

## Graduation Deadlines for Graduate Students

Deadline	Intended Graduation Date				
	Aug-10	Dec-10	May-11	Aug-11	Dec-11
Application for degree available via MyNIU		April 2, 2010	July 10, 2010	November 6, 2010	April 2, 2011
Submit Application for Degree, final program of courses, and graduation fee (\$35)	April 1, 2010	July 9, 2010	November 5, 2010	April 1, 2011	June 11, 2011
<b>DOCTORAL STUDENTS ONLY:</b> Submit request for oral defense of dissertation <b>three weeks</b> in advance of proposed defense date along with a <b>paper copy</b> of the pre-defense version of the dissertation	June 22, 2010	October 8, 2010	March 18, 2011	June 20, 2011	October 7, 2011
Submit results of Oral Defense of <b>thesis or dissertation</b> Form to the Graduate School	July 13, 2010	October 29, 2010	April 8, 2011	July 11, 2011	October 28, 2011
Electronically Submit post-defense version of the <b>thesis or dissertation</b> for Graduate School review	July 20, 2010	November 5, 2010	April 15, 2011	July 19, 2011	November 4, 2011
Submit comprehensive exam results form for masters' students	August 6, 2010	December 6, 2010	May 2, 2011	August 5, 2011	December 2, 2011
Commencement Ceremony	No ceremony	December 11, 2010	May 13, 2011	No ceremony	December 10, 2011
Degree Date	August 8, 2010	December 12, 2010	May 14, 2011	August 7, 2011	December 11, 2011

- 1) Apply for graduation through student self service center.
2. Reactivate or defer graduation via the the Graduate School website / Current students / Online forms