## APPLYING TO THE Ph.D. PROGRAM AFTER COMPLETION OF MAS MASTER

Masters' students in MAS seeking to apply for the MAS PhD may apply for the doctoral program while still finishing their thesis. They must follow the usual application of other students seeking to enter the department's doctoral program, including submitting letters of recommendations. One of the letters must be from their advisor indicating the student's level of readiness, and their progress in completing the thesis, including revisions and formal submission to the university. The thesis must be formally deposited to the university by the end semester that is prior to the student entering the program, i.e., the end of the second summer session.

The Master's program is a standard two-year program. While faculty and staff will help you to successfully earn your M.S., you are ultimately responsible for making sure that you meet all requirements and deadlines for both the department and the Graduate College

Contact Graduate Program Coordinator and the Degree Counselor for more information and support.