



Refer to the SGS [Graduate Supervision Guidelines](#) for more information.

- I chose my supervisor (or agreed to the choice) after appropriate research.
- I have had sufficient initial meetings with my supervisor and have discussed:
 - Potential or actual thesis topic
 - Funding
 - Applying for scholarships and awards
 - Teaching assistantships
 - Availability of space
 - Expected hours of work
 - Timelines and major milestones including anticipated completion time
 - When and how a supervisory committee will be chosen
 - Nature of guidance
 - Frequency and style of meetings
 - Who arranges formal meetings
 - Methods of informal communication
 - Turnaround time for major questions, drafts of thesis chapters, publications or conference presentations
 - IP issues such as authorship on publications, conference presentations
 - Other IP issues such as industry involvement, thesis publication embargoes, patents
- I understand and have discussed with my supervisor my program requirements including (not all may be applicable):
 - Required courses
 - Extra courses
 - Language/breadth requirement
 - Comprehensive/field/qualifying exam
 - Seminar attendance
 - Ethics review
 - Thesis proposal
- Other (specify):