Research Degrees Sub-Committee

Remit
The Research Degrees Sub-Committee is directly responsible to the Research & Knowledge Exchange Committee of Senate and has the following remit:

To publish and keep under review the University’s policies, documents, and regulations for research degrees;

To monitor research degree student progress and maintain an official student academic record for research degree students;

To determine policy options and their impact on resources, to make recommendations on matters directly concerned with research degrees;

To prepare action plans for policy implementation when policy has been formally approved by Senate;

To establish working groups with co-opted members as necessary in order to fulfil its role on behalf of Senate.

Membership

Elected
None

Ex Officio
Directors of Research Degrees (or equivalent)

Nominated
Chair nominated by the Research & Knowledge Exchange Committee.
Research Degree Supervisors - Nominated by each School from the Pool of experienced supervisors – normally two per School

Co-opted
A senior academic, with an interest in research, from another University, may be co-opted.
Administrative Officer, Research Enterprise and Innovation Services

In Attendance
Student Representatives (Nominated by each School from the list of registered Research Students – normally one per School)

Secretary
Administrative Officer, Secretariat (nominated as Secretary by the Secretary to Court & Head of Secretariat)

Quorum
The Chair or Vice-Chair and a majority of ex officio members (50% plus 1), must be present

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