



Fostering Industry Engagement: Why and How

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Industry Engagement



Building an Industry Engagement Program

- HDR Strategy
 - Research and Innovation Future Makers
- HDR Industry Engagement Team
 - Professional staff team dedicated to HDR industry engagement (3 FTE)
 - Integrated into Graduate School - central support team for all HDR industry engagement
 - Specialised roles (e.g. PhD internship specialists)
 - Working in close collaboration with other externally facing areas and Schools
 - Regular presence at student-facing events



Incentivisation and Support - examples

- PhD internships incentivised at all levels:
 - Internships integrated into regular candidature milestones for PhDs, with recognition on academic transcript
 - Extension of scholarship for eligible research internships
 - Performance metric:
 - For Faculties – jointly set soft targets
 - For individual supervisors - part of Individual Academic Profile
- Researcher Education and Development team support for industry engagement
 - For HDRs as part of Career and Research Skills Training (CaRST)
 - For supervisors as part of supervisor professional development
 - For EMCRs as part of the Developing Positive Partnerships Program



Industry Doctoral Training Centre Pilots

industrial application of quantum technologies
biomanufacturing



South Australian Government partnership with the State's major universities

Community of researchers, graduate researchers and industry embedded in innovation ecosystem

Scholarship co-funded by industry partner, government and university; industry co-supervision

PLUS Program - interactive learning sessions to build community and connections, knowledge, leadership and research translation



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