

RDO Research Degrees Office

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1. Who are the RDO?

Student Experience Directorate

- Registry Services
 - Research Degrees Office (RDO)

Central Administrative Support

- Confirming student registration (e.g., Student Loans Company; HE regulators)
- Payments for funded research students
- RDPEB Research Degrees Programmes and Examination Board
- **Change of Circumstances** (e.g., interruption of study, extension of submission deadline, transfer to writing-up, examiner nominations and viva outcomes)
- Academic Regulations and Code of Practice for Research Degrees Programmes
- Official Documentation and Awards



2. Useful information

School/Institute local support team: PGR Coordinator; Supervisor; DGS (Director of Graduate Studies)

- First point of contact for matters related to: studentships; students' progression; special access to rooms/labs; advice on student and supervisor relationship; signpost of students' welfare services offered by QMUL.

Fees enquiries → fees-pgr@qmul.ac.uk

GradIntelligence (also referred to as Gradintel)

- Self-service system for digital copies of Student Status Letter and Award Certificate.

<u>AskQM</u>

- Requests of Student letters; approval of Oyster and rail cards applications; issuing student ID cards; DBS checks; general enquiries.

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- The RDO webpage offers resources, guidelines, and contact details to support each stage of the research student journey.







The RDO wishes you great success in your research!

