## RMIT Research Awards 2019: Statements of Support Required

For each RMIT Research Award or Prize, in addition to the nominee's statement, **2** statements of support\* addressing the selection criteria are required to be submitted as part of the nomination. The Table below outlines the statements required by award/prize.

Award or Prize	Support Statement 1	Support Statement 2
Vice-Chancellor's Award for Research Excellence	Nominator statement of support	Either an RMIT academic or external person who is familiar with the nominee's field of research and achievements and can comment on nominee's performance against the selection criteria
Vice-Chancellor's Award for Research Excellence – ECR	Nominator statement of support	Either an RMIT academic or external person who is familiar with the nominee's field of research and achievements and can comment on nominee's performance against the selection criteria
Vice-Chancellor's Prize for Research Excellence – HDR	One of the candidate's supervisors	Relevant HDR coordinator
Vice-Chancellor's Award for Research Supervision Excellence	Relevant HDR coordinator, or Deputy Dean/Head R&I if the nominee is an HDR coordinator	HDR graduate
Vice-Chancellor's Award for Research Impact	Nominator statement of support	Party that has benefitted from the research and can comment on the nominee's performance against selection criteria
Vice-Chancellor's Award for Research Impact - ECR	Nominator statement of support	Party that has benefitted from the research and can comment on the nominee's performance against selection criteria
Vice-Chancellor's Prize for Research Impact – HDR	One of the candidate's supervisors	An individual in a relevant industry on the relevance of the research and demonstrated potential for impact
RMIT Award for Innovative Research Supervision	Relevant HDR coordinator, or Deputy Dean/Head R&I if the nominee is an HDR coordinator	HDR graduate
RMIT Research Excellence - Team Award	Nominator statement of support	Either an RMIT academic or external person who is familiar with the nominee's field of research and achievements and can comment on nominee's performance against the selection criteria
*RMIT Award for Excellence – Graduate Research Leadership	HDR graduates and/or academic colleagues with supervision expertise or HDR responsibilities	HDR graduates and/or academic colleagues with supervision expertise or HDR responsibilities  * Additional optional statement for this award:  • Evidence of particular initiatives or candidates' achievements (Optional statement)
RMIT Award for Excellence – Industry Engagement in Graduate Research	HDR graduate	Industry partner statement of support  * Additional optional statements for this award:  • Academic colleagues with supervision expertise or HDR responsibilities;  • Evidence of particular initiatives or candidates' achievements (Optional statements)
RMIT Award for Research Excellence	Nominator statement of support	Either an RMIT academic or external person who is familiar with the nominee's field of research and achievements and can comment on nominee's performance against the selection criteria
RMIT Award for Research Excellence – ECR	Nominator statement of support	Either an RMIT academic or external person who is familiar with the nominee's field of research and achievements and can comment on nominee's performance against the selection criteria
RMIT Prize for Research Excellence – HDR	One of the candidate's supervisors	Relevant HDR Coordinator
RMIT Award for Research Impact	Nominator statement of support	A party that has benefitted from the research and can comment on the nominee's performance against selection criteria
RMIT Award for Research Impact – ECR	Nominator statement of support	A party that has benefitted from the research and can comment on the nominee's performance against selection criteria
RMIT Prize for Research Impact – HDR	One of the candidate's supervisors	An individual in a relevant industry on the relevance of the research and demonstrated potential for impact