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Student Information

Using This Form

The purpose of confirmation is to identify whether the work completed in your course to date indicates that it will result in a high quality thesis, completed in the required time.

This form collects necessary information for your Advisory Committee to assess your progress.
Once you have received this form, contact your principal supervisor to set a date, time and location for the oral presentation and confirmation meeting.

Personal Information
The University of Melbourne collects personal information in accordance with the University's **Privacy Policy**.

Please note that personal, sensitive or health related information provided by you in this form may be viewed by academic and administrative staff involved in the management of your candidature or the processing of this request.

If you have any queries related to your candidature, contact details for your graduate research administrator can be found at: **http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/key-contacts#school**.

Form ID

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Student Personal Details

If your contact details are incomplete or incorrect, update them in my.unimelb

Student ID

1059982

Name

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Phone

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Email

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Check this box to refresh the details if the supervisory and/or thesis title information does not match the details on your student portal.

☐ Refresh Candidature Details

Current Course Details

Course Name

Doctor of Philosophy - Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences

Course Code

DR-PHILMDH

Liability Category

RTP / RTS / CTS

Thesis Title

The Application of Machine Learning to Improve Molecular
Diagnostic Reporting in a Clinical Oncology Setting

Study Load

Full Time

Key Dates

If any of these details are incorrect or require updating, contact
your **graduate research administrator**.

Commencement Date

08-Apr-2019

Expected Thesis Submission Date

08-Apr-2022

Candidature Consumed to Date

0.7732529901

If this amount does not seem correct to you, please review your
candidature history and consult with your graduate research
administrator to ensure your candidature history has been
correctly recorded. Please note that once a course conversion has
been processed we are unable to make changes to your previous
course record.

Progress Review Meetings Schedule

Row 1

Question	Answer
Review Type	Pre-Confirmation Form
Expected Review Date	08-Oct-2019
Actual Review Date	
Review Outcome	Form Response Provided

Row 2

Question	Answer
Review Type	Confirmation Form
Expected Review Date	08-Apr-2020
Actual Review Date	
Review Outcome	Not Entered

Row 3

Question	Answer
Review Type	Progress Review Form
Expected Review Date	08-Apr-2021
Actual Review Date	
Review Outcome	Not Entered

Row 4

Question	Answer
Review Type	Progress Review Form
Expected Review Date	08-Apr-2022
Actual Review Date	
Review Outcome	Not Entered

Field of Research

Record up to four six-digit Field of Research (FoR) codes if no codes are recorded. View a comprehensive list of **FoR codes here**.

Field of Research 1

111202 (Cancer Diagnosis)

Field of Research 2

111203 (Cancer Genetics)

Field of Research 3

111207 (Molecular Targets)

Field of Research 4

NA (Not entered)

Current Supervisor(s) and Advisory Committee Members

Row 1

Question	Answer
Role	Principal Supervisor
Name	MR Kenneth Doig
Staff Organisational Unit	951 The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
Teaching Department	The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
% Responsibility	50

Row 2

Question	Answer
Role	CoSupervisor

Name	DR Thomas (Tom) Conway
Staff Organisational Unit	000 External Research Supervisors
Teaching Department	The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
% Responsibility	50

Row 3

Question	Answer
Role	Committee Chair
Name	PROF Ian Campbell
Staff Organisational Unit	951 The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
Teaching Department	The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
% Responsibility	0

Scholarship Details

Row 1

Question	Answer
Name	Research Training Program Scholarship (Fee offset)
End Date	1/01/1900 12:00:00 AM

Faculty / School / Department Responsibility Split

Row 1

Question	Answer

Faculty / School / Department	The Sir Peter MacCallum Department of Oncology
Responsibility Split (%)	100

Coursework Subjects

Question	Answer
Subject Code	
Subject Name	
Year	
Study Period	
Status	
Grade	
Mark	

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Student Action

Review of Probationary Candidature

Please complete all items in this section of the form before submitting. You must complete and submit this form at least **ten working days prior to the date of your oral presentation.**

This information is required so that your Advisory Committee can assess the following:

- Your progress to date and your academic preparedness to complete;
- Whether you have a clearly defined, coherent and feasible research project and to contribute suggestions for its successful completion;

- Provide you with an opportunity to demonstrate written and oral presentation skills appropriate to graduate research study ;
- Publicly acknowledge a major milestone in the project and inform others about your research project.

Written Report and Research Plan

Students: Include your **written report and research plan** in this section. If you have a [Turnitin](#) report, also attach it here. These must be attached, and this form submitted, **at least ten working days before your confirmation presentation**. These attachments will be forwarded to your advisory committee on submission of this form.

Include your student ID, name and description of the file in the attachment name. **Also, check with your Department/School/Faculty for any discipline-specific requirements, including additional word limits for the written report and research plan.**

Written Report
You must submit a written report containing:

- An abstract of approximately 100 words, that includes a concise statement of the research question/problem/aims/hypothesis;
- A critical summary and analysis of relevant literature;
- An explanation of the conceptual framework to be used and/or a summary of experimental methods and equipment requirements;
- A summary of preliminary data, resources developed, etc;
- A bibliography;
- An argument for the relevance and importance of the study.

Recommended report length:

- Doctoral students: 3,000 - 10,000 words
- Masters students: 2,000 - 5,000 words

Thesis / Research Plan
Provide a plan outlining your proposed thesis structure and/or the research objectives to be achieved. Describe progress made to date and plans for the coming review period. Include timeframes for any regulatory approvals still required (e.g. ethics or copyright clearances, goods handling, police checks).

Attachment

Candidature Management attachment functionality has upload file size limits. You may experience difficulties or delays when attempting to upload large files.

If you need to attach large files to your form submission, please consider using Cloudstor. The AARNet CloudStor service enables you to store, access and share large files powered by the high speed AARNet network. Logging into AARNet [CloudStor](#) will give you access to both CloudStor (storage) and FileSender (ideal for sharing large files) solutions.

To find out more about getting started on the Cloudstor service please visit [CloudStor Getting Started Guide](#).

Once you have uploaded your large file(s) to Cloudstor, use the "Add URL" function in the relevant Create Attachment section of this form to record the URL for the Cloudstor address of your file(s).

Attach your written report and research plan

0 attachments

Research Outputs

Students: If applicable, provide a list of publications (e.g. peer reviewed articles, conference proceedings), presentations, curated works or other research outputs either completed in this review period or planned for the coming review period.

List your research outputs

Attach your research outputs

0 attachments

Research Integrity Online Training

RIOT is the University's Research Integrity Online Training course. All graduate researchers commencing from Semester 2 2016 must successfully complete Research Integrity Online Training (RIOT) prior to their confirmation.

Further information on accessing RIOT can be found [online here](#).

Have you completed the Research Integrity Online Training?

General Comments from Students

Add any comments you wish to make in regards to the progress of your candidature. For example, research related delays beyond your control, other challenges that have arisen/are likely to arise, and whether additional training or assistance is required.

Include any general comments you have about progress of your candidature

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(privacy-officer@unimelb.edu.au) with any questions about how the University deals with personal information.

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Student Submission

If you have completed the relevant sections in the Student Action page, click 'Submit for Processing' button above to lodge your Confirmation form.