

External Research Degrees Committee 2020-21

Terms of reference

1. To make decisions on the admission, candidature, progress and examination of all candidates for research degrees in the Accredited Institutions, within the academic areas approved for this purpose by the University.
2. To assure attainment of our academic standards and an equivalent student experience of candidates through appropriate quality assurance procedures in accordance with the University's Regulations and Code of Practice for Research Degree Candidature and Supervision which govern such candidature.
3. To report to the Academic Quality and Standards Committee (AQSC) on (i) and (ii) above, and on related issues.

Membership

In December 2018 it was agreed that AQSC will recommend to Senate that the External Research Degrees Committee be held in abeyance.

Frequency and Timing

See statement above.

Quorum

The External Research Degrees Subcommittee will be quorate with 50% of the membership in attendance.

Reporting Requirements

The External Research Degrees Subcommittee reports to the Academic Quality and Standards Committee (AQSC).