

**Research Induction Committee (RIC)**  
**8<sup>th</sup> August, 09:00 AM**  
**Room G08, Building 6, Clayton Campus**

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Any conflict of interest as well as apologies must be sent in writing to the  
Executive Officer Kerry Theodora in advance.

 indicates an attachment

**1. Introduction to Formal Business**

- 1.1 Apologies
- 1.2 Absent
- 1.3 Observers
- 1.4 By invitation
- 1.5 Minutes

**2. Minutes**

- 2.1 Minutes from the last RIC meeting 3/2007  **RIC 01\_04 / 2007**

**Recommendation**


That the minutes of meeting no 03/2007 of the Research Induction Committee be confirmed as an accurate record.


**3. Starring of unstarred items**


The chair will provide members with the opportunity to star additional items for discussion.

**MOTION:** The Chair moves that for all items other than those starred the recommendations contained therein be adopted without discussion or the information noted.

**4. \* Business Arising from Minutes**

- 4.1 Proposals for New HDR Combined Courses  **RIC 02\_04 / 2007**
  - Combined Master of Psychology (Counselling)/PhD
  - Combined Master of Psychology (Educational & Developmental)/PhD

*Invitee* Assoc Prof Trevor Gale will address this item.
- 4.2 PhD in Singapore  **RIC 03\_04 / 2007**

*Invitee* Assoc Prof Trevor Gale will address this item.
- 4.3 When does quality assurance require ethical review  **RIC 04\_04/2007**

*Invitee* Assoc Prof Trevor Gale will address this item.

**5. \* Reports**

- 5.1 Update from MERC



5.2 Associate Dean (Research Degrees and Induction)  
Assoc Prof Ilana Snyder to report

- Proposal for (re)introducing a Doctoral Research Seminar  
📁 RIC 05\_04 / 2007
- Research Month 2007 📁 RIC 06\_04 / 2007
- Doctorate Program Workshop 📁 RIC 07\_04 / 2007
- The Winter School 2007
- Mid Year Scholarship 2007 (MGS and MIPRS) 📁 RIC 08\_03 / 2007
- Annual Progress Reports 2007
- Administrative Office Position

**Comment:** This was tabled in last years meting no 5, and meeting asked for more clarification, I thought it might be a good start.

**Comment:** •(the one that was on Friday 29 June 2007

**Comment:** •(we will have the results by then)

**Comment:** Mr Michael Enticott

5.3 Co-ordinator of Honours Degrees

5.4 Director of Research Degrees

5.5 Education Committee

**6. \*Other Business**

**7. Next Meeting**

---24<sup>th</sup> October, 9:00 AM GO 8, Building 6, Clayton.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Associate Professor Ilana Snyder -- Chair

Assoc Prof Helen Forgasz  
 Professor Margaret Somerville  
 Professor Peter Sullivan  
 Dr Mandi Berry  
 Dr Jill Brown  
 Dr Jenny Miller  
 Dr Umesh Sharma

**FOR INFORMATION**

Professor Jane Kenway  
 Assoc Prof Trevor Gale  
 Dr Robyn Zink  
 Miss Joanne Witheridge  
 Dr Evan Kritikakos  
 Ms Sue Plowright  
 Dr Janette Simmonds  
 Dr John Roodenburg  
 Dr Tasos Barkatsas  
 Dr Zofia Pawlaczek

**MERC Representatives**

Mr Calvin Taylor

Executive Officer: Mr Mayur Katariya

Administrative Officer: Vcant