Candidate Details

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| **Degree** | Choose an item. |
| **Candidate Name** |  |
| **Student Number** |  |

Examiners’ Recommendations

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| **Examiner 1** |  |
| **Examiner 2** |  |
| **Examiner 3** (Doctoral only) |  |

Recommended Examination Outcome (please refer to Decision Matrix below)

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| **Primary Examination** – select one of the following | |  |
| 1. | **The candidate should be awarded the degree and no corrections to the thesis are required.**  There are no errors or omissions that need amendment beyond typographical corrections. |  |
| 2. | **The candidate should be awarded the degree subject to making amendments and corrections to the thesis as specified in my report.**  There are amendments, additions, or parts of the thesis that require revision or rewriting as specified by the examiner. The candidate has up to six (6) months to submit their amended thesis, subject to the satisfaction of the Principal Supervisor and Head of School or delegate. |  |
| 3. | **The candidate should revise and resubmit the thesis for re-examination.**  The thesis does not yet meet required standards and the degree cannot be awarded without re-submission and re-examination. The thesis requires significant structural or content changes and major revisions. The amendments to the thesis must be based on the examination reports and sent to the examiners for re-assessment to check that the candidate has addressed all concerns. The original examiners will be requested to re-examine the revised thesis if possible. Each examiner will be provided with the reports of all original examiners when reviewing the resubmitted thesis.  The candidate must complete a further period of research and/or writing of up to twelve (12) months and submit a revised thesis for re-examination. A revised thesis can only be submitted for re-examination once. |  |
| **Re-Examination –** select one of the following | | |
| 1. | **The candidate should be awarded the degree and no corrections to the thesis are required.**  There are no errors or omissions that need amendment beyond typographical corrections. |  |
| 2. | **The candidate should be awarded the degree subject to making amendments and corrections to the thesis as specified in my report.**  There are amendments, additions, or parts of the thesis that require revision or rewriting as specified by the examiner. The candidate has up to six (6) months to submit their amended thesis, subject to the satisfaction of the Principal Supervisor and Head of School or delegate. |  |
| 3. | **DOCTORAL THESES ONLY: The candidate be awarded a master by research degree with or without changes.**  The candidate has not demonstrated a contribution to knowledge that is of sufficient significance or originality for a doctoral degree but meets the standard expected for a master by research degree. Prior to the master by research degree being awarded, the candidate may be required to undertake revisions as specified in the examination reports. |  |
| 4. | **The degree not be awarded (non-award/ fail classification)**  The thesis has substantive, irredeemable flaws in scholarship, research or argumentation that render it inadequate for the award of a higher degree by research. |  |

Recommendation Rationale

Summarise key points from each examiners’ report and the rationale taken to select the above outcome.

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| **I have conformed to the Examination Outcome Guidelines?** | Choose an item. |
| No\* (If not conforming with the Examination Outcome Guideline). Please confirm that you have discussed with HDR Coordinator and provide justification: | |

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| **Chair of Examiners** |  |  |  |  | Click or tap to enter a date. |  |
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Integrity Concerns or Divergent Examiner Reports (Head of School or Delegate)

This section is to be used where examiners raise integrity concerns and/or recommend divergent outcomes. Divergent outcomes means the outcomes recommended vary significantly and it is difficult to make a determination. In this case the Head of School or delegate must be consulted.

Head of School or delegate, summarise the rationale taken to select the above outcome.

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| **Head of School or delegate** |  |  |  |  | Click or tap to enter a date. |  |
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