

UST Graduate School

TENTATIVE

Course Offerings

Special Term 2024–2025



NOTE: Course schedules and offerings indicated herein are subject to change.

SPECIAL TERM AY 2024-2025

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

For MS/MA students only:

Pre-requisite:

St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5 (whole day)
Advanced Academic Writing	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

Research Methodology for Health and Natural Sciences only

G.J. Alejandro	Wed & Fri	1:00 – 5:30
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Research Methodology for Humanities and Social Sciences only

M.L. Reyes	Tue & Thu	1:00 – 5:30
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THESIS WRITING I	G.J. D. ALEJANDRO	Tue & Thu 1:00-5:30
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THESIS WRITING 2

THESIS WRITING 3



SPECIAL TERM AY 2024-2025

For PH.D. Students only:

Philosophy of Values	M. VASCO	Tue & Thur	1:00 – 5:30
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Sat	8:00-12:00/1:00 – 5:00
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur	8:00 – 12:30

Dissertation Writing 1
Dissertation Writing 2
Dissertation Writing 3
Dissertation Writing 4



Master of Science major in **BIOLOGY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	TueThur 1:00 - 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Saturday 8-12; 1-5

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Field Botany	C.B. Moran	Tue & Thur 1:30 - 6:00

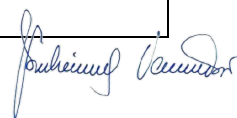
OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. TABIRARA	Wed/Fri 8:00 - 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. ALEJANDRO	Tue/Thur 1:00-5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		

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Master of Science major in **CHEMISTRY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Saturday 8-12; 1-5

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Nutritional Biochemistry	O. Villaflores	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

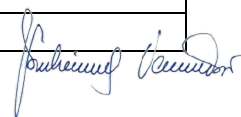
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Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. TABIRARA	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. ALEJANDRO	Tue/Thur 1:00-5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		

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Master of Arts major in **DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology	M.L. Reyes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Social Development and Human Well-Being	M. Quintana	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Diversity, Inclusion & Equity in Social Policy	M. Morga	Wed & Fri 1:00 – 5:30

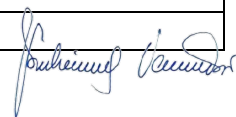
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Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. TABIRARA	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		

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Master of Arts major in ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Saturday 8-12; 1-5

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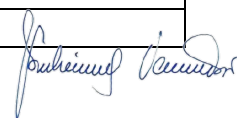
Course	Professor	Day/Time
Evaluation and Preparation of Instructional Materials	R. Lintao	Thur & Fri 7:30 -12:00
Varieties of English	A. Bernardo	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30

COGNATE

Course			
<i>Any course which has substantial bearing on the thesis</i>			

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Science major in **FOOD SCIENCE**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology	G.J. Alejandro	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Nutritional Biochemistry	O. Villaflores	Tue & Thur 1:00 5:30

Course	Professor	Day/Time

COGNATES:

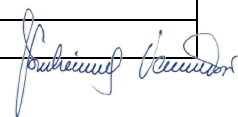
Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
<i>Any 3-unit course from an allied discipline that has substantial bearing on the thesis.</i>			

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. TABIRARA	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G.J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Arts major in **GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology	M.L. Reyes	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

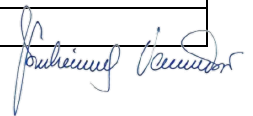
Course	Professor	Day/Time

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. TABIRARA	Wed & Fri 8:00 - 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G.J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Science in Applied Physics major in **MEDICAL PHYSICS**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology with Instrumentation	J.A. Albay/A.Peralta	TueThurSat 12:00 – 3:00

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Radiation Dosimetry	R.C.F. Caballar	TueThurSat 9:00 – 12:00

COGNATE

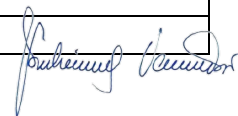
Course	Professor	Day/Time
Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection	D. Vicario/J.A. Albay	TueThurSat 3:00 – 5:00

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Science major in **MICROBIOLOGY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology	G.J. Alejandro	Wed & Fri 1:00- 5:30

CORE

Course	Professor	Day/Time

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Environmental Microbiology	T.E. Dela Cruz	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

COGNATES:

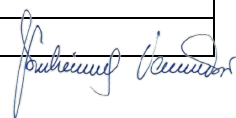
Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Substantial bearing on the thesis			

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

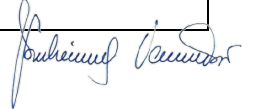
Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. ALEJANDRO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master in Nursing Education

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Clinical and Field Practicum (Preceptorship in Nursing)	R. Loa	TBA
Intensive Practicum for Teaching Nursing Specialty Courses	G.C. Torres	TBA



Master of Science in PHARMACY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12;1-5
Research Methodology	G.J. Alejandro	Wed & Fri 1:00 – 5:30

CORE

Course	Professor	Day/Time

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Substantial bearing on the thesis			

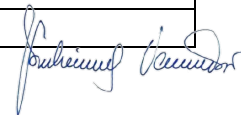
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Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G.J. Alejandro	Tue & Thu 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		

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Doctor of Philosophy major in **BIOLOGY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. VASCO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Field Botany	C.B. Moran	Tue & Thur 1:30 – 6:00

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)		
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)		
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		
Note: Under the revised curriculum (2014-2017) only DW1, DW2, and DW3 must be completed.		



