

Schedule 3: Supervisor Professional Development

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	Supervisor registration	Supervisor induction	Respectful Research Training – HDR Supervisors	Introduction to supervision	Supervisor seminars
Description	An overview of the RMIT HDR policy suite	An intensive induction to research training at RMIT	Achieving a mutually respectful and safe research training environment	An introduction to good supervisory practice and candidature management.	A range of collegial seminars and other activities designed to extend networks and promote good practice in supervision and research education
Mode	Self-directed, half-hour online module	Seminar (either face-to-face or webinar)	Two parts: a self-directed, online module and a seminar (either face-to-face or webinar)	Moderated online short module offered over four weeks	Seminars and workshops
Requirement – staff only	Required for all supervisors at registration and updated biennially	Required for all supervisors	Required for all supervisors	Required for all Category 1 registered supervisors without a prior PhD completion as senior supervisor Elective for all others	To meet good practice guidelines, it is recommended all supervisors participate in at least 2 professional development activities per year
Exemptions which may apply	No exemptions	No exemptions	No exemptions	Exemptions considered on the basis of completion of an equivalent program at another higher education institution	Not applicable