



Application for PhD by Innovation (CAI01)

Notes:

- (1) This form is for the application by **current CityU PhD students**. Approval of such requests is subject to the availability of student quota and the recommendations of the relevant parties.
- (2) The completed application form shall be submitted to the CityU Academy of Innovation (CAI) for approval.
- (3) The student's financial assistance will remain in the same arrangement as the original PhD programme admitted.
- (4) Coursework and other requirements are to be confirmed by CAI and the academic units in accordance with prevailing requirements for the PhD by Innovation students. Application for a change of course plan is required when necessary.
- (5) Subject to the approval of relevant AUs, Supervisors, Industrial Advisors, CAI, and SGS, the student will be allowed to transfer back to the original PhD programme and required to fulfil the prevailing requirements for graduation. The student's PhD by Innovation study period will be counted towards the PhD candidature.
- (6) The application and the related arrangements are subject to the University's prevailing practice and policy.

Section A Student's Particulars

Name: _____ Student No.: _____ Department/School: _____

Commencement Date: _____ Mode of Study: FT/PT

Study Period End Date: _____ Email: _____ Contact No: _____

Are you a Hong Kong PhD Fellowship recipient? No Yes

Section B Details of Application

Please evaluate the feasibility of commercializing your research outcome OR provide your commercialization plan. Please limit your response to 300 words or less.

Please provide the information of your Industrial Advisor (if any):

Name: _____ Email: _____ Contact No: _____

**Please attach the CV of the Industrial Advisor.*

I confirm that my supervision arrangement remains unchanged, i.e., no change to my home department, supervisor, and Qualifying Panel composition.

Signature of the Student _____
Date

Section C Recommendation of the Supervisor (*please delete as appropriate)

I recommend/do not recommend* acceptance of the student's application for PhD by Innovation.

Remarks:

Name _____
Signature _____
Date

**Section D Endorsement of the School Dean/Department Head
(*please delete as appropriate)**

I endorse/do not endorse* this application for PhD by Innovation.

Remarks:

Signature of School Dean/Department Head

Date

Section E Endorsement of the College Dean

I endorse/do not endorse* this application for PhD by Innovation.

Remarks:

Signature of College Dean

Date

Please submit the completed form to the CityU Academy of Innovation (CAI) for approval.

Section F Decision of CAI Director (*please delete as appropriate)

I approve/do not approve* this application for PhD by Innovation.

Remarks:

Signature of Director (CAI)

Date

For Office Use:

1. Submit the form to SGS for final confirmation: Yes NA Date: _____
2. Follow-up on system record update with SGS: Yes NA Date: _____
3. Follow-up on Industrial Advisor arrangement: Yes NA Date: _____

Checked by: _____ Date: _____