

**Midlands Graduate School ESRC DTP**

# Supporting Statement from Prospective Lead Supervisor

# October 2023 Entry

Students applying for funding from the MGS DTP **must make sure that their prospective lead supervisor completes this form**. It is the responsibility of the applicant to upload this completed form as part of their online application.

**Incomplete forms and applications will not be considered.**

##### 1: Student Applicant Details

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| Student ID / Applicant ID |
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2: Supervisor Details

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| Name of first (lead) supervisor |  |
| School/ Department |  |
| Pathway |  |
| Institution |  |
| Name of second supervisor (including institution)  *Please add additional rows if necessary* |  |
| Supervisory Split |  |

3: Supervisor’s confirmation of proposed award scheme

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| 1+3 |  |  | +3 |  |  | +3.5 |  |  | +4 |  |  | +2 |  |

**Supervisor rationale for proposed award length.** (Maximum 300 words)

Please refer to the [Applicant’s Guidance Notes](https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/cross_fac/mgsdtp/studentships/howtoapply/2022_entry_guidance_notes_for_midlands_graduate_school_esrc_dtp_applicants.pdf) for detailed information about each of the available schemes.

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**4: Supporting Statement from Prospective Lead Supervisor**

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| The lead supervisor must provide a statement indicating their support for the applicant and the project, and explain the fit between the project and (i) the expertise of the supervisory team and (ii) the research strengths or priorities of the host department. (Maximum 500 words) |
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**5: First (Lead) Supervisor track record**

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| Total number of PhDs supervised to completion as first supervisor |  |
| Total number of PhDs supervised to completion as second supervisor |  |
| Number of PhD students currently being supervised, with mode of study, end dates and percentage of supervision per student |  |

**6: Second Supervisor track record**

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| Total number of PhDs supervised to completion as first supervisor |  |
| Total number of PhDs supervised to completion as second supervisor |  |
| Number of PhD students currently being supervised, with mode of study, end dates and percentage of supervision per student |  |

**7:** **Signed Confirmation of Lead Supervisor Support**

I can confirm my support of this student’s application for an MGS ESRC DTP Studentship.

Signed (electronic signatures are acceptable) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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