

HDR Supervision Arrangements

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Internal Supervisors:

Internal Supervisors	
Definition	Fixed-term and continuing RMIT salaried staff and RMIT Emeritus Professors
Roles available	Senior Supervisor (not available to fixed-term staff) Joint Senior Supervisor Associate Supervisor
Academic qualifications	PhD (or formally deemed equivalent)

Categories	Maximum supervisory load (by FTE) Teaching and research staff	Maximum supervisory load (by FTE) Research only staff	Research active requirements	Professional development requirements
Associate Supervisor	8	10	None	As per Schedule 3: Supervisor Professional Development
Senior or Joint Senior Supervisor			Within the last 3 years: - At least one HDR supervision to completion (as Senior or Associate) And either: - An ERA eligible research output (including publications and creative works) and External research income OR - Six or more ERA eligible research outputs during the previous three years	

External Supervisors:

External Supervisors	
Definition	Anyone not employed by RMIT or an RMIT Emeritus Professor
Roles available	Joint Senior Supervisor Associate Supervisor

External Supervisors

Academic qualifications	None required for associate supervision. PhD (or formally deemed equivalence) for Joint Senior Supervisor
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Categories	Maximum number of candidates (by FTE)	Research active requirements	Professional development requirements
Associate supervisor	None	None	None
Joint senior supervisor	None	None	None

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