

SMP Research Higher Degree Milestones: Thesis Review

Research Higher Degree students are required to:

1. Before initiating any processes via the candidature management system talk to the Research Higher Degree Liaison Officer (Linda Waldrum) via rhd-smp@uq.edu.au
2. **Present their work at one of the regular SMP seminar series between mid-candidature review and thesis review.** The seminar should be advertised to the School at least a week in advance. For remote candidates wishing to present their work at a conference or seminar outside of UQ, permission must be sought from the School Postgraduate Coordinator pgc-smp@uq.edu.au
3. Present their Advisory Team with written material of sufficient quantity and quality for a judgement to be made by the Advisory team to the SMP Postgraduate Coordinator that the thesis will be ready for submission within three months of the review.
4. Following step two, it is the responsibility of the Principal Advisor to provide feedback to the School Postgraduate Coordinator via email pgc-smp@uq.edu.au with a brief summary of the written material presented for the review, and with a recommendation on whether the thesis will be ready for submission within three months or not.
5. If the recommendation is that the thesis **will not be ready** for submission within three months of the review, the student should contact the Higher Degree Liaison Officer via rhd-smp@uq.edu.au
6. If the recommendation is that the thesis will be ready for submission within three months of the review, the student should complete an **Attainment of Milestone** through the Candidature Management Portal <https://my.uq.edu.au/rhd/services/manage-my-candidature>