# 國立政治大學 商學院

National Chengchi University College of Commerce



# 風險管理與保險學系 108學年度課程手冊

Department of Risk Management and Insurance
Curriculum Guide







# A. Introduction to the Department of Risk Management and Insurance

#### **Department Philosophy**

In recent years, Taiwan has exerted great effort in the planning and implementation of the National Health Insurance, compulsory automobile liability insurance, National Pension Insurance, and natural disaster insurance, which has allowed commercial insurance companies to flourish. Insurance involves law, economics, finance, and management, which rely on specialized talent for in-depth research and planning to achieve healthy operation and development.

NCCU evaluated the social and economic development needs above in 1981, and first established the Graduate Institute of Insurance in 1985, dividing teaching and research into three divisions to meet the industry's needs. The three divisions are Law, Management, and Actuarial Science, and cultivate specialized talent in each field of insurance. The divisions also conduct research on insurance theories to drive the development and progress of insurance in Taiwan.

The Department's master's program was jointly planned by Professor Shih Wen-Sen, Professor Yuan Zong-Wei, and Professor Yang Chao-Chang, and began accepting master's students in September 1985. They began preparations to establish the Department of Insurance in 1989, and formally gained approval in 1990 to establish the department, which began recruiting students in July the same year. The Department of Insurance aimed to cultivate insurance talent to engage in academic research on insurance, and actively dedicated efforts to teaching and research work. The Department of Insurance referenced development trends in risk management and insurance in the UK and US, and changed its name to the "Department of Risk Management and Insurance" in 1997, stepping up efforts in risk management and insurance education and academic research. The Department's fundamental teaching goal is to cultivate professional managers in risk management and insurance. The Department began recruiting Executive Masters in Business Administration (EMBA) students in 2000, not only for the mutual verification of risk management and insurance theories and practices, but also to promote closer cooperation between the Department and the industrial and government sectors. In light of the trend of "integration" between insurance and other financial service industries in recent years, the Department listed risk management for insurance and other financial service industries as a key point of development, in hopes of enhancing the insurance industry's competitiveness in a comprehensive financial market in the future.

Seeing the domestic demand on academic research talent in the field of risk management, the Department's doctoral program began recruiting students in 2004, and aims to cultivate academic researchers and higher education teachers in risk management and insurance theory, hoping to elevate the academic and education level in this field.

#### The Department aims to become a lead in the following academic fields:

- 1. Risk Management
- 2. Insurance Management
- 3. Financial Risk Management
- 4. Social Insurance and Pension Risk Management
- 5. Actuarial Science and Financial Engineering
- 6. Insurance Laws and Regulations and Supervision Policy
- 7. Supervision Laws for Insurance Groups and Business Strategies

#### **Department Features**

The Department aims to cultivate risk management and insurance talent, and also attaches importance to broadening students' horizons to enhance their international competitiveness. The Department's main features are summarized below:

- 1. Has world class risk management and insurance teachers and teaching and research environment.
- 2. Curriculum design attaches importance to the industry's demand on talent, and aims to strengthen the connection between theory and practice.
- 3. Seminars on corporate practices are offered to increase students' competitiveness in the employment market.
- 4. Assists the government in establishing insurance laws and supervision policies.
- 5. Actively engage in research on social insurance system reform and insurance related issues.
- 6. Regularly organizes international academic exchange events and works closely with academia in Taiwan and overseas.

#### **Future Careers and Development**

The Department emphasizes the development of professional abilities, and provides complete training in commerce. Hence, graduates mainly develop in the following directions:

- 1. Insurance and reinsurance industry (marketing, finance, actuarial science, and planning)
- 2. Corporate risk management related professions (risk management consultant, industrial safety, risk control)
- 3. Insurance intermediary (insurance broker/agent and notary public)
- 4. Financial institutions (banking, securities)
- 5. Business administration and actuarial consultant companies
- 6. Accounting or law firms
- 7. Financial supervision units and other government departments
- 8. Domestic and overseas academic research institutions

# B. Doctoral Program of the Department of Risk Management and Insurance

#### I. Introduction to Courses

#### 1. Establishment and Basic Introduction to the Department's Doctoral Program

The Department began recruiting students for the doctoral program in 2004. The program is divided into three divisions, namely Law, Management, and Actuarial Science, and aims to cultivate academic researchers and higher education teachers in risk management and insurance theory, hoping to elevate the academic and education level in this field. The Department has world class teachers, most of which received their Ph.D. from the top universities in risk management and insurance in the US, UK, and Germany, and their fields of expertise include management, finance, actuarial science, and law. As such, the Department has the best teachers and most complete structure in Taiwan. In the three most representative grade A journals in the field of risk management and insurance, specifically the Journal of Risk and Insurance, Insurance: Mathematics and Economics, and GENEVA Risk and Insurance Review, teachers of the Department rank at the top of departments in Asia in terms of number of papers published.

The Department strives to provide the best teaching and research environment based on the belief of passing down tradition while constantly seeking innovation, using the highest academic quality to cultivate comprehensive risk management and insurance talent for the domestic insurance industry.

#### 2. Doctoral Program Curriculum Planning Concepts and Study Rules

#### (1) Curriculum Planning Concepts

Actively recruit world class teachers in the field of risk management and insurance and the best students. The curriculum design attaches importance to the demand on academic research and education talent, and emphasizes practice based on theory. Reform the social insurance system and insurance supervision system, and conduct research on risk management, actuarial valuation, and insurance related issues.

