**Frequently Asked Questions**

(answers may be in the PGR Code of Practice)

**General questions relevant to whole PGR process:**

1. Who is my PGR Convenor?
2. What is the PGR student process for my School?
3. How do I decide the respective roles of the 1st and 2nd supervisors?

**Section 1 Deciding whether to take on a student:**

1. What criteria should I use for considering a student for supervision?
2. How do I decide how much time to spend working with a student on their proposal?
3. What is my role in a scholarship application?

**Section 2 Maintaining contact before arrival and agreeing research training requirements:**

1. How can I maintain contact with my student?
2. What criteria should I use for agreeing research training requirements with my student?

**Section 3 First few supervision meetings:**

1. Where do I find information to advise my student on topics raised in this section?
2. What should I expect from my student?
3. How do I convey what I expect from my student?
4. How do I find out what my student expects?

**Section 4 Annual Progress Reviews:**

1. When should I start preparing my student for their Annual Review?
2. What does the preparation entail?
3. Who does the Annual Review panel consist of?
4. What are the different results possible from an Annual Review?

**Section 5 Towards the end of 3rd year:**

1. How does the third year Annual Review differ from the previous?
2. How do you select the convenor and examiners?

**Section 6 Thesis Submission:**

1. How do I prepare my student for their viva?
2. Where can I find all of the appropriate forms?

**Section 7 Viva and after**

1. Should I attend the viva?
2. Who does what after the viva?