

Change of “PhD Student” to “research education student”



Submitted for consideration to the PhD Chapter Meeting

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Background

1. According to KTH's official terminology, there is no designation as "PhD student." Instead, all students pursuing a doctorate are referred to as "doctoral students."
2. The PhD Chapter represents all research education students, not only those pursuing a doctoral degree. This includes an increasing number of licentiate students, who the PhD Chapter also represents. Updating the language in our statutes will ensure inclusivity and clarity for all members of the chapter.

Proposition

The PhD Chapter Board proposes to:

Amend all instances of the term "PhD student" in the statutes to "research education student" to align with KTH's official terminology and reflect the diversity of research education students we represent.

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