#### I. Course Objectives

- A. General: Risk management theories of typical companies and theories of the insurance business.
- B. Management-specific: Formulation and application of risk management strategies, operation of policy insurance and commercial insurance, and formulation and implementation of insurance laws and supervision policy.

#### II. Ultimate goal of teaching and learning

The doctoral program's ultimate goal of teaching and learning is to promote the academic development of risk management and insurance theories in Taiwan, and elevate the level of research and education in the field.

#### III. Overall plan for cultivating students

The Department's doctoral program is divided into three divisions, specifically Law, Management, and Actuarial Science. Academic journals are used as the main teaching materials to cultivate students into outstanding education talent with a field of expertise.

#### Courses of the Department of Risk Management and Insurance (Doctoral Program)

#### College-level Common Required Courses

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Academic Ethics (1,R)

Research Publication Camp (0,R)

Required courses of the Law Division

Seminar on International Insurance

Supervision (3,R)

Seminar on Regulatory Compliance in the

Insurance Industry(3,R)

Laws and Risk Management of Financial

Holdings Companies(3,R)

Insurance Theory (3,R)

Comparative Study on Insurance Law(3,R)

Group courses of the Law Division(Select one

of the two courses)

Seminar on Policy Insurance(3,R)

Seminar on the Insurance Law of China(3,R)

Required courses of the Management Division

Seminar on Insurance Theory(3,R)

Seminar on the Insurance Industry(3,R)

Seminar on Insurance Finance(3.R)

Seminar on Longevity Risk and Pension(3,R)

Seminar on Risk Management(3,R)

Microeconomics(3,R)

Econometrics(3,R)

Required courses of the Actuarial Science

Division

Seminar on Actuarial Mathematics(3.R)

Seminar on Continuous-time Finance(3,R)

Insurance Theory(3,R)

Econometrics(3,R)

Mathematical Statistics(3,R)

Financial Economics(3,R)

Seminar on Insurance Financial Management(3,E)

Seminar on Corporate Finance and Risk Management(3,E)

Finance and Law (2)(3,E)

Seminar on the Civil Code(3,E)

Legal Methodology(3,E)

International Finance and

Investment (3,E)

Risk Assessment and Insurance

Simulation Methods(3,E)

Risk Management Decision

Analysis(3,E)

Case Study of Insurance in the

UK and US (3,E)

Introduction to Empirical Legal

Studies(3,E)

Seminar on Insurance Policy

Clauses(3,E)

Insurance Case Study(3,E)

Graduation credits
Law Division: 34 credits
Management Division:
40 credits
Actuarial Science

Division: 26 credits

Employment

**Qualifying Exam** 

Ph.D. Candidates

Points for research results

Oral defense of the dissertation proposal

English proficiency test graduation standards

Oral defense of the dissertation

Remarks:

(3, R) Required/Elective (R indicates Required, E indicates Elective)

## II. Graduation requirements

#### (I) Department of Risk Management and Insurance (Law Division)

Graduation credits	34 credits
<b>Required Courses</b>	19 credits
<b>Elective Courses</b>	15 credits
<b>Qualifying Exam</b>	1. Qualifying exam.
	2. Within three years after enrollment, doctoral students must participate and publish a paper in the college common required course "Research Publication Camp," or attend and publish a paper in an international conference recognized by the Department.
	3. Before doctoral students submit their degree examination grade report, they must pass one of the Department's English proficiency tests.

#### (II) Department of Risk Management and Insurance (Management Division)

Graduation credits	40 credits
Required Courses	22 credits
<b>Elective Courses</b>	18 credits (the Management Division needs approval from the Department to take
	elective courses)
<b>Qualifying Exam</b>	1. Qualifying exam.
	2. Within three years after enrollment, doctoral students must participate and
	publish a paper in the college common required course "Research Publication
	Camp," or attend and publish a paper in an international conference recognized
	by the Department.
	3. Before doctoral students submit their degree examination grade report, they
	must pass one of the Department's English proficiency tests.

# (III) Doctoral Program of the Department of Risk Management and Insurance (Actuarial Science Division)

Graduation credits	26 credits
Required Courses	19 credits
<b>Elective Courses</b>	7 credits
<b>Qualifying Exam</b>	1. Qualifying exam.
	2. Within three years after enrollment, doctoral students must participate and
	publish a paper in the college common required course "Research Publication
	Camp," or attend and publish a paper in an international conference recognized
	by the Department.
	3. Before doctoral students submit their degree examination grade report, they
	must pass one of the Department's English proficiency tests.

## III. Curriculum Planning

#### • Department of Risk Management and Insurance Doctoral Program (Law Division)

	First semes	ter of first ye	ar		Second semester of first year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	
300006001	* Academic Ethics		1	1-3 hours	358055001	<ul><li>Seminar on Insurance Policy Clauses</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours	
358039001	<ul><li>Seminar on International Insurance Supervision</li></ul>		3	3-6 hours	358002001			3	6-8 hours	
358045011	V Seminar on the Insurance Law of China		3	2-5 hours	358054001	<ul><li>Comparative</li><li>Study on</li><li>Insurance Law</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours	
358781001	<ul><li>Seminar on Insurance Cases</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours						
358908001	<ul><li>Seminar on Financial Law</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours						

\*Required Courses
Semester Course

 $\bigcirc$  Elective Courses V Group courses  $\triangle$ Two-

Note: The actual class schedule shall be based on the announcement by the Curriculum Section, Office of Academic Affairs.

