The standards for writing a doctoral thesis are specified in the Guidelines for writing a doctoral thesis issued by the Doctoral School of Hungarian Studies. This document is the Annex 1 of the Regulations of the Doctoral School of Hungarian Studies.

1.A doctoral theses submitted to the Doctoral School of Hungarian Studies must have a minimum of 200 pages with 2,500 characters per page (spaces included), regardless of the type size.

2. The final version should be written in Times New Roman font, size 12; other fonts may be used, provided that the font remains the same throughout the thesis and the appendices.

3. The thesis must have a final Bibliography, which must include all the sources referenced in the text and might also include other sources.

4. Some documents used in the doctoral research may be included in the Annexes of the thesis.

5. It is up to the subject of the research whether the original citations used in the thesis are translated or cited in their original language. The question must be consulted with the supervisor of thesis.

6. Notes may be footnotes or endnotes.

7. The style of the Bibliography varies according to discipline.