### THESIS FORMAT

# **Order of Thesis Content**

The order of thesis content should be placed as below:

- 0. Bound Edge of the Thesis (refer to the Appendix A)
- 1. Cover Page (refer to the Appendix B)
- 2. Fly Page
- 3. Title Page (the same as the Cover Page)
- 4. Thesis Verification Form (must be printed out from the Degree Exam Application System-http://portal.stust.edu.tw/DegreeApp/login.aspx)
- 5. Abstract (English and Chinese, 300-350 words, no more than 1 page)
- 6. Acknowledgements (optional)
- 7. Table of Contents
- 8. List of Tables
- 9. List of Figures
- 10. Main body of the thesis
- 11. Reference
- 12. Appendices(optional)
- 13. Author brief introduction(optional)

#### **Format of Text**

#### 2.1 Typescript

Any version of Microsoft Office Word is acceptable. Set up the required format as follows.

#### 2.2 Size of paper

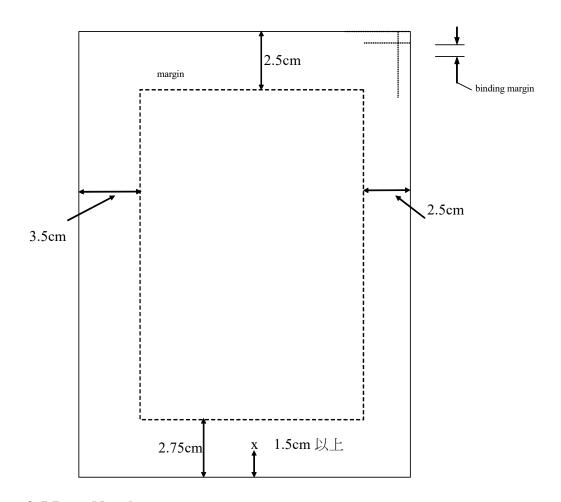
The text shall be produced on A4-size paper.

#### 2.3 Language

Thesis should be written in Mandarin exclude those for second language graduate program (Applied English or Japanese department). Thesis for international graduate students could be written in English.

#### 2.4 Margin

Margin of the <u>left-hand edge</u> of a recto shall be <u>3.5 cm</u>; <u>2.5 cm</u> for the <u>right-hand</u> edge of a verso; <u>2.5 cm</u> for the <u>top edge</u>, and <u>2.75 cm</u> for the <u>bottom edge</u>.



#### 2.5 Page Number

Roman numerals such as i, ii, iii, iv,... should be used for page numbers **before** the main text. Arabic numerals 1, 2, 3, ... should be used in the main text.

**2.6 Font** 

Times New Roman

2.7 Size of character

The size of character used in the main text should be 12; 18 is used for subtitles, 20 for titles and 24 is

used for the topic of the thesis.

2.8 Word Space

For WinWord, around 89 characters printed in each line. You can use the WinWord "Text Justify"

function dressing the entire printed page.

2.9 Paragraph Space

All paragraphs should have 0 line spacing between the last paragraph and one line spacing between

the next paragraph.

2.10 Row Space

In typescript, 1.5 line spacing shall be used; text shall be set with even or proportionate spacing

between words.

**2.11 Indent** 

Please make five characters space indented at the beginning of each paragraph. Two characters space

(around 4mm) indent in your "Table", "Example" or "Clause". If the citation is developed in its own

paragraph, ten spaces should be indented from the left edge.

2.12 Figures and Tables

2.12.1 Numbering of Figures and Tables

Place a period after numbering the table or figure.

Examples: Table 2.1.

Figure 2.1.

The title of the table should be put above it, space 6pt. The title of the figure should be put

below it, space 6pt. If the title/figure is more than one row, Inverted Pyramid Style should be used.

