MIN-doctoral degree regulations

Information Sheet:  
*Interdisciplinary doctoral projects*

For interdisciplinary doctoral proposals, the departmental doctoral committees ensure that evaluators represent the relevant subjects. In exceptional cases, the school's doctoral committee can decide whether to accept or reject a proposal. If the departmental doctoral committee does not deem itself responsible for a particular project, it can forward application documents to the school's doctoral committee.

(§ 2 (2) sentences 1-3 in the MIN doctoral regulations)

**Criteria for interdisciplinary doctoral projects for which the Department of Physics is primarily responsible:**

- Joint degree programs with other participating departments.

- The dissertation must have a sufficient basis in physics. Physics-related methods of investigation, relevant physical effects and background must be presented in detail in the draft proposal.

- If other fields are substantially involved in the interdisciplinary project, university professors from the relevant departments need to be represented in the examination committee. At least one evaluator and the chair of the examination committee must be members of the Department of Physics.

(Resolved unanimously by the PHYSIK departmental doctoral committee at its 2nd session on 6 October 2011)