Your Postgraduate Year in 2015

March 12, 2015
Agenda

• Introductions
• Administration Contacts
• Processes
• Budget dos and don’ts
• Publications and Writing Bootcamps
• HDR reps
• HDR Conference and interviews
• Sick-leave
• You in the Department
• Ice-breaker
Introductions

- Mariella Herberstein - Head of Department
- Adam Stow - Chair of the HDR committee
- Veronica Peralta - Administration HDR
- New & old students
Administration Contacts

• Veronica Peralta - veronica.peralta@mq.edu.au

• HDR Committee member

• Budgets, travel, general
HDR Commencement

- Email
- iLearn
- Account Number: MEMORISE!!!!
- Foresight
- Panels
HDR Processes

- Travel, Fieldwork
- Inductions (field work, vehicles, safety, etc)
- HDR Conference
- Biology Website
- HDR iLearn page
- Ask/Suggest
HDR Budget

- Project Support
- Budget Submission
  - Online HDR iLearn page or Biology website
- Due: Fri 20th March
- Approval: Supervisor, Me, HoD Rep
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HDR Ilearn page

- BIOL990 HDR research
HDR reps

- Tom White
- Lisa-Marie Harrison
Publications and Boot camp

- Number & quality of publications important
  - thesis & career
- Plan papers well & with supervisor
- G2G workshop - Scientific Writing
- Writing Bootcamp with Simon Griffith
Sick leave

• If you have ongoing health issues - please take sick leave

• Anything over 4 weeks will extend scholarship!
You in the Department

• We need YOU!
  • Participate & initiate
  • Seminar attendance
  • Drinks, morning teas, lunches...

• We want to celebrate YOUR successes
  • Completion seminars
  • Papers & grants
  • Media releases
More & Less

• MORE
  • fun, involvement, participation, creativity

• LESS
  • printing!
Questions & Suggestions
Ice-Breaker
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• Introduce yourself

• Your engagement previous to your PhD?

• PhD project?

• An interesting fact about yourself OR The most interesting/unique person you’ve worked with?