	First semeste	er of second y	ear		Second semester of second year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	
358073001	<ul> <li>Seminar on         Regulatory         Compliance in         the Insurance         Industry</li> </ul>		3	2-5 hours	358057001	<ul><li>Case Study of Insurance in the UK and US</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours	
358059001	<ul><li>Laws and Risk</li></ul>		3	2-3 hours	358052001	V Seminar on Policy Insurance		3	5-10 hours	
358912001	<ul><li>Introduction to Empirical Legal Studies</li></ul>		3	2-4 hours						

△Two-Semester Note: The actual class schedule shall be based on the announcement by the Curriculum Section, Office of Academic Affairs.

	First semest	ter of third yo		Second semester of third year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week
Prepare fo	or the qualifying exam	and obtain poin	arch results	Prepare for	the qualifying exam a	and oral defense	of disserta	tion proposal	

<sup>\*\*</sup>Required Courses ©Elective Courses V Group courses ΔTwo-Semester Note: The actual class schedule shall be based on the announcement by the Course

#### • Department of Risk Management and Insurance Doctoral Program (Management Division)

	First semes	ter of first ye		Second semester of first year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week
300006001	Academic     Ethics		1	1-3 hours	358796001	X Seminar on     Insurance     Finance		3	7-9 hours
358066001	<ul><li>Seminar on Longevity Risk and Pension</li></ul>		3	2-5 hours	Courses of other departments	*Microeconomics		3	4-6 hours
358063001	<ul><li>Seminar on the Insurance Industry</li></ul>		3	3-6 hours					

 $<sup>\</sup>Re$  Required Courses  $\otimes$  Elective Courses  $\vee$  Group courses  $\wedge$  Two-Semester Course

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	First semeste	er of second y	ear		Second semester of second year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	
Courses of other departments	※ Econometrics		3	4-6 hours	358949001	<ul><li>Seminar on Corporate Finance and Risk Management</li></ul>		3	3-5 hours	
358040001	<ul><li>Seminar on Risk</li><li>Management</li></ul>		3	3-5 hours	358053001	<ul><li>Seminar on Insurance Theory</li></ul>		3	6-8 hours	

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	First semes	ter of third ye		Second semester of third year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week
Prepare for the qualifying exam and obtain points for research results					Prepare for	the qualifying exam a	and oral defense	of disserta	tion proposal

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#### • Department of Risk Management and Insurance Doctoral Program (Actuarial Science Division)

	First semes	ter of first ye	ar		Second semester of first year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	
300006001	** Academic     Ethics		1	1-3 hours	358036001	<ul><li>Seminar on Actuarial</li><li>Mathematics</li></ul>		3	4-6 hours	
Courses of other departments	* Econometrics		3	4-6 hours	358002001			3	6-8 hours	
358070001	<ul><li>Seminar on Continuous- time Finance</li></ul>		3	4-6 hours						

Note: The actual class schedule shall be based on the announcement by the Curriculum Section, Office of Academic Affairs.

	First semeste	er of second y	ear		Second semester of second year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	
Courses of other departments	Mathematical Statistics		3	4-6 hours	358949001	<ul><li>Risk     Management     Decision     Analysis</li></ul>		3	4-6 hours	
Courses of other departments			3	4-6 hours	358949001	Seminar on Corporate Finance and Risk Management		3	4-6 hours	

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	First semest	ter of third ye		Second semester of third year					
Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week	Course ID	Course Name	Class time (Temporary)	Credits	Estimated learning time outside of class each week
Prepare f	or the qualifying exam	and obtain point	arch results	Prepare for	the qualifying exam a	and oral defense	of disserta	tion proposal	

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## **IV.** Overview of Courses

300006011	Academic Ethics (Required)	1 credit	College of Commerce doct students	18 hours toral
[Course Objectives]	By teaching business ethics concepts and academic ethics principles, this course aims to cultivate academic talent with the ability to determine value, and attaches importance to the spirit of business ethics and principles of research ethics. As a result, doctoral students will be able to implement ethical concepts in their field of expertise when they become teachers of business administration in the future. It will strengthen the elements of business ethics in teaching contents and cause the students to uphold academic ethics when engaging in research.			
[Course Contents]	Contents of this course cover two aspects: Business ethics and academic ethics. Aspects of business ethics include ethical dialectical training, introduction to theories of ethics, business ethics case analysis and discussion, and sustainability activities. Academic ethics includes guidelines for writing academic papers and citation and quotation, principles and procedures for reviewing research ethics in social sciences, and application for and regulations on MOST projects.			
[Remarks]				

