Personal and professional development for postgraduate researchers

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Who are we?

We provide tailored support and opportunities for undergraduate, masters and doctoral students, and for early career and experienced staff involved in teaching, learning and research.

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How we support researchers

• Focus on the researcher beyond the research
• Identifying and gaining skills to help you complete your research degree
• Encourage taking responsibility for own development
Hybrid working

New workshops on:
• Working productively at a distance – working with your supervisor and time management
• Staying Well During your PhD
• Top Tips for Getting the Best Out of a Virtual Conference

Also provision from:
• Digital Skills Programme
• Careers Service
• Student’s Association
• Library

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Getting Started with Postgraduate Research: an online course

A three week online course for all new postgraduate researchers

Week 1: Getting to know you
Week 2: Achieving first milestones
Week 3: Overcoming common challenges

Interactive/ essential information/ hints and tips for making the most of your PGR experience at Edinburgh

Starts on 11th October 2021 – details and enrolment at www.ed.ac.uk/iad/postgraduates
How the IAD can help

• PhD Planner
• Learning Resources
• Signposting useful resources
• Monthly newsletter
• Just Write/Writing Retreats
• Twitter and Blog (@iad4phd)
• Training Needs Analysis

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Support for Tutors and Demonstrators

- Workshops for new teachers on tutoring, demonstrating, marking and teaching online
- Workshops for more experienced teachers (lecturing, supervising, one-to-one advising, creativity in teaching)
- Support for seeking accreditation for your teaching
- Online courses and resources
- Individual consultation (short appointments)

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www.ed.ac.uk/iad/tutors-demonstrators
How to Book

• Events Booking Channel on MyEd
  Select Institute for Academic Development from drop down
  https://www.events.ed.ac.uk/

• IAD Website: www.ed.ac.uk/iad/postgraduates

Please cancel your place if you are unable to attend!
Planning your Development

What do you need
- now?
- in 6 months time?

What is the best source of support?
- workshop
- online resource
- experience

Benefit of:
- Subject specific
- Cross-School and University

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3MT challenges students to consolidate their ideas and research discoveries so they can be presented concisely to a non-specialist audience.
University of Edinburgh
Doctoral College

- A University-wide structure to coordinate and communicate support, training and opportunities

- Monthly digest of training, events and opportunities posted on the website

https://www.ed.ac.uk/doctoral-college

Follow on twitter: @UoE_Doc

- Welcome Event: 16th September 2021
Getting in touch

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