# Orientation Program for International Research Candidates

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<td>Registration:</td>
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<td>Formal session:</td>
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### Welcome and Introduction by:
Dean, Higher Degree Research, Prof Nick Mansfield  
Deputy Director of HDRO, Dr Louise Wedlock  
9.15 – 9:30 am

#### 1) Candidature Commencement  
9:30 – 9:45 am
- Enrolment and Commencement Program  
- HDR and Supervision Guide, Code of conduct, Ethics and Compliance

#### 2) Candidature Progression and Completion  
9:45 – 10:00 am
- Candidature changes and visa implications  
- Leave of Absence  
- Payment of tuition fees  
- Thesis submission and examination  
- Complaints and Appeals

### 3) Security, Safety and Wellbeing at Macquarie  
10:00 – 10:30 am

**BREAK**  
10:30 – 10:50 AM

#### 4) Scholarships and Cotutelle Opportunities  
10:50 – 11:00 am
- Scholarships at Macquarie  
  - Living allowance claim  
  - HR Online  
  - Other scholarship opportunities  
- Cotutelle opportunities

### 5) Other Important Matters and Questions  
11:00 – 11:15 am
- Other important aspects  
  - Overseas student health cover  
  - Library facilities, eStudent account  
  - Student events, Faculty and HDR contacts, and forms