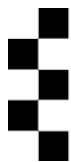
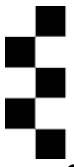


| Milestones | Criteria for progress | Deliverables | Deadline |
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| M1: Progress to Year 2 (or equivalent for part-time students) | A: Assess training needs and knowledge required to undertake research project and complete the thesis. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Training Needs Analysis to be completed. ▪ Attend Proficio courses and plan for further courses to attend, as appropriate. | Term 1 for all students |
| | B: Choose/narrow down the research topic and demonstrate significance/impact of research. | Research Project Proposal, including (dependent on subject area): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write central research problem/questions to be answered. ▪ Methodological considerations. ▪ Feasibility Report – identifying sources, access and ethical considerations ▪ Create project plan, outlining objectives for each stage. | By Supervisory Panel (Term 3 for full-time students; Term 6 for part-time students) |
| | C: Demonstration of effective project management through the setting of research goals and prioritisation of activities. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Create a detailed, realistic plan of work/timetable for Year 2. ▪ Produce supervisory panel report written in a clear and self-reflective style | By Supervisory Panel (Term 3 for full-time students; Term 6 for part-time students) |
| | D: Subject-specific milestones | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Present poster at HSC Annual Staff-Student Research Conference ▪ To complete all taught modules | By end of academic year |
| M2: Progress from Year 2 to Year 3 (or equivalent for part-time students) | A: Review training needs and knowledge required to continue with research project and complete the thesis. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Training Needs Analysis to be reviewed. ▪ Attend Proficio courses and plan for further courses to attend, as appropriate. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ By end of Term 6 for full-time students; Term 12 for part-time students |
| | B: Demonstrate work of | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Produce 3000 word | By end of year |



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| | the quality and quantity expected at the end of Year 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> report Report on research undertaken to date | Supervisory Panel (Term 6 for full-time students; Term 12 for part-time students) |
| | C: Review significance and impact of research and articulate output. | For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present research to students and staff at seminars/conference | By end of year Supervisory Panel (Term 6 for full-time students; Term 12 for part-time students) |
| | D: Demonstration of effective project management through the setting of research goals and prioritisation of activities. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a detailed, realistic plan of work/timetable for Year 3. Produce supervisory panel report written in a clear and self-reflective style | By end of year Supervisory Panel (Term 6 for full-time students; Term 12 for part-time students) |
| | E: Subject-specific milestones | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present poster at the HSC Annual Staff-Student Research Conference To complete all taught modules | By end of academic year |
| M3: During Year 3 (or equivalent for part-time students) | A: Ability to reflect on skills and knowledge development and its application to the research project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Training Needs Analysis reviewed | By Supervisory Panel (Term 8 for full-time students; Term 18 for part-time students) |
| | B: Demonstrate work of the quality and quantity expected at the end of Year 3 (or equivalent for part-time students) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research completed (experimental, empirical and theoretical work, where relevant) | By Supervisory Panel (Term 8 for full-time students; Term 18 for part-time students) |
| | C: Demonstrate clear evidence of progress towards submission | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completed final draft of thesis for supervisor(s)/supervisory panel comment Produce supervisory panel report written in a clear and self-reflective style | By Supervisory Panel (Term 8 for full-time students; Term 18 for part-time students) |
| | D: Subject-specific milestones | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present thesis research at the HSC Conference To complete all taught modules | By end of academic year |



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| If required (for P/T students only) M4: During Completion Period | A: Clear evidence of progress towards submission | ▪ Timeline of work needing to take place before submission | Timeline agreed by Supervisory panel. |
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