

## Show Cause for Research Candidates Guideline

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Guideline Statement				
<b>Purpose</b>	To provide clear guidelines on the Show Cause process for higher degree research (HDR) candidates.			
<b>Scope</b>	This guideline should be used by HDR candidates, and academic and professional staff managing HDR candidates.			
<b>Are Local Documents on this subject permitted?</b>	Yes; however Local Documents must be consistent with the University-wide Document			No
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### 1. Introduction

A request to Show Cause is recognition that a higher degree research (HDR) candidate

situation, the Committee considers the case to determine whether to make a recommendation to the Dean of Graduate Research that the candidate be formally asked to Show Cause.

#### 2.1. Postgraduate Coordinator Recommendation

The Postgraduate Co-ordinator (PGC) submits to the Committee a Show Cause recommendation based on a reason listed in Section 2. This includes all documentation relating to the research progress within the candidature.

As a minimum, this should include documentation of prior research progress reviews and related actions clearly outlining the following:

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