358039001	Seminar on International Insurance 3 credits PhD students 3 hours						
	Supervision (Required)						
[Course	The objective of this course is to equip the students with a general framework for						
Objectives]							
	the core principles for insurance regulation promoted by the International Association						
	and Insurance Supervisors (IAIS). Institutional details with emphasis on the current						
	regulatory issues in Taiwan will also be addressed. Since the regulatory issues are						
	constantly changing, our primary goal is to stimulate critical thinking and promote the						
	development of problem solving skills to better prepare students for applying general						
F.G.	concepts to new types of regulatory policy issues						
[Course	At the end of this course, the students should be able to:						
Contents]	(I) Understand the fundamental theories to regulation in the insurance sector.						
	(II) Understand a broad perspective of financial services and insurance in terms of						
	market development and regulatory policies.						
	(III) Understand the important international principles, standards conducted by the IAIS.						
	(IV) Understand the effects of and the rationale for public policies that affect the insurance industry, insurance end-users (i.e. enterprises and individuals).						
	(V) Think critically and analytically solve regulatory problems that confront the						
	policy makers, insurance industry and the end-users.						
[Remarks]	Grade Determination						
	Class Participation: 50% Presentations: 25% Term Papers: 25 %						

358045011	Seminar on the Insurance Law of China (Partially Required)  3 credits PhD students 3 hours						
[Course Objectives]	Analyze the strengths and weaknesses of China's insurance law and various discussions						
[Course Contents]	(I) Similarities and differences in the history of China's insurance law compared with Taiwan						
	(II) Challenges of Taiwan's insurance industry in China's market in terms of product design and claims						
	(III) Analysis the differences between insurance profits in China and Taiwan and comment on the gains and losses						
	<ul><li>(IV) How to find the true meaning of China's insurance law from its loose contents</li><li>(V) Issues with the applicability of China's insurance law resulting from its different chapter structure compared with the laws of advanced countries</li></ul>						
	(VI) When the interpretation of the Supreme People's Court contradicts the insurance law, which shall prevail						
	(VII) Provisions of China's insurance law that protect the insured						
	(VIII) Should subrogation be placed under general provisions (Taiwan) or only property insurance (China)						
	(IX) Discuss whether or not current life insurance policies in China violate the insurance law						
	(X) Discuss the similarities and differences between China's insurance law and Taiwan's Financial Consumer Protection Act						
	(XI) Discuss differences between China and Taiwan with respect to Article 64 of the insurance law						
	(XII) Is the refund provision in China's insurance law a certain ratio?						
	(XIII) When the insured does not fulfill obligations to give notice, may compensation						
	be sought in accordance with China's insurance law and Taiwan's Insurance Act?						
	(XIV) Is Article 23 of China's insurance law too strict?						
[Remarks]							

358002001	Insurance Theory (Required) 3 credits PhD students 3 hours					
[Course	Develop students' expertise in insurance system principles and help them understand					
Objectives]	how the insurance market operates					
[Course	(I) Insurance theory review and development					
Contents]	(II) Insurance system and economic safety					
	(III) Expected utility theory and insurance needs					
	(IV) Insurance operations and law of large numbers					
	(V) Insurance contract principles					
	(VI) Moral hazard and adverse selection					
	(VII) International insurance market					
	(VIII) Insurance industry structure and characteristics					
	(IX) Types and performance of insurance organizations					
	(X) Insurance marketing channels and methods					
	(XI) Insurance company financial management					
	(XII) Insurance company solvency supervision					
[Remarks]						

358781001	Seminar on Insurance 3 credits PhD students 3 hours  Cases (Elective)						
[Course	Develop students ability to analyze actual court rulings on insurance cases and handle						
Objectives]	issues.						
[Course	Seminar topics:						
Contents]	Principle of indemnity						
	Avoidance of moral hazard						
	Financial consumer dispute cases						
	Cases of common boundaries between the Insurance Act and Consumer Protection Act						
	Duty to inform and increase of hazard						
	Elements and effect of special clauses						
	Core issues of responsible investment (right to participate, direct claim, insurer's duty to						
	defense)						
	Insurance contract interpretation and supplement						
	Core issues of guarantee insurance (such as discovery period, performance of special						
	duties)						
	Common disputes of health insurance (handling partial hospitalization, leave from						
	hospitalization, illness before insurance, suspension and reinstatement, duty to inform)						
[Remarks]							

358073001	Seminar on regulatory compliance in the insurance industry (Required)  3 credits PhD students 3 hours				
[Course Objectives]	This course is taught in English and develops students' abilities to conduct research, write papers, and discuss issues of the Insurance Act in English.  The course objective of insurance law is that during the process of oral presentations and written reports, the students should learn how to detect and find out the question and analyze, deduce and research all questions by making use of methods of legal analysis. At the same time, requesting the students to finish their written reports and oral presentations in English makes the students become international experts of insurance law after extensive and essential training.  The course is lectured in English. By making presentations and reports, the course can				
[Course Contents]	lead everyone to find out, analyze questions, and learn how to solve the problem.  (I) The legality of using genetic information to decide whether or not to provide coverage and the insurance premium rate  (II) Discrimination and benefits of exclusion of coverage and not really obligations  (III) The insurer's information obligations and consumer protection  (IV) Comparative study on policy cancellation right  (V) Burden of proof in insurance incidents				
[Remarks]	(VI) The obligation of truthful representations and review of the effects of violation (VII) Basis and scope of relatively mandatory provisions (VIII) Empirical research on content control Students select their own topics and write a research report. They then discuss their report in class, and then submit the revised report based on class discussion results at the end of the semester. Contents of the research reports should describe related theories, collect and organize related rulings, interpretations and insurance policy clauses, and give appropriate comments.				

