



Graduate School Announcement, Khon Kaen University

(No. 164/2014)

Subject: The Prevention of Plagiarism in Thesis/Independent Study

Graduate School, Khon Kaen University, is to ensure the quality and reliability of graduate students' thesis and independent study as well as to promote the ethics of research conduct neither plagiarizing nor claiming the work of others as their own by no references of graduate students, Khon Kaen University, in accordance with the Khon Kaen University Announcement (No. 1365/2007) on Regulations and Criteria for Academic Penalty of Graduate Students for the Academic Fraud.

Therefore, by virtue of Article 10 of Khon Kaen University Regulations on Graduate School System Management B.E. 2548 and the agreement of 4/2014 Graduate School Committee Meeting on September 5, 2014, has therefore issued the following guiding principles:

Article 1 This announcement shall be called as "Graduate School Announcement, Khon Kaen University (No. 164/2014) on the Prevention of Plagiarism in Thesis/Independent Study".

Article 2 This announcement is to come into effect on the date following the official announcement.

Article 3 Graduate School and Academic Resources Center, Khon Kaen University shall organize the Turnitin Program Training Course for lecturers and graduate students on the use of the program to prove plagiarism and the incorrect use on others' work in their thesis/independent study.

Article 4 In case that the lecturers assign the students to report their work, the lecturers are to instill into the students non-plagiarism or incorrect use of others' work. The students shall check their own work by Turnitin Program and submit Turnitin Originality Report.

Article 5 The major advisor of thesis/independent study shall assure the quality and reliability of the student's research conduct as well as instill ethics of research conduct into the students by requiring the submission of the evidence of non-plagiarism with Turnitin Originality Report attached with the original paper of thesis/independent study to the major advisor of thesis/independent study during research conduct, thesis/independent study proposal approval, and thesis/independent study submission.

Article 6 On the process of the request for thesis/independent study defense, the students are required to submit the Turnitin Originality Report and the original paper of thesis/independent study with GS. 25 Form to the thesis/independent study advisor no less than 20 days prior to the examination date.

Article 7 The result of consideration on Turnitin Originality Report has no impacts on the thesis/independent study defense.

Article 8 The advisor of thesis/independent study shall report the result of consideration of the Turnitin Originality Report by the form of the Turnitin Originality Report. The students shall submit the form with the complete thesis/independent study.

Turnitin Originality Report that the students and the advisor are to consider and report according to the form shall be evaluated from the complete thesis/independent study.

Consequently, the students who take a thesis/independent study defense on or after January 12, 2015, are required to submit the Turnitin Originality Report form along with the complete thesis/independent study for.

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