

RESEARCH COMMITTEE'S REPORT 2022

Thank You and PGC Research Year End Recap



The Postgraduate Council Research Committee with the Vice Chancellor, Dean and Deputy Dean of Graduate Research at the Arc PGC Research Awards 2022 Ceremony

As the year comes to a close, the Arc PGC Research Committee would like to thank everyone who has supported our activities and attended our events over the year, we've had a great time!

Some of the highlights from our year were:

- Conducted the largest PGC HDR Needs Survey to date with over 400 respondents identifying the need among others for support across a range of fields including employability, academic workshops, social events which we continue to action with the Graduate Research School and other UNSW stakeholders.



- Advocated and provided data to the University regarding the current state of HDR Stipend, Work and their expectations. Thank you to the over 300 HDRs responding to our HDR Stipend, Work and Parking Survey.
- For the first time, recognize and award the contribution of staffs in our Arc PGC Research Candidate, Supervisor and Staff Awards which have the greatest number of nominations this year totaling over 230. We are thrilled to hear so many individuals have gone above and beyond to uplift the HDR experience at UNSW.

Outside of coffee catchups, thesis bootcamps, Canberra trips and Sydney city tours, we have conducted professional workshops based on the HDR survey. Some of the recordings can be found below:

- [Delivering impactful research presentations with UNSW Public Speaking Society](#)
- [LinkedIn Workshop with UNSW Employability Slides](#)
- [Research to Policy Translation with the Australian Academy of Science Slides](#)

We look forward for you to get involved in 2023 Postgraduate Council team. Please contact PGC incoming President Anthony Sunjaya (Email: a.sunjaya@unsw.edu.au) for further details and follow PGC's Facebook Page.

Expressions of interest for the 2023 Postgraduate Council Team are now open via https://unsw.au1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9GpzFRK7Q7OI04C. Be part of the solution to uplifting the postgraduate experience at UNSW.

On behalf of the PGC Research 2022 Team,
Anthony Sunjaya (Vice-President) and Dana Tribbia (Community Liaison)

PGC Research Committee 2022 Team Members

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