching responsibilities and increment until they pass the course.

Information Literacy Programme

The three-hour programme, Information Research and Management for Postgraduate Research Students, is compulsory for PhD students. It must be completed by Year 3. It is a non-credit bearing programme and attendance will not be shown in the university academic transcript. In addition, this programme will be a requirement for scholarship renewal.

It aims to provide students with strong foundational knowledge of current resources, tools, methods and practices in undertaking research in a digital information environment. Topics include: (a) Current information landscape, (b) Scholarly metrics, (c) Overview of research practices and (d) information research support.

The programme is offered by the NTU Library and sessions will commence from October 2016 onwards. To register, please go to Library Workshops Calendar. For frequently-asked questions, please see NTU Information Literacy Requirements.

Attendance at Research Seminars

With effect from January 2017, it is mandatory for every student to attend at least 10 seminars per year. Students can take part in seminars organised by LKCMedicine and/or other NTU Colleges and Schools. The presentations could be led by graduate students, faculty and/or guest speakers. Sessions are usually free. Please use the Research Seminar Record Form to record the number of seminars attended.

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