#### Research Student Administration – Adding and Updating Supervisors in Portico Quick Start Guide

#### 1. Accessing the Records

1.1 Departmental staff are now able to create or amend supervisor records for students who are currently enrolled, or who are expected to enrol, for a research degree in their department. This includes students on the MPhil/PhD, MD (Res), EngD, MRes or clinical doctorate programmes.

The new e-vision functionality is contained in the "Research Student Management" section on your My Portico page.

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Clicking on the link above will take you to the following page. Then click on Maintain research student supervisors

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1.2 You may search for students by student code, surname, and programme. The programme code will be useful for MRes programmes. Wild card searching will be available on surname and programme of study fields.

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Enter the required criteria and click 'Search' to retrieve currently enrolled or retrieval.	yet to enrol research students in your department. If you know the student code this will provide the most efficient						
Student code	List						
Student surname							
Programme of study code	List						
	Search Exit						

1.3 You will be presented with a list of students fulfilling the search criteria for whom a research record exists, along with any existing supervisor details, ordered by student surname.

Example - returning a single record



Example - returning multiple records

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From this screen you are able to: Add new supervisor records (see section 2) Amend existing supervisor records (see section 3)

N.B. You do not have the option to delete supervisor records. To change a supervisory team, simply add the new supervisor and then amend the previous supervisor's record to indicate their end date. This ensures a full supervisory history is kept for each student.

### 2. Adding New Supervisor Records

2.1 Click in 1.3 above and the following screen will be displayed. All fields in pink are mandatory



Example of supervisor UPI drop down list (DDL) from 2.1 above



NOTE: The research supervision role is maintained within the HR system. There are two levels of supervision, principal and subsidiary. Staff approved to act as Principal Supervisors are automatically approved to act as Subsidiary Supervisors, but staff with only the subsidiary role are not permitted to act as Principal Supervisors.

If the supervisor you wish to add does NOT appear in the required list of approved Principal or Subsidiary Supervisors above, you need to contact your Departmental Graduate Tutor in the first instance to initiate the approval and recording process by the Faculty Graduate Tutor in the HR system. The role data is transferred to the SITS Master Person Appointment (MPA) table from HR via UPI and is refreshed approximately every ten minutes on SITS, so once approval to supervise has been given by the Faculty and recorded in the HR system the supervisor should appear in SITS without further delay.

Note: Every member of UCL staff has a UPI (Universal Personal Indicator). You will be able to find a staff member's UPI on their entry on the staff directory at <a href="http://www.ucl.ac.uk/directory/">http://www.ucl.ac.uk/directory/</a>

2.2 Select supervisor from the drop down list which is given in alphabetical order of UPI reference. Enter a "From date" (which can be less than, equal to or greater than the current date and is mandatory) and if known the "End date" (which is NOT mandatory) and click save.

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Enter the data required below saving your changes.	r. Click 'Save' to save your changes. Click 'Return to list' to return to the list of students WITHOUT saving your changes. Click exit to return to the staff home page WITHOUT						
Research student supervise	or maintenance						
Student number	1038364 Silvia Rita Amicone						
Programme of study	RRDARLSING01 Research Degree: Institute of Archaeology						
Supervisor level	C Principal supervisor Subsidiary supervisor						
Supervisor within your department?	K If the supervisor is not in your department please uncheck this box. This will then list ALL supervisors with the relevant level. Please note if you do wish to retrieve all supervisors and not just those in your department it will take longer to generate the list.						
Supervisor UPI	EGRAH26- Elizabeth Graham						
From date	04/12/2012						
End date							
	Save Return to fist Exit						

2.3 Following actions in 2.2 this screen is displayed. Click OK

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2.4 Screen to show that new supervisor added

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Listed below are the currently enrolled or yet to enrol research students meeting your search criteria. Click on the name of the supervisor to edit the supervisor details or the 'Add' button to add supervisor records as appropriate. To see the student summary click on the student number. For any queries please contact > student records.									
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**3.** <u>Updating Existing Supervisor Records</u> - You also have the ability to add or edit the start and end date for an existing supervisor record

3.1 To use this function click on the supervisor's name

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3.2 The following screen will be displayed which will allow you edit the From date and End date. *Note: Part of the create supervisor function (see section 2.1) entering the "From date" is mandatory and this will be displayed on the screen below. Initially the From date will be blank for record extracted from the Portico database at the time of implementation.* 

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3.3 Modify dates as required. In this example an End date has been added. Click Save

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3.4 Following actions in 3.3 this screen is displayed. Click OK

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3.5 Following Screen displayed which displays the end date.

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