



Policy: HDR Candidate Final Oral Presentation

Purpose

To ensure that HDR candidates who are nearing the completion of the thesis are able to present and defend their research orally in an open seminar.

ANU College of Medicine, Biology & Environment/ANU College of Physical Sciences Policy on HDR Candidate Final Oral Presentations

1. All HDR candidates enrolled in CMBE/CPS are required to present a seminar to members of the Department/School including, but not limited to, their supervisory panel.
2. The final seminar must be presented within the last six months of the candidature.
3. If the presentation is poor and/or the student is unable to adequately defend and explain the research when responding to questions, the supervisory panel Chair may recommend that the student delay submission.
4. A report on the final seminar, including any recommendation to delay submission of the thesis, must be completed on the attached form by the members of the supervisory panel in consultation with the student. The report must be signed by the panel Chair, the student and the Associate Dean.
5. The completed report must be returned to the CMBE/CPS HDR Student Liaison Officer for recording and transmission to the Examinations Section.

Implementation

The Policy has been approved and will be fully implemented from 1 January 2009.

Review date

1 December 2009