Independent Study (IS) Procedure Academic Year 2567 (2024) International Program (Summer Semesters)

No.	People involved	Process	Semester 1
1	Instructor responsible for Independent Study	As indicated in TQF3 of IS, the student must write up an article which is part of the IS and get the Main IS Advisor's approval before submitting to the reviewer(s) and the copies of bound IS must be submitted.	Before the semester begins June 9, 2025
2	Department	Administer the examinations of other courses apart from the IS.	No course work
3*	Department	Administer the written comprehensive exam./ oral comprehensive (depend on program) pass not pass	Within July 4, 2025
4	Department/ Board (IRB)	Proposal Defense pass not pass——— The Ethic Risk Assessment by the Curriculum Administrative Committee Risk Invovement Non-Risk Board (IRB) IS Defense	
5*	Department	Administer the IS defense pass not pass	Within July 11, 2025
6*	Main IS Advisor	Monitor and follow up the student's progress to ensure whether s/he make corrections of (1) article and/or (2) IS, according to the comments of reviewer(s) and/or IS defense committee. corrections are made corrections are not made	
7*	Department Head	Submit the grade of IS to the Registration Office.	July 23, 2025
8	Department Head	 Submit a memo with the name list of students who will graduate to Academic Affairs. Attach a copy of IS grade submission (No. 6) with a memo. 	Last day: July, 2025 (following the academic calendar)
	_	Last day of graduation announcement	July 25, 2025 (following the academic calendar)

^{*} If the student cannot follow the procedure timeframe as indicated in the table, s/he will not be able to graduate in that semester.