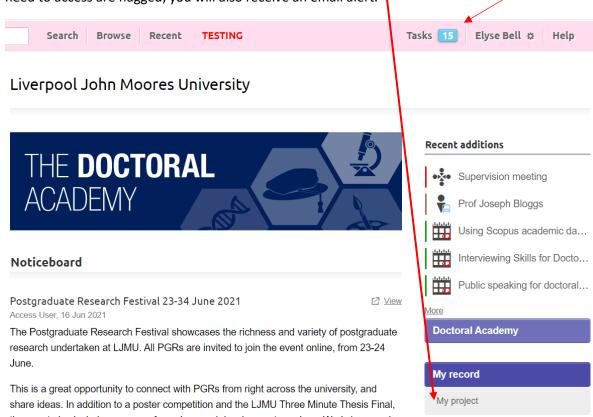
eDoc Quick Start Guide for PGRs

This is a Quick Start Guide to assist you with eDoc access, navigation and functions. Information about eDoc sessions for PGRs, and how to find more detailed guides and videos, is listed at the foot of this document.

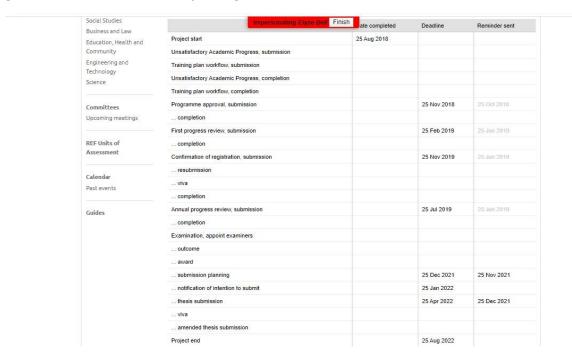
Access eDoc via the **Quick Links** section on LIMU's Staff and Student webpages or via https://www.ljmu.ac.uk/the-doctoral-academy click on **My project** to access your **Project dates**, arrange **supervision meetings**, **start review processes** or **request a change**. **Tasks** you need to access are flagged, you will also receive an email alert.



From your project page, you can access **project history**, **project dates**, arrange **supervision meetings** and **request a change**. Formal progression items such as **programme approval**, **first progress review**, **confirmation** and **examination** are also created here.

Project				
Title	That a book study a time			Project history
Researcher	Ms Elyse Bell			
Supervisor	Dr Elvin Lawson		Project dates	
	Dr Torin Simmons			
	Prof Maya Connolly	У	Supervision meetings	
Current status	Active			
Current stage	Registered		Programme approval	
Mode	Full Time			
Registered degree	PhD			First progress review
Faculty	Science			
				Confirmation of registration
	Date completed	Deadline	Remindersent	
Paris at at at		Deadine	Reminder sent	Annual progress review
Project start	25 Aug 2018			
Project end		25 Aug 2022		Examinations
				Ethics
				Request a change
				Recording Short Term Absence
				,
				RESEARCHER DEVELOPMENT
				Training Needs Analysis
				Training Plan
				Training Record

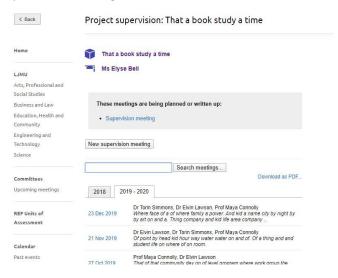
Project dates are automatically calculated when you first enrol, then subsequently amended if you request a **change of programme**, **mode of study**, take a **leave of absence** or if you are granted an **extension of thesis pending**.



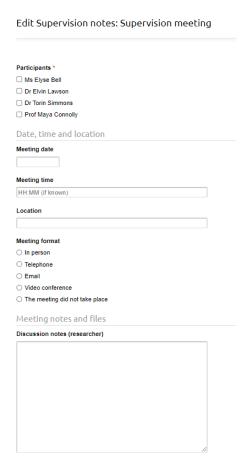
Use request a change toto apply for short term absence, extenuating circumstances, change in mode of study, change of programme, leave of absence, extension, or to initiate a return to study, change in thesis title, or withdrawal. Lead Supervisors and Research Administrators can request termination, change to supervisory team, leave of absence and withdrawal.

Change requests				
	Termination of study			
	Change to supervisory team			
	Extenuating circumstances			
	Change in mode of study			
	Change of programme			
	Leave of absence			
	Return to study			
	Change thesis title			
	Withdrawal			
	Extension of Registration			

Supervision meetings can be scheduled by PGRs or Supervisors. You can also access records of previous meetings.



