Study with us and prepare to change the world. In the top one per cent of universities globally, our reputation for research excellence means our students are in demand from employers around the world.

**EMERALD ROOM**

**SESSION 1** WHAT IS THE MONASH DOCTORAL PROGRAM? PHD STUDY AT MONASH
Thinking of continuing your studies and getting a research degree? Interested in graduate research after some time in the workplace? Come along and find out about the Monash Doctoral Program – a PhD for the 21st century. The session will include information about eligibility, admissions, scholarships and program structure.

**SESSION 2** WHY STUDY AT MONASH UNIVERSITY MALAYSIA?
Established in 1998, Monash University Malaysia is one of Malaysia’s most respected universities. We are Monash University’s global foothold in the Asian region, carrying with us the distinction of being the Malaysian constituent of a premier research intensive Australian university ranked among the top 100 universities in the world, and a member of Australia’s prestigious Group of Eight. From humble beginnings, Monash Malaysia has grown in stature, and is now recognized as a leader in the international higher education sector in Malaysia. As a self-accrediting University, we attract students not just from Malaysia, but from all over the world. Approximately 7,100 students representing 71 nationalities are currently enrolled at Monash Malaysia, and enjoy a quality academic experience.

**SESSION 3** FUNDING YOUR STUDIES – DIKTI/BUDI
What methods are used in community research? How can research leaders an opportunity to undertake study, research and professional development. Australia Awards representatives will share information on scholarships and how to apply.

**SESSION 4** HOW TO APPROACH POTENTIAL SUPERVISORS
Research shows that PhD supervisors play a significant role in making your doctorate study a truly wonderful intellectual and self-development experience, or a dreadful one. As such the most critical step after deciding to undertake a PhD study is to identify the right supervisor. This talk will discuss common points of confusion among potential doctoral students, particularly those shown during the first email/phone communication with the potential supervisors which have been characterised as somewhere between awkward and rude. First impression counts, and you never get a second chance to make a first impression. Associate Professor Sen Sendjaya will share his experiences being on the receiving end of many emails from PhD hopefuls.

**SESSION 5** PUBLICATIONS & CO-PUBLICATIONS: HOW MONASH RESEARCH DEGREES SUPPORT CAPACITY BUILDING AGENDAS
We are faced with global challenges such as poverty, migration and climate change. The effects are felt locally, but the causes and solutions are global. Universities play a key role in capacity building by trying to find solutions in research to meet these challenges. Hear from Monash University on how the Monash Doctoral Program is addressing these issues and building research capacity.

**SESSION 6** HOW TO WRITE A RESEARCH PROPOSAL FOR HUMANITIES, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (HASS)
Academic experts will share their perspectives on how to organize and write a successful research proposal for the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences. Monash experts will speak on the process, organization and about managing expectations in what could be a lengthy but rewarding journey.

**SESSION 7** HOW TO WRITE A RESEARCH PROPOSAL FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS (STEM)
A research proposal is your calling card to finding your dream supervisor. Many applicants fail at this very first step. Get tips on how to get your proposal accepted by leading academic staff. Experts will provide advice on how to write a successful research proposal for the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics perspectives.

**SESSION 8** POSTGRADUATE STUDY AT THE MONASH SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
The Master of Public Health provides the full range of quantitative, analytical and communication skills necessary to work and provide leadership in the broad domain of public health. It also provides skills in the quantitative methods of the population-based health sciences and their problem-solving application for public health and primary care.

**SESSION 9** PHD STUDENT EXPERIENCE PANEL – STUDYING AND LIVING IN AUSTRALIA
The panel will share insights on their time undertaking the PhD program at Monash and their experience living overseas in Melbourne. Get tips and advice on how to make the most of your time when undertaking a PhD in Australia.

**SESSION 10** MASTER OF ADVANCED ENGINEERING AND FACULTY OF IT GRADUATE COURSES
The Master of Advanced Engineering is the key transitional stage in your engineering career. You will be taught by world class academics and you will learn alongside inspiring, like-minded professionals. The range of technical electives on offer will deepen your understanding of a specific discipline, and engineering project units encourage innovative thinking and entrepreneurship. Monash offers a stand-alone IT faculty, which means you’ll have access to an enormous range of graduate study options, whether it’s data science, business intelligence, enterprise systems, mobile and distributed systems, networks and cybersecurity, multimedia, social informatics, librarianship, archives or recordkeeping.

**RUBY ROOM**

**SESSION 11** FUNDING YOUR STUDIES – AUSTRALIA AWARD
Australia Awards are prestigious international scholarships funded by the Australian Government offering the next generation of Indonesian leaders an opportunity to undertake study, research and professional development. Australia Awards representatives will share information on scholarships and how to apply.

**SESSION 12** RESEARCH IN ACTION – Q&A REGARDING DOCTORAL RESEARCH IN INDONESIAN COMMUNITIES
The panel will discuss the challenges and rewards of community-centred research. How to build trusted relationships with communities? What methods are used in community research? How can research in action address both community needs and research goals?

**SESSION 13** FUNDING YOUR STUDIES – DIKTI/BUADI
BUDI scholarships are a synergy between the Ministry of Research, Technology and Higher Education (Kemristekdikti) together with Lambda Dana Dana Pendidikan (LPDP) in order to improve the qualification and competence of lecturers in Indonesia. Both domestic and international doctoral scholarships are offered.

**DIAMOND ONE ROOM**

**SESSION 14** LEADING IN THE AGE OF TRANSPARENCY – THE OJK EXPERIENCE
This seminar presents distinguished Monash Business School Doctoral alumnus, Dr Muliaman D. Hadad, discussing his leadership experience as former head of the Indonesian Financial Services Authority (Otoritas Jasa Keuangan – OJK), and how his PhD contributed to his career success and leadership effectiveness. The Seminar is led by Monash Business School alumni and Associate Professor in Leadership, Dr Sen Sendjaya, who will deliver a theoretical response and facilitate Q&A.

The seminar will most benefit mid-senior level executives, doctoral alumni and prospective candidates, and university academic staff members.

**SAPPHIRE ROOM**

**SESSION 15** FUNDING YOUR STUDIES – LPDP (TBC)
The Indonesia Endowment Fund for Education – Lembaga Dana Pendidikan (LPDP) provides funding to Indonesian students in order to improve the qualification and competence of lecturers in Indonesia. Both domestic and international doctoral scholarships are offered.