

## GRADUATE RESEARCH STUDIES BOARD

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### AGENDA

THURSDAY, 26 June 2014

9.00 A.M. IN A204

#### SECTION A: Minutes and related issues

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Minutes of the meeting of 22 May 2014
3. Matters arising from the minutes

#### SECTION B: Policy and strategy issues

4. Labelled pathways for PhD students in Faculties, and associated proposed Graduate Training Elements
  - 4.1 Dublin City University Business School
  - 4.2 Faculty of Science and Health
    - 4.2.1 School of Biotechnology Structured PhD: *Bio Translate*

BE550: Postgraduate Basics in Biotechnology  
BE533: Gene Cloning and Gene Expression 2  
BE554: Laboratory Demonstrating and Tutoring in Biotechnology
    - 4.2.2 The Centre for Advancement of Science and Mathematics Teaching and Learning (CASTeL) STEM Structured PhD
    - 4.2.3 School of Health and Human Performance Structured PhD: *Integrated Human Physiology for Health and Human Performance*

SS502: Postgraduate Thesis Foundation Module
    - 4.2.4 Mathematical Sciences Structured PhD

MS531: Seminar on Stochastic Analysis  
MS532: Mathematics Tutorial Delivery  
MS533: Mathematics Seminar Series
    - 4.2.5 School of Nursing and Human Sciences Structured PhD

NS5040: Advanced Psychology Seminars  
NS5041: Advanced Psychology Skills  
NS5042: Publishing Psychological Research  
NS5043: Research Engagement and Awareness Seminars

#### **4.2.6 School of Physical Sciences Structured MSc and PhD**

FSH511: Mathematical Methods in Physics  
PS518: Synthesis and Characterisation of Materials  
PS519: Advanced Quantum Mechanics  
PS520: Computational Physics  
PS521: Physics Tutoring and Demonstrating  
PS522: Microfluidics 2  
PS523: Applied Spectroscopy 2

#### **5. Graduate School Handbook 2014/15**

#### **SECTION C: Individual student issues**

#### **6. Applications for transfer to the PhD Register or confirmation on the PhD Register**

- 6.1 GRSB2014/A5/6.1, School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies
- 6.2 GRSB2014/A5/6.2, School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies
- 6.3 GRSB2014/A5/6.3, Dublin City University Business School
- 6.4 GRSB2014/A5/6.4, School of Chemical Sciences
- 6.5 GRSB2014/A5/6.5, School of Computing
- 6.6 GRSB2014/A5/6.6, School of Education Studies
- 6.7 GRSB2014/A5/6.7, School of Education Studies
- 6.8 GRSB2014/A5/6.8, School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering
- 6.9 GRSB2014/A5/6.9, School of Nursing and Human Sciences
- 6.10 GRSB2014/A5/6.10, School of Physical Sciences

#### **7. Appointment of external examiners**

- 7.1 GRSB2014/A5/7.1, PhD, School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies  
Professor Dr Bernhard Brehmer, Ernst Moritz Arndt Universität Greifswald, Germany
- 7.2 GRSB2014/A5/7.2, PhD, School of Biotechnology  
Dr Thomas Moore, University College Cork
- 7.3 GRSB2014/A5/7.3, PhD, Dublin City University Business School  
Professor Rodney McAdam, University of Ulster
- 7.4 GRSB2014/A5/7.4, PhD, School of Chemical Sciences  
Dr John Stephens, NUI Maynooth
- 7.5 GRSB2014/A5/7.5, PhD, School of Computing  
Dr John McDonald, NUI Maynooth
- 7.6 GRSB2014/A5/7.6, MSc, School of Health and Human Performance  
Dr Matthew Rodger, Queen's University Belfast
- 7.7 GRSB2014/A5/7.7, PhD, School of Law and Government  
Professor Philip Fennell, Cardiff University
- 7.8 GRSB2014/A5/7.8, MA, School of Law and Government  
Dr Samuel Brazys, University College Dublin
- 7.9 GRSB2014/A5/7.9, PhD, School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering  
Dr James Walsh, Dublin Institute of Technology
- 7.10 GRSB2014/A5/7.10, EdD, Faculty of Education, St. Patrick's College  
Dr Gráinne Ní Dhomhnaill, University College Dublin

7.11 GRSB2014/A5/7.11, PhD, School of Theology, Mater Dei Institute of Education  
Professor Ann Loades, University of Durham and University of St Andrews

**8. Other student issues**

- 8.1 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.1, School of Applied Languages and Intercultural Studies
- 8.2 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.2, School of Applied Languages and Intercultural Studies
- 8.3 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.3, School of Biotechnology
- 8.4 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.4, School of Electronic Engineering
- 8.5 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.5, School of Nursing and Human Sciences
- 8.6 Request for extension to registration period  
GRSB2014/A5/8.6, School of Nursing and Human Sciences

**9. Any other business**

**Date of next meeting:**

Monday, 8 September 2014

9.00 a.m. in A204