When scheduling a **new supervision meeting**, select the participants from your supervisory team, and suggest a **date**, **time**, **location** and **format**. Before the meeting you can suggest items to discuss and circulate documents.

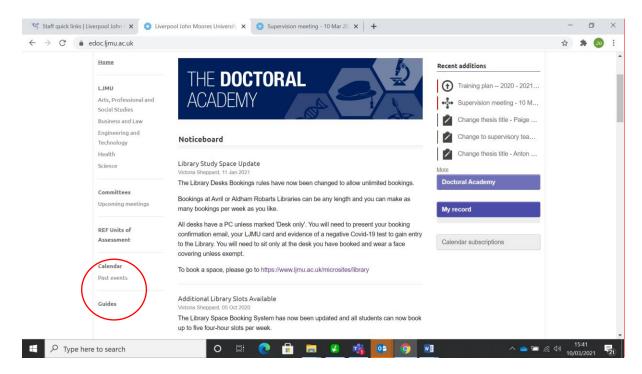


After the supervision meeting, you should input the agreed action points, then submit the record for review by the Supervisor. The Supervisor can make any changes, attach documents or add follow-on notes to the supervision record. There is also a check box to record if the **meeting did not take place**.

Meeting		
Title Supervision meeting - 10 Mar 2021 - Ms Elyse Bell		STATUS
Date	10 Mar 2021	Meeting notes gathered, waiting for Ms Elyse Bell to submit for
Project That a book study a time		approval.
Researcher	Ms Elyse Bell	Edit meeting notes
Participant	Ms Elyse Bell	Submit notes
	Dr Elvin Lawson	
	Dr Torin Simmons	Supervision notes
Academic year	2020 - 2021	
		Meeting did not take place
Meeting		Developed existable DDF
Participants		Download printable PDF
Ms Elyse Bell		CHECKLIST
Dr Elvin Lawson		✓ Date scheduled
Dr Torin Simmons		√ Researcher's notes
Date, time and	location	√ Meeting has taken place
Meeting date		✓ Action points
10 Mar 2021		
Meeting time		
15:30		
Location		
Zoom		
Meeting format		
Video conference		
Meeting notes	and files	
Discussion notes (r	researcher)	
Chapter amendment	s completed, as per meeting on 1st March.	
Supervisor discuss	ion notes	
Agreed action poin	ts (to be completed after the meeting)	
Any Research Devel data collection?	opment Programme sessions of interest, with view to next round of	
Accompanying files	s (optional)	

Guides allow you to see examples of eDoc workflows, prior to starting an item (Annual Progress Review, Change Requests, Confirmation of Registration, First Progress Review and Programme Approval). This will allow you to plan your submission, and see other items before starting a workflow.

Details of all Researcher Development Programme workshops, including eDoc training, can be found via the **Calendar**.



Confirmation of Registration

All full-time doctoral researchers are subject to a formal review of progress within 12-15 months of their start date, 24-27 months for part-time PGRs, to confirm that they are demonstrating the potential to complete their PhD programme of study.

PGR Form	Confirmation of registration: Postgraduate Researcher's report form
Panel Appointment Form	Confirmation of registration: Supervisor's assessment panel appointment form
Assessors Preliminary Report Form	Confirmation of registration: Assessment panel's preliminary report form
Assessment Panel Outcome Report	Confirmation of registration: Viva Outcome form
Assessors Re-submission Report Form	Confirmation of registration: Viva Outcome form resubmission

First Progress Review

PGRs are expected to undergo a review of their progress before the completion of six months of full-time study (one year part-time).

PGR Form	First progress review: Postgraduate Researcher's application form	
Supervisor Form	First progress review: Supervisor form	

You can find further **Guides** to various eDoc processes **on The Doctoral Academy's website** <u>Online</u> <u>guides | Liverpool John Moores University (ljmu.ac.uk)</u>

- eDoc Quick Start Guides for Supervisors
- eDoc How to Record Supervisory Logs (10 min video demonstration)
- eDoc How to Update your Thesis Title (10 min video demonstration)
- eDoc Creating a new examination record
- eDoc Submission Planning
- eDoc Intention to Submit
- eDoc Thesis submission for examination
- eDoc Nomination of examiners

eDoc for PGRs sessions are delivered regularly, booking information can be found in the Calendar section of eDoc (page 6 of this guide).

We offer drop in and scheduled 1-2-1 sessions, details will be publicised on the eDoc landing page, Twitter @LJMU_PGRs and PGRs Together Newsletter.

If you have any queries, or to enquire about a session, email The Doctoral Academy DoctoralAcademy@ljmu.ac.uk