



**Manchester Academy for
Healthcare Scientist Education**

Introduction to Section C

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Programme structure

For Clinical Bioinformatics, Physical Sciences and Physiological Sciences trainees

	Doing the full DClinSci	Not doing the full DClinSci
Leadership and Professional Development	Section A	
Specialist Scientific Clinical Programme	Section B	
Innovation	Included in appendix of thesis	Extended innovation proposal
Research	Research Project	Prior PhD (approved by NSHCS)
Exit award	DClinSci	PGDip and CPD

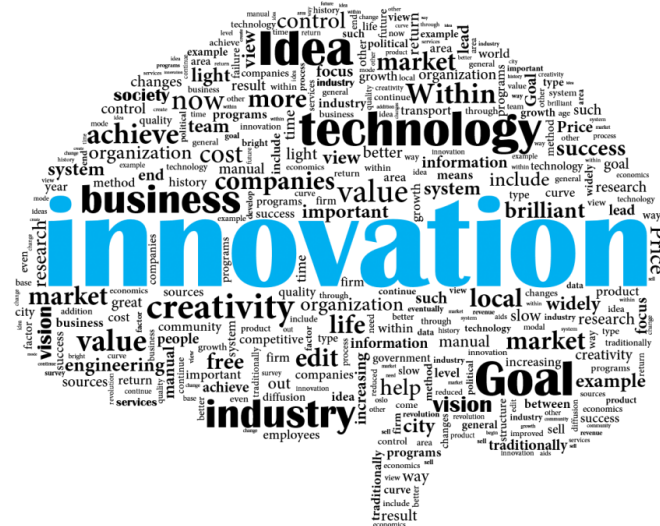
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For Life Sciences trainees only

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Research	Research Project (approved by RCPATH and the university)	FRCPATH Part 2
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Section C – Extended Innovation Proposal

- Innovation proposal (5 pages)
- Literature review (4000 words +/- 10%)
- Lay talk
- During Year 3 of the programme

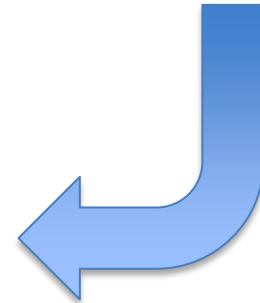
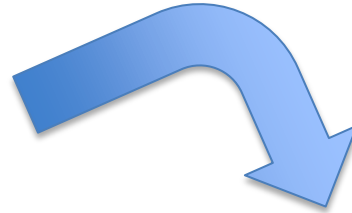


Section C – Research Project

- 50% of the degree must be research
- As this is a 5 year programme, 50% of your time should therefore be spent on Section C
- You need to start thinking about your research project now



What will your Research Project Involve?

