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HIGHER DEGREES BY RESEARCH EXAMINER NOMINATION FORM

Date:

Dear

Batchelor Institute recognise that good quality Higher Degree Research examination is an essential component in providing a high-quality experience for Higher Degree by Research Candidates. The Graduate School would like to extend an invitation to you to consider nominating as an examiner of the [Thesis or Project and Exegesis] submitted in fulfilment of the award of [PhD or MA] by a Research Candidate from the Graduate School.

Potential, Perceived or Real Conflict of Interest :

Please read the Title and Abstract and select your answer to this question, or get in touch with Graduate School staff to discuss: graduateschool@batchelor.edu.au

Do you consider that you may have played any role in or been actively engaged with this candidate's work, or do you identify the Candidate as someone you may know or are closely related to?

- If **YES** to any of these, then you are not eligible to examine, and we appreciate your declaration of a potential or real conflict of interest and ask that you confirm that you are unavailable.
- If **NO**, and you are interested in and would have time to undertake this examination please complete the form below. The Graduate School will process your nomination and when confirmed through the research Committee, we will send you a letter of appointment outlining the honorarium, timeline and examining requirements. When that has been returned, we will send the submission in a digital format with a feedback template.

Title:

Abstract (3,000 characters maximum)

EXAMINER NOMINATION FORM - HIGHER DEGREES BY RESEARCH

This nomination form asks for your relevant professional information so we can consider appointing you to act as an Examiner for this [add program selection here] research project. The information you provide will be used to assess suitability, and will be accessible to the Candidate's Supervisors, the Graduate School Academic Program Leader and the Research Committee in this process. Please discuss any questions with our Graduate School team: graduateschool@batchelor.edu.au

Personal Details

Name: _____ Date: _____
Email: _____ Phone: _____
Title: _____ Affiliation: _____
Role: _____ Orcid ID: _____

Current Professional Resume Attached: Yes No
Do you identify as a person of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander heritage? Yes No

Examination Experience

How many Higher Degree research projects have you examined in the last five years # MA #PhD

Were any of these submitted by Australian First Nations Higher Degree Research Candidates? Yes No

Do you speak another language than English and if so, which one? _____

Have you examined the research of someone whose first language is not English? Yes No

What awareness or experience of Indigenous Knowledge research perspectives and standpoints do you have?
(limit 1500 characters)

What is your experience with the research field, topic or method as described in the abstract? (limit 1500 characters)