- 12. An examination will need to be conducted with a focus on the work that has been done with some consideration as to how it might have developed in its final stages.
- 13. There can be no viva but examiners will be encouraged to request additional information and/or ask questions of the supervisory team before making a recommendation on the work.
- 14. The recommendations available to the examiners will be: award of PhD; award of a lower qualification; no award.

## Follow up processes for award of the degree

- 15. Once the examination has taken place, the examiners should submit their report on the outcome of the examination to the Research Degrees office.
- 16. Before the award is made the supervisor or other department contact should confirm with

Publications Service. If they do, the supervisor should complete the relevant form to allow access, noting that this is a posthumous award and submit the thesis via UCL Discovery.

17. Once these details are confirmed the Research Degrees team will make the award on departmental contact to send to the family with a suitable covering letter.