

## Research Period 2, 2026 Timetable PhD (Integrated): Year 1 Program

- commencing students will be enrolled according to your **Year 1 Structure** (Int)
- continuing students enrol via MyVU Portal where enrolment can be checked
- **all classes will be held in person in P134 Footscray Park Campus** (unless otherwise notified) and you will be contacted one week prior to classes commencing; you will *not need* to allocate on MyTimetable
- you will need to complete HDR Researcher Integrity modules 1 and 3 on VU Collaborate *before* coursework commences ([Researcher.development@vu.edu.au](mailto:Researcher.development@vu.edu.au))
- Census Date RP1: **August 21, 2026**. Census date is the last day for you to finalise your course enrolment for this research study period. If you wish to change your enrolment, please discuss with the Academic Coordinator- Dr Rose Lucas- prior to lodging the appropriate application to [gradresearch@vu.edu.au](mailto:gradresearch@vu.edu.au)

Unit/Event	Date	Time
Preparing for Confirmation Workshops (for Integrated students successfully completed Year 1 in S1 2026). Attend <i>one</i> workshop	1. July 21, 2026, (f/t and p/t) 2. October 27, 2026 (p/t)  Registrations through <a href="#">Researcher Development Calendar</a>	10am - 3pm 10am - 3pm By zoom
PhD (Integrated) Program Induction (compulsory for <i>commencing</i> students only)	Monday July 27	1-2pm
Graduate Researcher Orientation (compulsory for all commencing research students)	Friday August 7	10am-1pm
UGR7001 Introduction to Research Methodology	27/7, 29/7, 3/8, 5/8, 10/8, 12/8, 17/7, 19/9	Mondays and Wednesdays 3-5.30 pm
UGR7002 Research Design and Proposal Development	24/8, 26/8, 31/8, 2/9, 7/9, 9/9, 14/9, 16/9	Mondays and Wednesdays 3-5.30 pm
UGR7003 Research Integrity and Ethics	12/10, 14/10, 16/10, 19/10, 21/10, 23/10, 26/10, 28/10	Mondays and Wednesdays 3-5.30 pm
UGR7004 Introduction to Qualitative Methodology	11/8, 18/8, 25/8, 1/9, 8/9, 15/9, 22/9	Tuesday 2-4.30pm
UGR7006 Lit Review for Year 1 Thesis/UGR7007 'shell units'	Not scheduled; the work for this unit will take place in the context of supervision + <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessments on Collaborate Dropbox</li> <li>• 4 zoom sessions: 6/8, 3/9, 1/10, 13/10</li> </ul>	
Preparing for Confirmation Workshop (for Integrated students who successfully complete Year 1 in S2 2026 presenting for Confirmation in mid S1 2027)	3. February 2027, tbc 4. p/t May 2027 tbc Registrations through <a href="#">Researcher Development Calendar</a>	10am - 3pm

**Please contact the Academic Coordinator, HDR Coursework, if you have any further queries:**

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