

The PhD as a learning process

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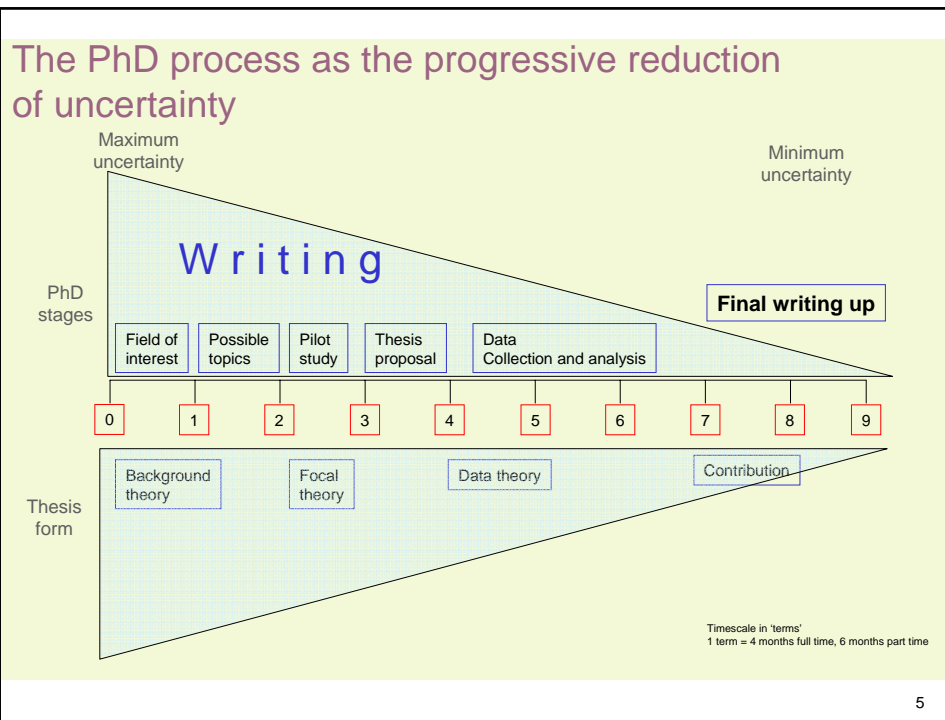
- Enthusiasm
- Isolation
- Increasing interest in work
- Transfer of dependence from supervisor to work
- Boredom
- Frustration
- Job to be finished
- Euphoria

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