



QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE TO POLICY O-9

Approvals for:

- i. Membership in the College of Graduate Studies
- ii. Graduate Student Supervision and Committee Membership (+ see Notes below)

Tenured/Tenure-track Assistant, Associate, & Full Professor: Research Stream		
Supervisor* i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student	Co-supervisor* i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student	Committee Member i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student

Tenured/Tenure-track Assistant, Associate, & Full Professor of Teaching		
Supervisor* i. Faculty Dean approval and CoGS/ Dean approval ii. Program approval required for each student	Co-supervisor i. CoGS Dean approval ii. Program approval required for each student	Committee Member i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student

Adjunct, Affiliate, Emeriti, Retired Professor, or other external to UBC		
Supervisor i. Not eligible	Co-supervisor i. CoGS Dean approval ii. Program approval required for each student	Committee Member i. All eligible except "other external" who require CoGS Dean approval ii. Program approval required for each student

Members of G+PS in Vancouver		
Supervisor i. Not eligible	Co-supervisor* i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student	Committee Member i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student

Clinical faculty		
Supervisor i. Not eligible	Co-supervisor* i. CoGS Dean approval required every 5 years ii. Program approval required for each student	Committee Member i. CoGS Dean approval required every 5 years ii. Program approval required for each student

Lecturers, (continuing or time-limited), Acting Assistant Professors, Assistant Professors without review, and Clinical Associate Professors without review		
Supervisor i. Not eligible	Co-supervisor i. Not eligible	Committee Member i. Eligible ii. Program approval required for each student

Postdoctoral Fellows		
Supervisor i. Not eligible	Co-supervisor i. Not eligible	Committee Member i. Not eligible

Notes:

- * Supervisors and co-supervisors must be **currently active in research** in the student's field of study.
- Graduate Program Coordinators are responsible for the approval and assignment of supervisory, co-supervisory, and committee member roles on student committees each time a student's committee is formed, typically when a student is granted admission.
- Subsequent changes to supervisory and committee membership roles must be submitted to the College of Graduate Studies for approval.
- It is expected that programs will maintain awareness of expiring appointments and will work to avoid discontinuities in supervision.