358782001		con Insurance 3 credits PhD students 3 hours						
[Course Objectives]	Discuss analysis	important issues in the Insurance Act to improve students' thinking and problem abilities.						
[Course Contents]	(I)	Legislative system of the Insurance Act Types of insurance contracts						
	(II)	Interpretation of insurance contracts Parties in insurance contracts and related parties						
	(III)	General elements for an insurance contract to be formed						
	(IV)	Special elements for an insurance contract to be formed General elements for an insurance contract to take effect						
	(V)	Scope of application of the insurance interests system Subject and timing for the existence of insurance interests						
	(VI)	Scope of insurance interests Full insurance, under insurance, and over insurance						
	(VII)	Double insurance Insurance coopetition						
	(VIII)	Prevention of moral hazard Review of Article 105 of the Insurance Act						
	(IX)	Insurer's right to participate in settlement Rights that may be exercised by the insurer when exercising the right of subrogation						
	(X)	Amount that may be claimed by the insurer when exercising the right of subrogation Subrogation right of reinsurers						
	(XI)	Special clauses on duty to inform						
	(XII)	Duty to inform the suspension and reinstatement of life insurance contracts						
	(XIII)	Legal provisions on group insurance  Legal provisions on group insurance						
	(XIV)	Legal provisions on investment insurance Scope of coverage of compulsory automobile liability insurance						
	(XV)	Special compensation system for automobile traffic accidents Review of guarantee insurance						
	(XVI)	Scope of coverage of injury insurance Suspension and reinstatement of property insurance contracts						
	(XVII)	Legal provisions on credit insurance Scope of application of insurance subrogation system						
	(XVIII)	Legal provisions on labor pension insurance Punitive damages and insurance						
[Remarks]								

358059001	Laws and Risk Management of 3	PhD 3 hours				
	Financial Holdings Companies cre	dits students				
	(Required)					
[Course	In response to the trend of financial integrat	ion in Taiwan and development trends of				
Objectives]	financial holdings companies, this course discusses the regulatory framework,					
	organizational structure and operating mode	el, and business strategy of financial holdings				
	companies in Taiwan, providing students w	ith a comprehensive understanding of				
	theories and practices related to the Financia	al Holding Company Act.				
[Course Contents]	company, system characteristics, r	I) Topics: Include financial integration, establishment of financial holdings company, system characteristics, rights and obligations, co-marketing, investment and M&A, and risk structure and risk management.				
	of financial holding companies, co	Project report: Include financial holding company reform, dual engine strategy of financial holding companies, consolidated tax return, hostile takeover and M&A, and integration or professional management strategies.				
	(III) Literature review: Read studies an companies.	Literature review: Read studies and literature related to financial holdings companies.				
	(IV) Review of laws and regulations: Interpretation and review of each article of the Financial Holding Company Act.					
[Remarks]	<b>Course features:</b> Gives consideration to both theory and practice, interactive teaching, emphasis on creativity and application, not an easy course, especially suitable for students with a background in law or are creative and intend to go into the financial market.					

358778001		tudy of Insurance UK and US ve)	3 credits	PhD students	3 hours			
[Course					erstanding of Anglo-American			
Objectives]		·	he ability to	o conduct proper E	nglish legal research, and			
	fluency	in English skills.						
[Course	(I)	Legal research and	citation					
Contents]	(II)	Memo and brief, ri	sk and insu	irance, insurance re	egulation			
	(III)	Interpretation	Interpretation					
	(IV)	Waiver, estoppel, a	nd interme	ediaries				
	(V)	Misrepresentation of	Misrepresentation & Disproportionate Forfeiture					
	(VI)	Damages	Damages					
	(VII)	Health Insurance						
	(VIII)	Disability Insurance	e					
	(IX)	Life Insurance						
	(X)	Property Insurance	Property Insurance					
	(XI)	Subrogation						
	(XII)	Liability Insurance						
[Remarks]								

358052001		nr on Policy nce (Partially ed)	3 credits	PhD students	3 hours			
[Course Objectives]	This course is designed based on basic theories of public policy, and discusses the different system designs of policy insurance, which is complemented by case study, so that doctoral students with a background in law will have the ability to independently conduct research, and use suitable research methodologies to explore issues in policy insurance in Taiwan and overseas.							
[Course	(I)	Background of pu	blic policy	formation				
Contents]	(II)	Key points of planning policy insurance systems						
	(III)	Governance finances and natural disaster insurance						
	(IV)	Environmental pro	Environmental protection and pollution liability insurance					
	(V)	Road traffic safety and compulsory automobile liability insurance						
	(VI)	National health ar	National health and the National Health Insurance					
	(VII)	Public safety and	public liabi	lity insurance				
[Remarks]	Scoring	g method: Class perf	ormance 50	%, Case study 50%	<b>%</b> .			