Doctor of Philosophy major in **CHEMISTRY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. VASCO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Nutritional Biochemistry	O. Villaflores	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

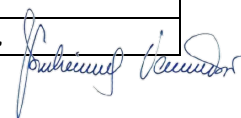
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Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)		
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)		
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		

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Doctor of Philosophy major in CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. VASCO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day	Time
Mental Health & Suicide	Dr. Christina Scott	Tues, Wed, Thur, Fri	1:00 – 4:00

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)		
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)		
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		
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Doctor of Philosophy major in **DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. VASCO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Diversity, Inclusion & Equity in Social Policy	M. Morga	Wed & Fri 1:00 – 5:30

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Social Development and Human Well-Being	M. Quintana	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

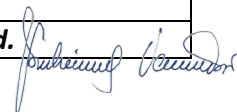
FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)		
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)		
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		

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Doctor of Philosophy major in **ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. Vasco	Tue/Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Stylistics	M. Madrunio	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

COGNATES

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Any course that has direct bearing on one's dissertation (6 units)		

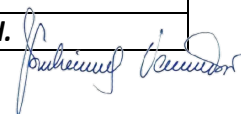
FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)		
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)		
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		

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Doctor of Philosophy in PHARMACY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. Vasco	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Substantial bearing on dissertation			

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 - 12:30

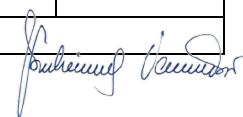
FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur 8:00 -12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)			
Dissertation Writing II (DW2)			
Dissertation Writing III (DW3)			
Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)			

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Doctor of Philosophy major in **PHILOSOPHY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. Vasco	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Daoism	P. Bolanos C.A. Tan (Visiting Professor)	Onsite sessions: TWTHF 2:00 – 6:00pm (July 11, 15,16,17,18) Online sessions: MWF 9:00-1:00pm (July 21, 23 and 25) MTW 9:00-1:00pm (July 28, 29 and 30)
Plato	J. Cariño	Tue and Thur – 2:00 – 6:00pm (June 10 to July 18)
Max Scheler	J.J. Aguas	Wed and Fri – 9:00 – 1:00pm (June 10 to July 18)

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Any course that has direct bearing on one's dissertation (6 units)			

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30
Guided Philosophical Research (GPR-PhD 2) Conference Presentation		
Guided Philosophical Research (GPR-PhD 3) Publication		

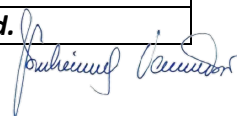
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Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Spanish 1	F. Garcia	Saturday 8-12; 1-5
Spanish 2	F. Garcia	Tue & Thur 8:00 - 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
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Doctor of Philosophy in THEOLOGY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Philosophy of Values	M.A. C. VASCO	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30

SPECIALIZATION

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
Theological Thoughts of St. Thomas Aquinas	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 8:00 – 12:30
Dialogue Between Christianity and Islam	P. Baybado, Jr.	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

COGNATES:

Course	Professor	Day/Time	Room
Any course that has direct bearing on one's dissertation (6 units)			

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

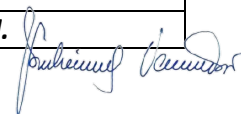
Course	Professor	Day/Time
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TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Dissertation Writing I (DW1)		
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Dissertation Writing IV (DW4)		
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Master of Arts major in **PHILOSOPHY**

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
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Research Methodology	M.L. Reyes	Tue & Thur 1:00 -5:30

SPECIALIZATION

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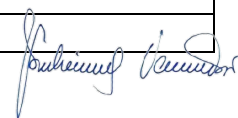
Course	Professor	Day/Time
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OTHER REQUIREMENTS: (If required upon admission)

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 - 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G.J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 -5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Arts major in CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 - 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Sat 8-12; 1-5
Research Methodology	M.L. Reyes	Tue & Thur 1:00 -5:30

COGNATES:

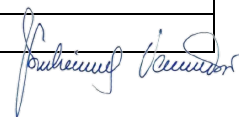
Course	Professor	Day	Time
Mental Health & Suicide	Dr. Christina Scott	Tues, W, Th, F	1:00 - 4:00

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 - 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G.J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 -5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		



Master of Arts in THEOLOGY

PRE-REQUISITE

Course	Professor	Day/Time
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	P. Fuentes	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
St. Thomas and Critical Thinking	E. Dela Cruz	Saturday 8-12; 1-5

SPECIALIZATION

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
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COGNATE

Subject	Professor	Day/Time
* Any course that has bearing on the thesis		

OTHER REQUIREMENTS: *(If required upon admission)*

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Advanced Academic Writing (for Non-English Majors)	N. Tabirara	Wed & Fri 8:00 – 12:30

TERMINAL REQUIREMENTS

Course	Professor	Day/Time
Thesis Writing I (TW1)	G. J. Alejandro	Tue & Thur 1:00 – 5:30
Thesis Writing II (TW2)		
Thesis Writing III (TW3)		