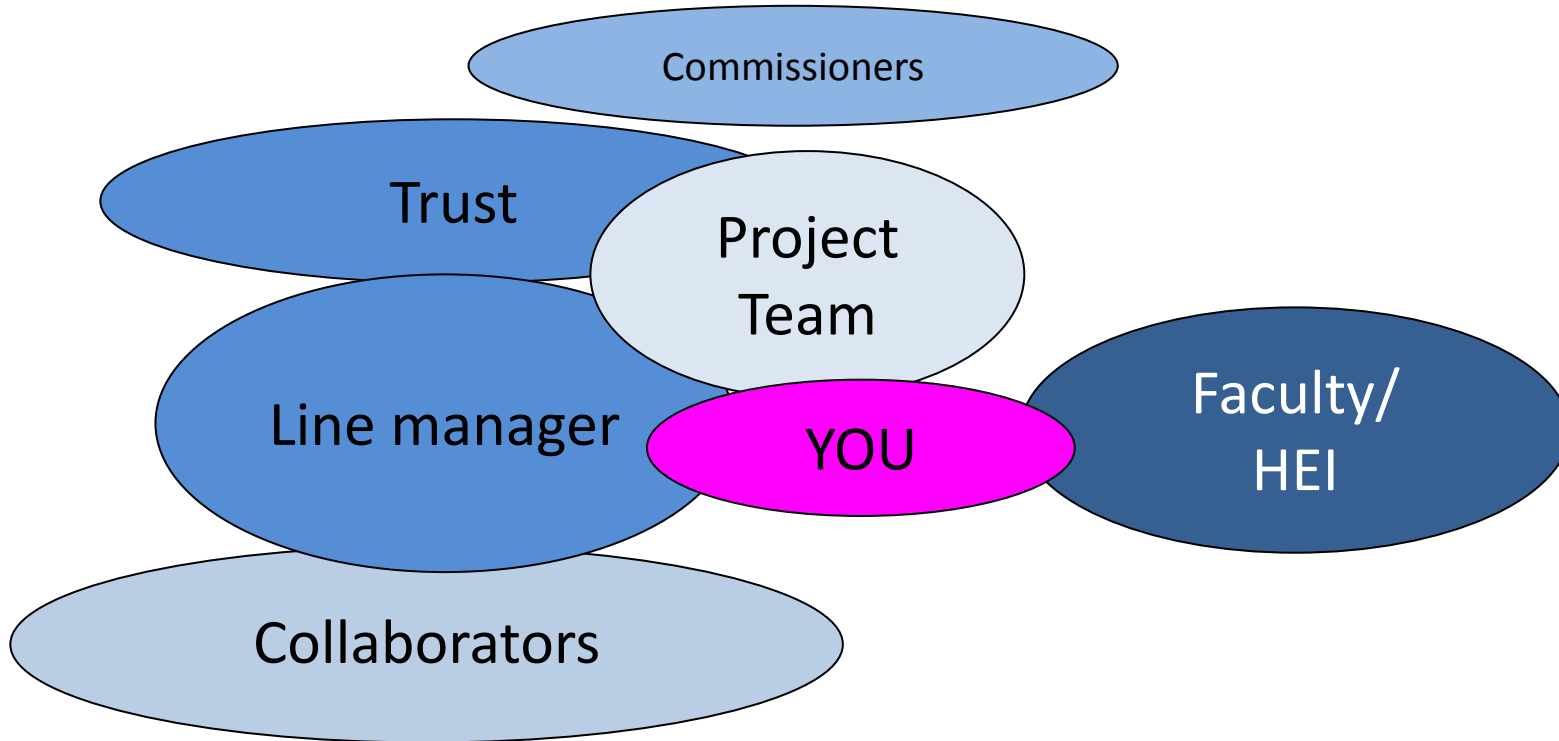


What is Successful Research?

- Research which can be presented at national and international meetings
- Publishing your data in peer review journals
- Research that has an impact for health care
- Research resulting in a well-written thesis



Engage all stakeholders in your research



How do you manage your stakeholders expectations?

Think about reporting and communication

- help each to appreciate the value of the project throughout

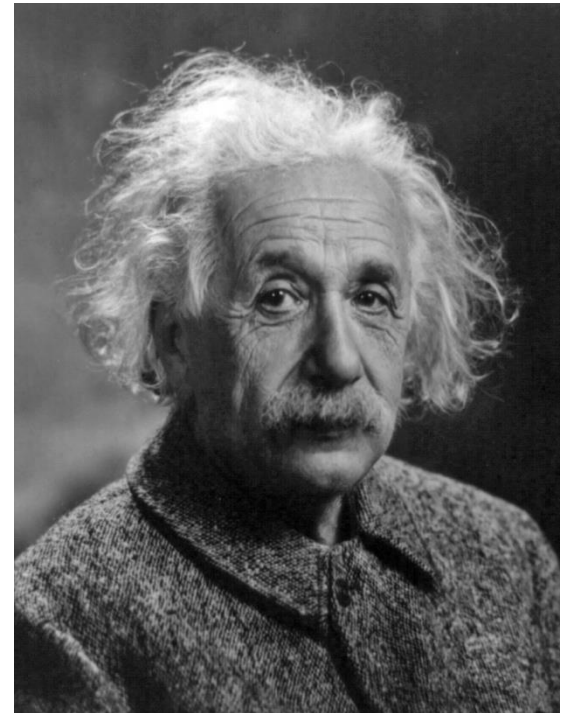
What do you need to know about stakeholders?

- Who are your stakeholders?
- What resources do they bring to the project?
- What do they expect in return?
- How much power does each stakeholder have?
- What's their level of interest?
- How are you going to engage them?
- How can you manage them?
- Are there potential conflicts between the interests of stakeholders?

What is a Research Project?

If we knew what it was
we were doing,

it wouldn't be called 'research,'
would it?



How to Devise your Research Project

- Ask your workplace supervisor for ideas.
- Talk to colleagues
- Ask Programme Directors if unsure



Next steps...

- Ethics applications
- Intellectual property
- Meet with your stakeholders
- Annual Section C workshops

