Confirmation of Candidature for PhD students.

Task List.
A list of task categories, to be defined or extended as agreed by the candidate, supervisor/s and School (as represented by a SMP Unit Advisory Panel). These will have to be accomplished for formal confirmation of candidates after their first year.

1. Approval of Research Proposal
2. Oral presentation to the Unit of SMP (or Centre) of the proposed research.
3. Production of a piece of academic writing such as a substantial portion of the literature review with bibliography.
4. Preparation of any Ethics, OGTR and other approvals required for the research.
5. Passing any relevant courses such as Gene Technology Awareness, PAWES, or Safety courses including Chemical, Laboratory, Laser or Radiation.

Candidates may have to attend training in areas such as statistics or academic writing as specified in the Research Proposal.