358066001	Seminar on Longevity Risk and Pension (Required)	3 credits	PhD students	3 hours		
[Course Objectives]	This course mainly introduces pension system management, the insurance pension market, and important literature. By introducing and comparing the pension systems and pension related financial products of different countries, analyzing product development trends and marketing strategies in Taiwan's retirement market, and reading selected research papers, students will understand important research topics and research results. Course contents include understanding pension systems and retirement market development trends in other countries, strengthening knowledge and literature on retirement planning, analyzing investment strategies of government pension funds on this basis, assisting financial institutions in developing pension products, helping employers plan pension and employee savings plans, or helping individual's understand retirement requirements and shortfall, and further planning retirement savings plans to achieve an ideal income replacement ratio.					
[Course Contents]	1. Introduction to the pension sy Analysis of old-age benefits of g insurance and labor insurance), e pension system and civil servant behavior (such as annuities insur 2. Analysis of the interaction beinsurance products: Includes an icountries, including the US 401( the pension systems and importa UK, Germany, Australia, Japan, development trends.  3. Innovative pension products a Introduction to innovative financy years, such as target-date life cyclobe issued, especially mortality insurance companies, such as low well as their latest development to	overnment soc employer pensi- pension system ance and mutual tween overseas ntroduction to k) plan, Hong I nt pension prod Singapore, and around the work ital products is the fund, or innu- linked securit	ial insurance on systems (son), and individual funds). It pension systems the pension son the pension son the pension son the reaction of the pension and the pension son the reaction of the pension son the	(such as: civil servant such as: Labor Standards Act idual retirement savings tem design and annuities system of important atory Provident Fund, and etirement markets of the nalysis of current market to development trends: surance market in recent cial products that are about pension funds and life		
[Remarks]						

358912001	Introduction to Empirical Legal Studies (Elective)	3 credits	Master's/Doctoral students	3 hours		
[Course Objectives]	ignored. For most students difficulties in the learning present teaching materials, and are which is quite a pity. The predifferent research methodol read literature on law to brow	aw and other disciplines has become a trend that cannot be swith a background in law, they often encounter many process due to lack of a quantitative foundation and suitable he hesitant when they encounter this type of new methodology, purpose of this course is to help students more smoothly learn plogies. If there is time, this course will also guide students to roaden their horizons. There are no prerequisite courses for the uate students who major in law and other fields are all				
[Course Contents]	<ol> <li>Expands students' under help students with backgrowith law.</li> <li>Guides students to read understand the latest development on law.</li> <li>Strengthens student's que concepts when processing of</li> </ol>	important opments, a	than law to utilize the literature on emerging and also broaden their h	fields, so that they will norizons with respect to		

[Remarks]

358796001	Seminar on Insurance 3 credits PhD students 3 hours Finance (Required)						
[Course	This seminar is a Ph.D. level course that intends to equip the students with knowledge						
Objectives]	about the finance issues in the insurance industry. The covered topics include the						
	solvency issues of insurance companies, insurance regulation and its consequences,						
	reserving/pricing, asset-liability management, and asset allocation. This course is also						
	designed to train the student to write a rigorous academic paper through reading good						
	papers and writing up a decent research proposal. Personal publication experiences will						
	be shared during the class as well.						
[Course	Solvency/Insolvency Models						
Contents]	The Efficacy of Capital Requirements						
	Capital Requirements and Risk Taking Behaviors						
	Stochastic Reserving						
	Stochastic Integrals						
	Differential Equations & Portfolio Dynamics						
	Arbitrage Pricing						
	Mortality Rate Modeling						
	The Martingale Approach to Arbitrage Theory						
	Mathematics of the Martingale Approach						
	Martingale Models for the Short Rate						
	Forward Rate Models and LIBOR Market Models						
	Fair Valuation of Insurance Policies						
	Stochastic Optimal Control: Asset Allocations of Insurance Companies and Pension						
	Funds						
	Surrender Rate Modeling						
[Remarks]	Grade Determination:						
	Class Presentation and Discussion: 60% Term Paper: 40%						

358063001	Seminar on the 3 credits Insurance Industry (Required)	PhD students	3 hours					
[Course Objectives]	management and insurance industry. If focus more on the practices of the insurance industry, organizational structure, it development in insurance industry out	he purpose of this course is to review some of the most important literature on risk anagement and insurance industry. Different from the class of insurance theory, we cus more on the practices of the insurance industry, including the market structure of e industry, organizational structure, insurance demand, efficiency studies, and the evelopment in insurance industry outside United States. We also examine the issues in inderwriting cycle problems, captive insurance and health insurance problems if time						
[Course Contents]	Area Paper: each student will find a topic for your area paper. We have two dates to present the progress of your paper.  (mid-report): You will present your report, including the Title Motivation  Literature Review  How to find your data  Hypothesis (Optional)  On the second date, you will present your final paper, which should include: Hypothesis  Data and Methodology  Preliminary Results (including descriptive statistics, basic regression results, etc.)  The written report will be handed in at the same day.							
[Remarks]								

358949001	Seminar on Corporate 3 credits PhD students 3 hours  Finance and Risk Management (Required)
[Course Objectives]	This course introduces literature on important research topics in corporate financial management. Research topics include financial management in the financial and insurance industry (banking, insurance, securities), financial investment strategy, corporate financial management, risk management, corporate governance, financial engineering, financial derivatives, asset securitization, and asset and liability valuation. Domestic scholars in the field of finance and insurance will be invited to publish papers, so that students understand important research trends and issues. The speakers will also share how to public academic papers in the top international academic journals in the field of finance, risk, and insurance.
[Course Contents]	<ol> <li>During the semester, a domestic scholar will be invited every two weeks to speak on a research paper.</li> <li>The speech will on Tuesday 12:10-14:00</li> <li>Location: College of Commerce Group Discussion Room 260907</li> <li>The actual date of classes during the semester will be verified with the speaker, and will be scheduled on Tuesday in principle.</li> <li>During summer vacation, Chair Professor Gene C. Lai will schedule courses after returning to the country in mid-June (9 classes will be taught over three weeks).</li> </ol>
[Remarks]	

