

WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY



Research Committee (RC) Membership

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<i>Chair of Academic Senate</i>	Professor Robert Mailhammer		
<i>a. Pro Vice-Chancellor, Research and Innovation (Chair)</i>	Professor Ian Anderson	1	
<i>b. Deputy Chair, nominated by the Chair, Academic Senate, in consultation with the Chair, Research Committee</i>	Professor Ann Dadich	2	
<i>c. Associate Pro Vice-Chancellor, Research</i>	Associate Professor Freya MacMillan	3	
<i>d. Dean, Graduate Research Studies</i>	Professor Jeff Powell	4	
<i>e. Director, Indigenous Research</i>	vacant		
<i>f. Director or nominee from each University Institute</i>	Institute for Culture and Society (ICS)	Professor Juan Francisco Salazar – (Interim Director)	5
	Hawkesbury Institute for the Environment (HIE)	Professor Mark Tjoelker (Interim Director)	6
	MARCS Institute for Brain, Behaviour and Development (MARCS)	Professor Kate Stevens	7
	Translational Health Research Institute (THRI)	Professor Janette Perz	8
	NICM Health Research Institute (NICM)	Professor Chun Guang Li	9
<i>g. Associate Dean, Research (or equivalent) from each Faculty (3)</i>	ECS	Professor Bahman Javadi Jahantigh	10
	Health	Professor Bruce Shadbolt	11
	SABEL	Professor Gabrielle Drake	12
<i>h. Associate Dean, HDR (or equivalent) from each Faculty (3)</i>	ECS	Associate Professor Liza Cubeddu	13
	Health	Associate Professor David Mahns	14
	SABEL	Associate Professor Alex Ling	15
<i>i. One Early Career Researcher (ECR) & one mid-career Researcher (MCR) nominated by the Chair</i>	TBA		
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<i>j. Two Discipline experts of Academic Senate</i>	TBA		
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<i>k. One Higher Degree Research student elected by and from the Higher Degree Research students of the University.</i>	Pooja Kaur Chaggar Chaggar (1 June 2026 to 31 May 2028)	16	
<i>l. One International Higher Degree Research student elected by and from the Higher Degree Research students of the University.</i>	Peyman Esmaeili Fard Barzegar (1 June 2026 to 31 May 2028)	17	
Quorum		9	

