

PGR Submission Review Recommendations

At the Submission Review meeting, the review panel will consider your progress and make one of the following recommendations:

- That the candidate has made good progress and will be in a position to submit at the end of the minimum period of registration (e.g. three years for full-time PhD students and five years for part-time PhD students).
- That the researcher has made sufficient progress to proceed to a continuation category of registration. This recommendation should only be made when a researcher: (a) is only making use of the University's general facilities, (b) will no longer be using laboratories or other specialist facilities and (c) will only be receiving advice related to the finalisation of his/her research and thesis. The candidate will qualify for a lower rate of fee (25% of the part-time research home/EU rate).
- The candidate's progress has been hindered by the effects of Covid and should have the period of supervised research and training extended for a set period of 6 months (12 months for part time students). Fees are not chargeable during the set extension period. A second submission review will be scheduled towards the end of the free extension. No further free Covid extensions can be applied.
- That the candidate has made insufficient progress to proceed to the continuation category of registration and should have his/her period of supervised research and training extended for a set period (during which time s/he should be charged full fees. This period should be between one and 12 months only).
- That the candidate transfer his/her registration to the award of MPhil and submit a thesis for the degree of MPhil (applicable for PhD students).
- That the candidate transfer his/her registration to the award of MA/MSc/LLM and submit a thesis for the degree of MA/MSc/LLM (applicable for MPhil and PhD students)
- That the candidate should withdraw from the University