358053001	Seminar on Insurance 3 credits PhD students 3 hours Theory (Required)						
[Course	The objective of this course is to develop the basic microeconomic models for risk and						
Objectives]	insurance with setting that economic agents are faced with uncertainty. The main topics include decision making under uncertainty, insurance demand, adverse selection, moral hazard, liability insurance, and catastrophe risk. The models discussed in this course are						
	adaptable to many situations in finance and economics, but with a emphasis on insurance markets as means of transferring risk and wealth.						
[Course	1. Introduction to Insurance Economics						
Contents]	2. Choice under Uncertainty						
	3. Insurance Demand						
	4. Optimal Risk Sharing						
	5. Adverse Selection						
	6. Risk Classification, Moral Hazard and Insurance Fraud						
	7. Law of Large Numbers and Group Siz						
	8. Catasstrophe Risk, Insurance Capacity, Reinsurance and Cycles						
	9. Liability Insurance						
	10. Health and Life Insurance						
[Remarks]							

358839001	Risk Management Decision Analysis (Elective)	3 credits	PhD students	3 hours
[Course Objectives]	This course explains recent institutions, discusses agen-	cy cost, risk ory. Classes of financir rited to disc	management, cap will focus on metl ag, investment, and uss finance and ins	hodology and practices, and financial institutions in
[Course Contents]	financial and insurance inst dispersion and risk manage securities, and insurance ris	itutions and ment mech sk control n	l asset and liability anisms (such as the nechanisms, risk se	• • •
[Remarks]	Visits and speeches by expe	erts will be	included in this co	urse.

358040001	Seminar on Risk	3 credits	PhD students	3 hours			
	Management (Required)						
[Course Objectives]	The main objective of this course is to let doctoral students understand risk management literature and important issues in practice. We will discuss academic journal papers related to risk management and the insurance core principles, standards, guidance, and assessment methodology announced by the International Association of Insurance Supervisors. Students are required to participate in class discussions and give oral and written reports on the topics they are assigned.						
[Course Contents]	<ul><li>(I) Insurance Core Princip</li><li>(II) Research on Financial</li><li>(III) Research on Insurance</li><li>(IV) Miscellaneous papers</li></ul>	risk and its	management s management	d Assessment Methodology			
[Remarks]	Assessment method: Oral reparticipation (20%).	eport and fi	nal written report	(80%); Attendance and			

358045011	Insurar (Partial	r on the ace Law of China lly Required)  3 credits PhD students 3 hours
[Course Objectives]	Analyze	e the strengths and weaknesses of China's insurance law and various discussions
[Course Contents]	(I)	Similarities and differences in the history of China's insurance law compared with Taiwan
	(II)	Challenges of Taiwan's insurance industry in China's market in terms of product design and claims
	(III)	Analysis the differences between insurance profits in China and Taiwan and comment on the gains and losses
	(IV)	How to find the true meaning of China's insurance law from its loose contents
	(V)	Issues with the applicability of China's insurance law resulting from its different chapter structure compared with the laws of advanced countries
	(VI)	When the interpretation of the Supreme People's Court contradicts the insurance law, which shall prevail
	(VII)	Provisions of China's insurance law that protect the insured
	(VIII)	Should subrogation be placed under general provisions (Taiwan) or only property insurance (China)
	(IX)	Discuss whether or not current life insurance policies in China violate the insurance law
	(X)	Discuss the similarities and differences between China's insurance law and Taiwan's Financial Consumer Protection Act
	(XI)	Discuss differences between China and Taiwan with respect to Article 64 of the insurance law
	(XII)	Is the refund provision in China's insurance law a certain ratio?
	(XIII)	When the insured does not fulfill obligations to give notice, may compensation be sought in accordance with China's insurance law and Taiwan's Insurance Act?
	(XIV)	Is Article 23 of China's insurance law too strict?
[Remarks]		

358070001	Seminar on Continuous- 3 credits PhD students 3 hours							
	time Finance (Required)							
[Course	Modern Financial Theory has become more and more technical with the development of							
Objectives]	continuous-time models. While being a relatively new field, Continuous-Time Finance							
	becomes more recognized since the Nobel prize in Economics have been awarded to							
	Robert Merton and Myron Scholes for their work on pricing models of derivative securities.							
	We will go over the most important continuous-time models in class. This includes							
	pricing of derivative securities, consumption-portfolio selection models using the							
	stochastic control (dynamic programming method) and martingale pricing methodology.							
[Course	Contents (Proposed for the first semester)							
Contents]	Review of Corporate Finance and Risk Management Issues							
	Session 1- 2 Stochastic processes. Random variables-filtration-tribes, Brownian							
	motions-stochastic processes, Martingales-stochastic integrals. Itô lemma.							
	Session 3-4 Arbitrage principle. Application to option pricing in the binomial model.							
	Session 5 Risk-neutral probabilities. A discrete-time example.							
	Session 6-7 Valuation of derivative securities. The Black and Scholes model. Yield curve models							
	Session 8-9 Intertemporal consumption-portfolio selection models. Dynamic Asset							
	Allocations models. The Numeraire Portfolio - Intertemporal CAPM, CCAPM, APT.							
	Session 10 Mid-Term Presentation							
	Sessions 11-12-13-14 Presentation and Final Draft of your in class paper.							
[Remarks]								

