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STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

REVIEWER: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**The Independent Review is the first part of the two part Annual Monitoring process for doctoral students. It is an opportunity to discuss your experience to-date with an independent and experienced supervisor.**

**Your Doctoral Co-ordinator will make arrangements to appoint an independent reviewer who will contact you to arrange a meeting.**

**The information in this review will be considered by the Doctoral review panel as part of the Solent’s Doctoral Student Annual Monitoring. If you wish any comments to remain confidential please indicate this on the form.**

This review reflects on your experience over the previous 12 months.

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**INDEPENDENT REVIEW**

**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT AND THE INDEPENDENT REVIEWER**

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| **Surname/Family Name:** |  |
| **First Name(s):** |  |
| **Student ID Number:** |  |

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| **Faculty** | Business, Law & Digital Tech |  | Creative Industry, Arch & Engineering |  | Sport, Health & Social Sciences |  | Warsash Maritime School |  |

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| **Start date:** | |  | | | |
| **Mode of Study:** | | Full-Time |  | Part-Time |  |
| **Expected thesis submission date:** | |  | | | |
| **Collaborating establishment(s) if applicable:** | | | | | |
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| **Independent Reviewer:** | |
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| **Provisional thesis title:** | |
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***Student experience during the previous 12 months***

1. **How would you summarise your progress during the previous 12 months?**

1. **Is your experience of your current supervision satisfactory?**

1. **Do you feel you have sufficient information about your upcoming milestones (e.g. Transfer / Viva)?**

1. **Are the resources / facilities provided by the University / Faculty adequate to support your research area?**

1. **Is the University / Faculty research culture / community sufficiently supportive of you and your studies?**

1. **Please identify which of the following student support services you are aware of?**

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| **Student Hub** |  |  | **Access Solent** | |  |
| **Funding Team** |  |  | **International Advice** | |  |
| **Wellbeing Team** |  |  | **Spirituality & Reflection** | |  |
| **Counselling** |  |  | **Solent Futures** | |  |
| **Library** |  |  | **Other** |  |  |  |

1. **If you have engaged with any of these support services, what is your experience of the support provided?**

1. **Are there any factors that you feel have significantly helped your progress?**

1. **Are there any factors that you feel have significantly hindered your progress?**

1. **Are you on track to finish by your expected thesis submission date?**

1. **If you wish any of your comments on this form to be confidential from either the Doctoral review panel, or your Doctoral Coordinator please indicate this here.\***

\* For further information on requests for confidentiality, please see guidance note #7

**Student’s signature**:

**Date:       /       /**

**Independent reviewer’s summary of meeting and outcomes:**

**Independent reviewer’s signature**:

**Date:** **/** **/**

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