

**List of Industrially/Academically advance countries for evaluation of PhD thesis**  
(For all subjects unless noted)

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| 1. Australia          | 22. Ireland          |
| 2. Austria            | 23. Italy            |
| 3. Belgium            | 24. Japan            |
| 4. Bulgaria           | 25. Luxemburg        |
| 5. Canada             | 26. Netherland       |
| 6. China <sup>+</sup> | 27. New Zealand      |
| 7. Czech Republic     | 28. Norway           |
| 8. Denmark            | 29. Poland           |
| 9. Egypt*             | 30. Portugal         |
| 10. Finland           | 31. Romania          |
| 11. France            | 32. Singapore        |
| 12. Germany           | 33. South Korea      |
| 13. Greece            | 34. Spain            |
| 14. Hong Kong         | 35. Sweden           |
| 15. Hungry            | 36. Switzerland      |
| 16. Iceland           | 37. Turkey           |
| 17. India*            | 38. United Kingdom   |
| 18. Iran*             | 39. United States    |
| 19. Estonia~          | 40. Slovak Republic~ |
| 20. Croatia~          | 41. Slovenia~        |
| 21. Georgia~          |                      |

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\* For Oriental Languages (Arabic etc.) Islamiat, Islamic Studies

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+ For Science, Engineering & Technology

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