358002001	Insurance Theory (Required)  3 credits PhD students 3 hours						
[Course Objectives]	Develop students' expertise in insurance system principles and help them understand how the insurance market operates						
[Course Contents]	<ul> <li>(I) Insurance theory review and development</li> <li>(II) Insurance system and economic safety</li> <li>(III) Expected utility theory and insurance needs</li> <li>(IV) Insurance operations and law of large numbers</li> <li>(V) Insurance contract principles</li> <li>(VI) Moral hazard and adverse selection</li> <li>(VII) International insurance market</li> <li>(VIII)Insurance industry structure and characteristics</li> <li>(IX) Types and performance of insurance organizations</li> <li>(X) Insurance marketing channels and methods</li> </ul>						
	(XI) Insurance company financial management (XII) Insurance company solvency supervision						
[Remarks]							

58071001	Seminar on Actuarial 3 credits PhD students 3 hours							
	Mathematics (Required)							
[Course	Aims: Gain a thorough understanding of the followings:							
Objectives]								
[Course	1. basic pricing of actuarial mathematics							
Contents]	2. the application of the dynamic mortality model							
	3. the application of Levy process in actuarial science							
	4. the application of the longevity risk.							
	5. modeling and reserving the guarantee liabilities (GMAB, GMDB, GMWB,).							
	6. static and dynamic hedging							
	7. the properties of the Markowitz portfolio selection model.							
	8. evaluate the risk and return characteristics of guaranteed investment							
	9. apply the concept of Multivariate Jump Diffusion Models to asset allocation							
	10. Identify and apply portfolio management techniques to the ongoing investment							
	management of financial institution and pension fund assets							
	11. apply approximation method to the topic of asset allocation, etc.							
	12. modeling the mortality model.							
[Remarks]								

# V. Course Checklist and Study Plan

#### **Course Checklist**

Colleg	ge of C	ommer	ce, Natio	onal	Chengchi Universit	y		
Department of Risk Mana	gement a	and Insu	rance Doct	oral P	Program Law Division (3	4 gradua	ition cr	edits)
Name:					Student No.:			
College-level elective					Elective courses (at l	east 15	credits	s)
Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks		Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks
Academic Ethics	1			01.				
Institute-level Required	d Course	es (18 cr	edits)	02.				
Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks	03.				
01. Seminar on International Insurance Supervision	3			04.				
02. Seminar on Regulatory Compliance in the Insurance Industry	3			05.				
03. Laws and Risk	3			06.				
Management of								
Financial Holdings				07.				
Companies								
04. Insurance Theory	3			08.				
05. Comparative Study on Insurance Law	3			09.				
Group courses (Choose one of the two)	3			10.				
06. Seminar on the Insurance Law of China	3			11.				
07. Seminar on Policy Insurance	3			12.				
				13.				
				14.				
				15.				

#### College of Commerce, National Chengchi University

# Department of Risk Management and Insurance Doctoral Program Management Division (40

graduation credits)										
Name:			Student N	o.:		<del></del>				
					Elective courses (	at least 1	8 credi	ts)		
College-level electiv	e course	s (1 cred	lit)	E	Elective courses requ	ire appr	oval fro	m the		
					Depar	rtment				
Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks		Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks		
Academic Ethics	1			01.						
Institute-level Required	d Course	es (21 cr	edits)	02.						
Course Name	Credits	Score	Remarks	03.						
01. Seminar on Insurance Theory	3			04.						
02. Seminar on the Insurance Industry	3			05.						
03. Seminar on Insurance Finance	3			06.						
04. Seminar on Longevity				07.						
Risk and Pension	3									
05. Seminar on Risk Management	3			09.						
06. Microeconomics	3			10.						
07. Econometrics	3			11.						

#### College of Commerce, National Chengchi University Department of Risk Management and Insurance Doctoral Program Actuarial Science Division (26 graduation credits) Student No.:\_\_\_\_ **College-level elective courses (1 credit)** Elective courses (at least 7 credits) **Course Name** Credits | Score **Course Name** Credits Remarks Score Remarks Academic Ethics 1 01. \_\_\_\_\_ **Institute-level Required Courses (18 credits)** 03. **Course Name** Credits Score Remarks 01. Seminar on Actuarial 3 Mathematics 02. Seminar on Continuous-time 3 Finance 03. Insurance Theory 3 06. 04. Econometrics 3 07. \_\_\_\_\_ 05. Mathematical Statistics 3 08. \_\_\_\_\_

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06. Financial Economics

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## National Chengchi University Department of Risk Management and Insurance Study Plan

Name: First year		Student	: No.:				
First Semester			Second Semester				
Course Name	Class time	Required/Elective	Semester Credits	Course Name	Class time	Required/Elective	Semester Credits
		Required Elective				Required Elective	
		Required Elective				Required Elective	
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Name:		Student					
Second year First Semester			Second Semester				
Course Name	Class time	Required/Elective	Semester Credits	Course Name	Class time	Required/Elective	Semester Credits
		Required Elective				Required Elective	
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