

**Publication Plan**

ECU encourages all Higher Degree by Research candidates to prepare publications arising from their research. The benefits of publishing your thesis research include:

1. Improves your track record and enhances career opportunities
2. Strategic dissemination of research findings and potential research impact.
3. Improves your writing
4. Receive expert feedback before submitting your thesis for examination.

Use the following publication plan to strategically design your research and thesis to maximise potential outputs. Discuss with your supervisor/s the number of publications expected in your discipline.

**Which components of your thesis are you planning to publish?**

*e.g. Literature Review, Experimental Chapter 1, Methodology Chapter, Creative/practical component*

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**What types of publications are planned for preparation during candidature?**

*e.g. journal article, conference paper, book chapter, exhibition, industry publication, performance, design proposal, creative writing*

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**Who will be the target publisher or audience?**

*e.g. journal name, conference name, book publisher, venue, company, commissioned work*

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**Will the publications be peer-reviewed in some form?**

*Examples of peer review could include: anonymous reviewers selected by journal or book editor, conference organisers, industry body, theatre company*

[ ]  Yes

[ ] No

[ ]  Unsure

**If yes, please specify the form of peer review below:**

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**What is the timeframe for submission and internal/review feedback?**

[ ]  1-4 weeks

[ ]  2 months

[ ]  More than 2 months

**Has authorship been discussed between you and your Supervisors and also between Supervisors?**

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

[ ]  On the agenda

**Which conferences do you plan to attend? How will this be funded?**

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