



Appendix F-5: Diploma Supplement



Hunan City University

Diploma Supplement

1. INFORMATION IDENTIFYING THE HOLDER OF THE QUALIFICATION

1.1 Family name(s)

Hu

1.2 First name(s)

Peng

1.3 Date of birth(dd/mm/yyyy)

11/08/2002

1.4 Student identification number or code (if applicable)

202005358

2. INFORMATION IDENTIFYING THE QUALIFICATION

2.1 Name of qualification and (if applicable) title conferred (in original language)

Bachelor of Engineering,

Degree conferred by Hunan City University

2.2 Main field(s) of study for the qualification

Chemical Engineering and Technology

2.3 Name and status of awarding institution (in original language)

Hunan City University,

Status (type/control):

University/State Institution:

2.4 Name and status of institution (if different from 2.3) administering studies (in original language)

[same]

Status (type/control)

[same/same]

2.5 Language(s) of instruction/examination

Chinese

3. INFORMATION ON THE LEVEL AND DURATION OF THE QUALIFICATION

3.1 Level of the qualification

First degree, 4 years with thesis.

3.2 Official duration of programme in credits and/or years

Four years

4. CERTIFICATION

This Diploma Supplement refers to the following original documents:

Chinese Examination Certificate

President: Prof. He Zhen

Dean: Prof. Liu Shiquan

College of Materials and Chemical Engineering

Hunan City University

5. CHINESE NATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM



5.1 Type of Institutions and Institutional Control

University Higher Education at the undergraduate level in China includes two-and three-year junior colleges (sometimes also called short-cycle colleges), four-year colleges, and universities offering programs in both academic and vocational subjects. Many colleges and universities also offer graduate programs leading to the Master's or Ph.D. degree. China's universities can be classified as those directly under the State Education Commission of China, those under other ministries or state-level commissions. Those under provinces, autonomies and municipalities; those under local major cities, and private universities. Independent institutes are neither inferior to nor subordinate to universities in China.

In addition to University Higher Education in China, non-traditional Higher Education includes evening schools, radio and television universities, continuing education programs, employee colleges and several recently established private institutions of higher education. In the late 1970s, short-term undergraduate diplomas were introduced to meet the demands of a labor force geared toward economic development. These institutions also offer long-term, non-bachelor degree programs that last four to five years

5.2 Types of Programmes and Degrees Awarded

Studies in two-and three-year junior colleges (non-degree programs) lead to Diploma (Certificate of Graduation), no degree certificate is awarded.

Undergraduate Studies in four-year institutions lead to Diploma (Certificate of Graduation) and Bachelor's degrees. A Second bachelor's degree is awarded in a separate discipline and requires an additional two years of full-time study. The second bachelor's degree can be awarded concurrently with the first, or it may be awarded after the first degree

Postgraduates Studies at Master-level programs lead to Diploma (Certificate of Graduation) and Master's degrees

5.3 Approval/Accreditation of Programmes and Degrees

A strict authorization examination system has been set up for the conferment of Chinese degrees, including the examinations of degree conferring units, degree-conferring disciplines, degree-conferring special-ties and also including authorizing degree-conferring units to award Master's and Doctoral degree to persons with qualifications equivalent to postgraduates on graduation. Authorization approval must stick to the principles of "adherence to standards, strict requirement, guarantee of quality, and justice"

The examination of newly established Master's and Doctoral degree conferring units shall be conducted every four years. Higher education institutions or scientific research institutes shall advance their applications to the higher authorities and finally submit to the General Office of the Academic Degree Commission of the State Council for ratification if approved by the higher authorities. Higher education institutions or scientific research institutes should first go through the initial examination for the comprehensive conditions, and then their disciplines and specialties are subject to re-examination and approval by the Disciplines Appraising Groups organized by the Academic Degree Committee of the State Council. A new degree-conferring unit comes into being after the approval of the Academic Degree Committee of the State Council.

Bachelor's Degree conferring units Newly established should be approved by the academic degree committees of provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the central government or approved by the education committees of provinces and autonomous regions if the academic degree committees have not been established.

5.4 Organization and Structure of Studies

The academic year of a full-time university is generally divided into two semesters. The first terms begin in early September, and the second, in middle February. Each semester lasts about 20 weeks, and with each week, 5 days. Students have Winter and Summer vacations.

First/Second Degree Programs (Two-Tier): Bachelor/Master degrees These programs make use of credit point systems and modular components

5.4.1 Bachelor

The Bachelor's degree is generally awarded after four years of full-time study, and after five to six years for medicine, dentistry and at some universities for architecture and engineering. Students who successfully complete all undergraduate requirements are awarded two qualifications. The Certificate of Degree and the Certificate of Graduation. Those who do not pass all requirements (e.g. Fail courses or the National English Examination) or enroll in non-degree programs only receive the certificate of Graduation; no degree certificate is awarded.



5.4.2 Master

Master degree programs are offered by degree-granting universities and institutes and by research institutes. Coursework for this qualification usually takes two to three years to complete. Each student begins work on a thesis during his or her final year. An oral exam is also required after the thesis' approval. Students who successfully complete both coursework and thesis are awarded a Master's Degree, while those who only finish the coursework portion of the program receive a Postgraduate Certificate of Graduation.

5.5 Doctorate

The Doctoral Degree is offered at degree-granting universities, institutes and research institutes. Applicants for doctoral degrees must be master-degree holders or those with an equivalent education. They must at the same time have the recommendations of at least two associate professors or professors who are specialists in the fields concerned. The length of study for doctoral degree varies from 3 to 5 years. The candidates should be patriotic, moral, ready to serve the country's construction and well-grounded in basic theory and have solid and systematic knowledge and related technique and methods of their respective fields, capable of going through independent research work. In addition to the compulsory courses, they must finish a dissertation that must be approved and successfully defended.

5.6 Grading Scheme

The grading scheme usually comprises five levels (with numerical equivalents; intermediate grades may be given): (1) Very Good; (2) Good; (3) Satisfactory; (4) Sufficient; (5) Non-Sufficient/Fail.

The minimum passing grade is (4). Verbal designations of grades may vary in some cases

5.7 Access to Higher Education

To ensure the quality of students admitted for higher education, China has set up a strict entrance examination system. The students graduating with senior school diplomas can enter universities or institutes for higher education only after they pass the national entrance examinations held once a year.

5.8 National Sources of Information

The Ministry of Education of the P.R.; China, No.37 Damucang Hutong. Xidan, Beijing, P.R.C
Postcode:100816; Telephone: 86-10-66096114; <http://wvw.moe.edu.cn>
-China Education and Research Network; <http://www.edu.cn>.

6. CONVERSION OF CHINESE CREDITS AND ECTS CREDITS

As this program is a European-accredited engineering bachelor degree program, students who got the bachelor degree in this program have successfully fulfilled courses of 219 ECTS credits in total.