The admission requirements can be found in § 7 of the doctoral degree regulations.

Acceptance as a doctoral candidate:

By concluding a written **supervision agreement** in accordance with Annex 1 of the Doctoral Degree Regulations, which must be countersigned by the Chair of the Doctoral Committee after examination of the admission requirements in accordance with Section 7(4)(a) and (c) to (j), the doctoral candidate receives the status of 'accepted doctoral candidate' even before formal admission of the doctoral project in accordance with Section 7.

The supervision agreement must be submitted with the following documents:

- a) an outline of the applicant's professional and academic curriculum vitae and educational background, supplemented by a complete list of academic publications, if applicable,
- b) proof of higher education entrance qualification,
- c) Certificates and supporting documents in accordance with Section 7 (1) of the Doctoral Degree Regulations,
- d) a declaration of any grounds for refusal in accordance with Section 7 (2) of the Doctoral Degree Regulations,
- e) if applicable, an application for a binational doctorate or another joint doctoral procedure (§ 1 para. 2) with the name of the cooperation partner,
- f) a declaration that the regulations on good scientific practice at the Carl von Ossietzky University of Oldenburg are known and will be followed,
- g) a declaration that no commercial brokerage or consultancy services will be used in connection with the doctoral project.
- h) a declaration that the applicant has not already used major parts of a Bachelor's, Master's, Diploma or similar thesis for the dissertation.

The certificates and supporting documents in accordance with Section 7 (1) of the Doctoral Degree Regulations must be submitted as certified copies. All documents submitted become the property of Carl von Ossietzky University.

Separate admission regulations can be found in § 7 of the doctoral degree regulations.

The doctoral committee will inform the applicant of the acceptance or rejection of the doctoral application. At the same time, the office set up to register doctoral students at the University (including the Matriculation Office) will be notified. After admission, enrolment is possible online (https://uol.de/en/registering-phd).