BEFORE YOU START – Faculty of Education Higher Degree by Research (HDR)

Expression of Interest and Application Information

This document provides a summary of information relevant to applying for and accepting offers for HDR study in the Faculty of Education (FoE), UTAS. Please follow the links carefully and use this document alongside information found on the UTAS Graduate Research webpage, particularly the ‘how to apply’ section.

Initial Enquiry (EOI)

- Students applying for a Higher Degree by Research should submit an Expression of Interest (EOI): http://www.utas.edu.au/education/research/Future-research-students/how-to-apply
- Please attach with your EOI: CV, Academic Transcripts and evidence of your English proficiency (if applicable)
- A preliminary assessment will be conducted to verify that the minimum entry requirements are met, following this the proposed project will be considered by the Faculty to identify appropriate supervision (if any)
- Students may also contact Graduate Research Administration Officer (Launceston Research Hub) | Phone +61 3 6324 4453 | Email (Research.Launceston@utas.edu.au)
- Please check the UTAS Graduate Research web page for key information - http://www.utas.edu.au/research/graduate-research

Application

- Complete an Application for Admission and Scholarship for Higher Degree Research Candidature (PhD, Research Masters and Professional Doctorates).
- Applications, supporting documentation and independent referee reports are to be submitted to Research.Launceston@utas.edu.au
- **International Applicants** should also include certified transcripts of qualification in English, proof of English language ability (IELTS or TOEFL).
- Detailed information regarding admission requirements can be found at the Graduate Research website, http://www.utas.edu.au/research/graduate-research/future-students/how-to-apply

Application Assessment

- Applications are assessed by the Faculty Graduate Research Coordinators. Recommendations are then made to the Graduate Research Office (GRO) and where an appropriate offer is made.
- **Scholarships** are administrated centrally through the GRO and are a competitive process across the whole university. Note: The Faculty of Education may make a recommendation for a scholarship, however, the decision rests with the University Scholarship Ranking Committee.
- Offers may be for full scholarship, partial scholarship or candidature only (no scholarship). In some cases, no offer will be made.