

JOINT DOCTORAL SUPERVISION AGREEMENT

This agreement is between:
(*Name of Institution*)
and Macquarie University of
Sydney NSW 2109 Australia

This Supervision Agreement is conducted under the auspices of the relevant doctoral degree rules of (*name of University and Country*) and Macquarie University Australia.
CRICOS Provider Number 00002J

Title I: Administrative Details

Article 1

This agreement for joint doctoral supervision is approved for (*name of student*) to be enrolled as a PhD candidate in the (*name*) Department of Macquarie University and (*Department and University name*).

The joint enrolment is planned to commence in the year of (*year*) for a period of (*number of years*) years with a possible one year extension by mutual agreement. The exact commencement date will be confirmed in writing by (*name of student*) to Macquarie University.

Article 2

The above-named Higher Degree Research student will be supervised by at least one supervisor in each country. The work will be carried out in the two institutions. At least (*indicate the number of months*) months in each year or (*name number*) year in total will be spent at Macquarie University and the remaining time at (*name of University*).

Article 3

(*Name of student*) will be required to fulfil all the usual conditions of enrolment of a Higher Degree Research student of Macquarie University – these are available at <http://www.research.mq.edu.au/students>. As an international student, (*name of student*) will receive a scholarship to cover tuition fees from Macquarie University while enrolled

at Macquarie University. Payment of these fees and any living allowance stipend will be subject to satisfactory academic progress and governed by the Conditions of Award of such a scholarship. Applicants will need to satisfy eligibility criteria for the award of a scholarship.

(Name of student) will also enrol at *(name of University)* and comply with any relevant requirements of such enrolment including the payment of any fees.

Article 4

While located in Australia as an international student, the Overseas Student Health Cover for *(name of student)* will be paid by Macquarie University as part of the scholarship entitlement. .

Article 5

The candidate's travel costs between institutions will be paid as agreed by the supervisors and approved by the institutions. Macquarie University will pay for one economy return airfare from *(name of country)* to Australia.

Article 6

This agreement will be effective from the date of enrolment of *(name of student)* at Macquarie University. It will terminate either on thesis submission at Macquarie University, or on agreement termination by any one of the parties to this agreement, whichever is earlier.

Title II: Academic Details

Article 1

The proposed title of the thesis is *(thesis title)*

The Principal Supervisor at *(name of University)* is *(name of Principal Supervisor)*. The Principal Supervisor at Macquarie University is *(name of Macquarie Principal Supervisor)*.

The Principal Supervisor and any other Supervisors will jointly be involved in the continuing assessment of the candidate's work in progress and will fully carry out their responsibilities in accordance with the Rules and requirements of their respective

Institutions. Where any such Rules and requirements between the Institutions are in conflict, the Principal Supervisor and other Supervisors will negotiate a compromise suitable to both institutions.

Article 2

The candidate, the supervisors and the Institutions will comply with the relevant institutional policies with regard to intellectual property in order to protect the PhD research and the publication of research results. In the event of potential commercialisation of the project intellectual property, the Universities, which shall have appropriate authority to negotiate on the candidate's behalf, shall negotiate in good faith as to the nature of that commercialisation in accordance with their respective Intellectual Property Policies.

Article 3

The thesis will be submitted and examined according to the established procedures at Macquarie University and the Macquarie University Doctoral Degree Rules. Three external examiners will be appointed by the University upon the recommendation of the Dean of the (*name Division/Faculty*), following consultation with the student and student's supervisors. Recommendation for the award of the Macquarie University degree will rest solely with Macquarie University.

Article 4

The thesis will be submitted and examined according to the established procedures at (*name of University*). The candidate, (*name of student*) must also complete the coursework component at (*name of University*).

Article 5

The thesis will be submitted in English for Macquarie University, with an abstract in English.

Article 6 (i)

The two Institutions undertake, based on their respective procedures pertaining to the submitted thesis, to award the degree of Doctor of Philosophy of Macquarie University and the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at (*name of University*) subject to the satisfactory

completion of all award requirements by the candidate.

Article 6 (ii)

A decision to award the degree by either University is not binding upon the other.

Article 7

The signatories of the current agreement will comply with existing regulations in their respective institutions and countries regarding the filing, registration of copyright, description and reproduction of the thesis.

For and on behalf of (name of University)	For and on behalf of Macquarie University
<p>The Principal Supervisor: (<i>name Principal Supervisor</i>)</p> <p>Associate Supervisor</p> <p>Date:</p>	<p>The Principal Supervisor: (<i>name Principal Supervisor</i>)</p> <p>Associate Supervisor</p> <p>Date:</p>
<p>The Head of the Department of (<i>name of Department</i>):</p> <p>Dean,</p> <p>The Dean of (<i>name of Faculty</i>).</p> <p>Name</p> <p>Date:</p>	<p>The Head of the Department of (<i>name Department</i>)</p> <p>Date:</p> <p>The Dean of the Division/Faculty of (<i>name Division/Faculty</i>)</p> <p>Name</p> <p>Date:</p>
<p>The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research):</p> <p>Date:</p>	<p>Recommended by HDRO:</p> <p>Responsible Officer:</p> <p>Date:</p>
<p>The Candidate:</p> <p>(name)</p> <p>Date:</p>	<p>The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research):</p> <p>Professor J. A. Piper</p> <p>Date:</p>