For example:

Table 2.1 Best-fitting multiple regression models assuming instantaneous and sequential

island separations

# Other examples:

Table2.1 Growth of subsidiary company in Taiwan

|          | Q1   | Q2   | Q3   | Q4   |
|----------|------|------|------|------|
| Taipei   | 20.4 | 27.4 | 90   | 20.4 |
| Taichung | 30.6 | 38.6 | 34.6 | 31.6 |
| Tainan   | 45.9 | 46.9 | 45   | 43.9 |

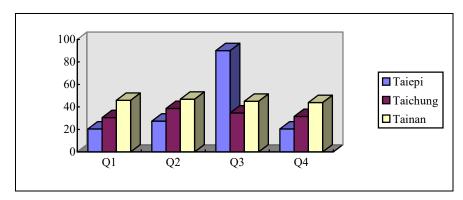
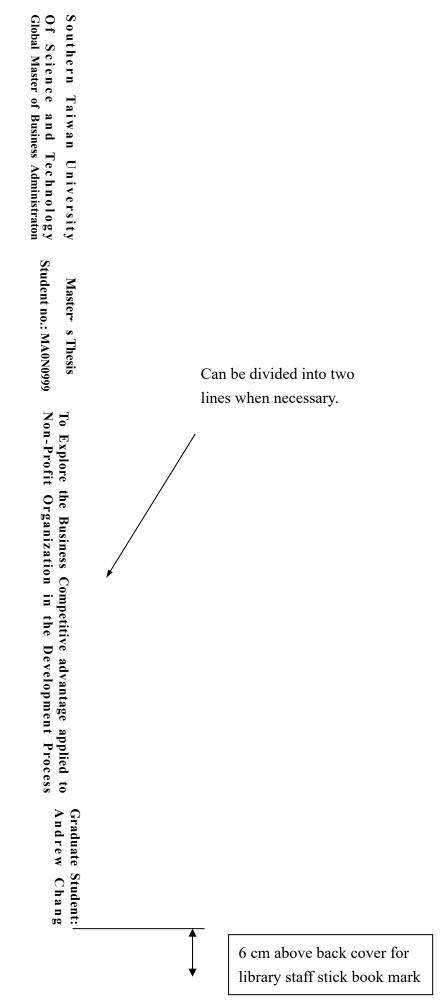
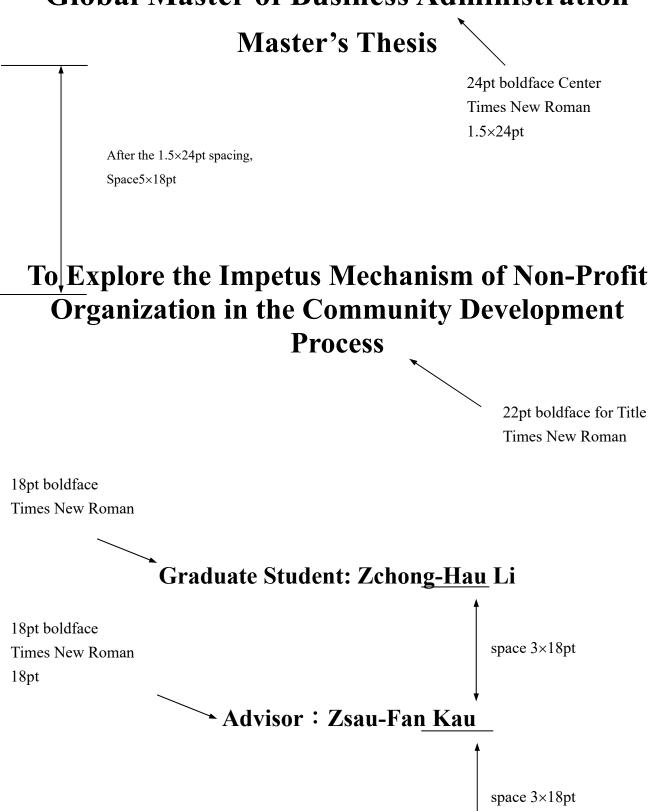


Figure 2.2: Capital accumulation of each season

## Appendix A: bound edge of a book



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