Researcher Development Unit

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Research Strategy Office:
- Centres Forum: for Research Centre Directors and senior staff (occasional)
- Strategic Grant Information Sessions: focused on major grant rounds for ARC and NHMRC (range of sessions relating to the grants’ cycles)

Researcher Development Unit:
- Orientation to Research @ UNSW
- Early Career Research @UNSW
- Future Research Leaders Program
- Supervisor Development Series
- Women in Research Network
Orientation to Research @ UNSW

- 4 hours pre-reading and preparation.
- 2 hour face to face overview of UNSW with presentations and small group discussions.
- Presenters are senior members of UNSW Division of Research:
  - PVC Research
  - Grants Management Office
  - Research Partnerships Unit
  - NewSouth Innovations
- Target audience: new staff and those new to research.
- March 2011 presentations are available on UNSW TV.
Early Career Research @UNSW

- Full year program of 12 modules March to November
- Individual mentoring
- Two streams

Criteria for enrolment:
- Academic or research-only staff (including Postdoctoral Fellows)
- Continuing staff or fixed term staff who will be employed with UNSW for the full year of the program
- Have a completed a PhD or research Masters
- Receive Head of School consent to attend
Future Research Leaders Program

- Researchers at level B, C or D who are, or aspire to be, in a research leadership role.
- 8 standalone modules (online preparation materials and 5 hour workshop):
  - Research Planning & Strategy
  - Commencement and Collaboration: Putting Ideas Into Practice
  - Governance and Compliance
  - Intellectual Property and Commercialisation
  - Financial, Resource and Risk Management
  - Grant & Contract Administration
  - Managing and Leading People in a Research Context
  - Project Closeout
Supervisor Development Series - for supervisors of Higher Degree Research (HDR) students

- **All** supervisors are encouraged to attend.

- Professor Laura Poole-Warren, Dean of Graduate Research:
  - How to be a good supervisor – putting policies & procedures into practice
  - Annual Progress Reviews

- Academic Reading
- The role of mentoring in supervision
- Am I ready to supervise and are you the right student for me?
- HDR: Communication and Expectations
- Academic Writing
- Examination
Women in Research Network

- Mid-career women researchers (level B, C, D or E academics)

- Networking catalogue

- Email list

- 6 events on Kensington Campus for 2012
  - Launch Session: Your energy, your impact, your presence
  - Research strategy and planning for mid-career women researchers
  - Lessons learnt: Our experiences with juggling multiple responsibilities
  - Keynote address & cocktail party
  - "Women's Employment Strategy" for mid-career women researchers
  - Debate: Working from home: "Heightened productivity or pyjama day?"

- Events planned for UNSW Canberra
Training & Development – Research Academics

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