



Understanding the transition to doctoral study

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- Research
- Culture
- Future academic workforce
- Economic contribution

Transition to PGR

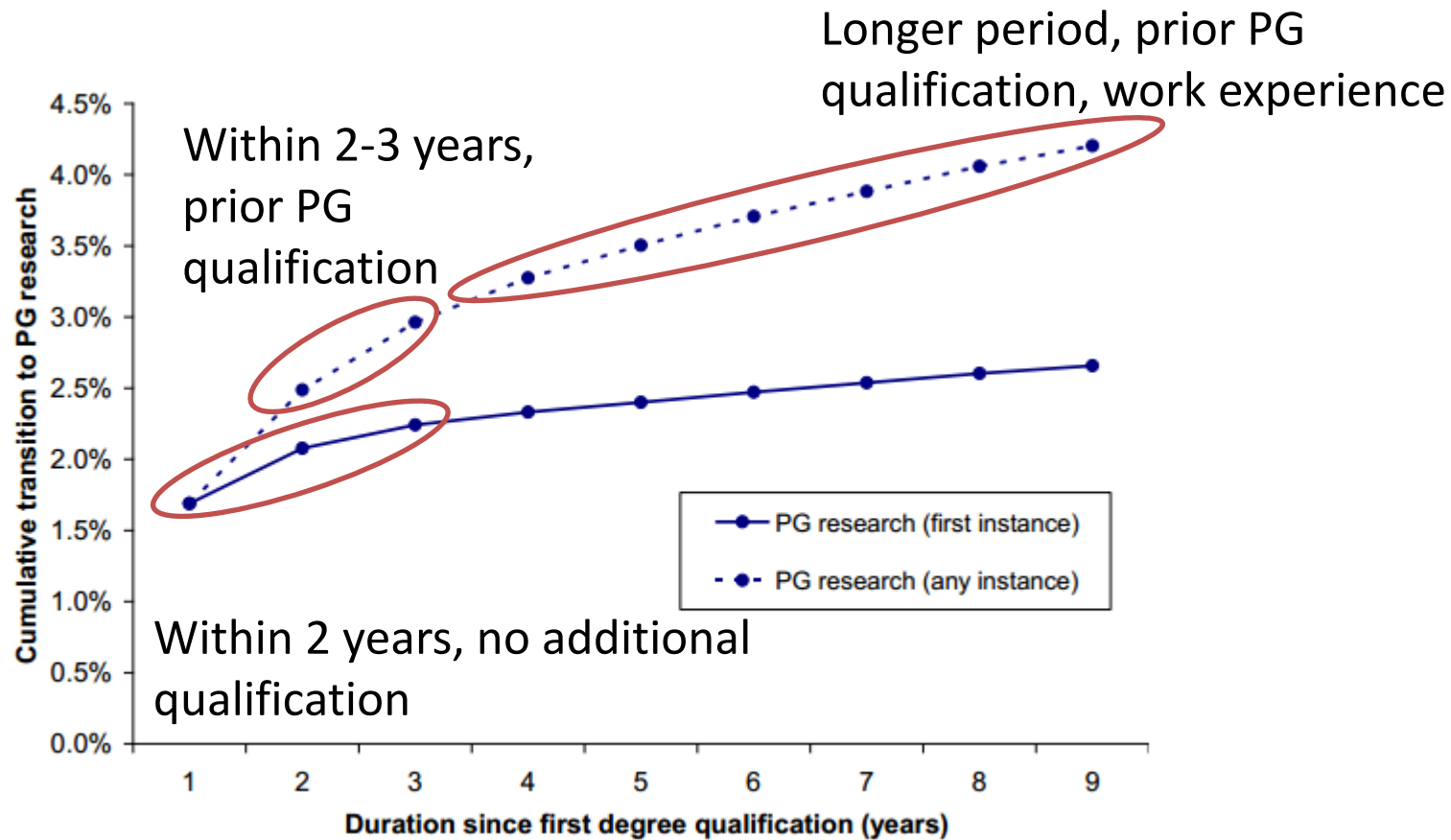


Transition to PGR



- When?
- Who?
- Why?

When?



Who?

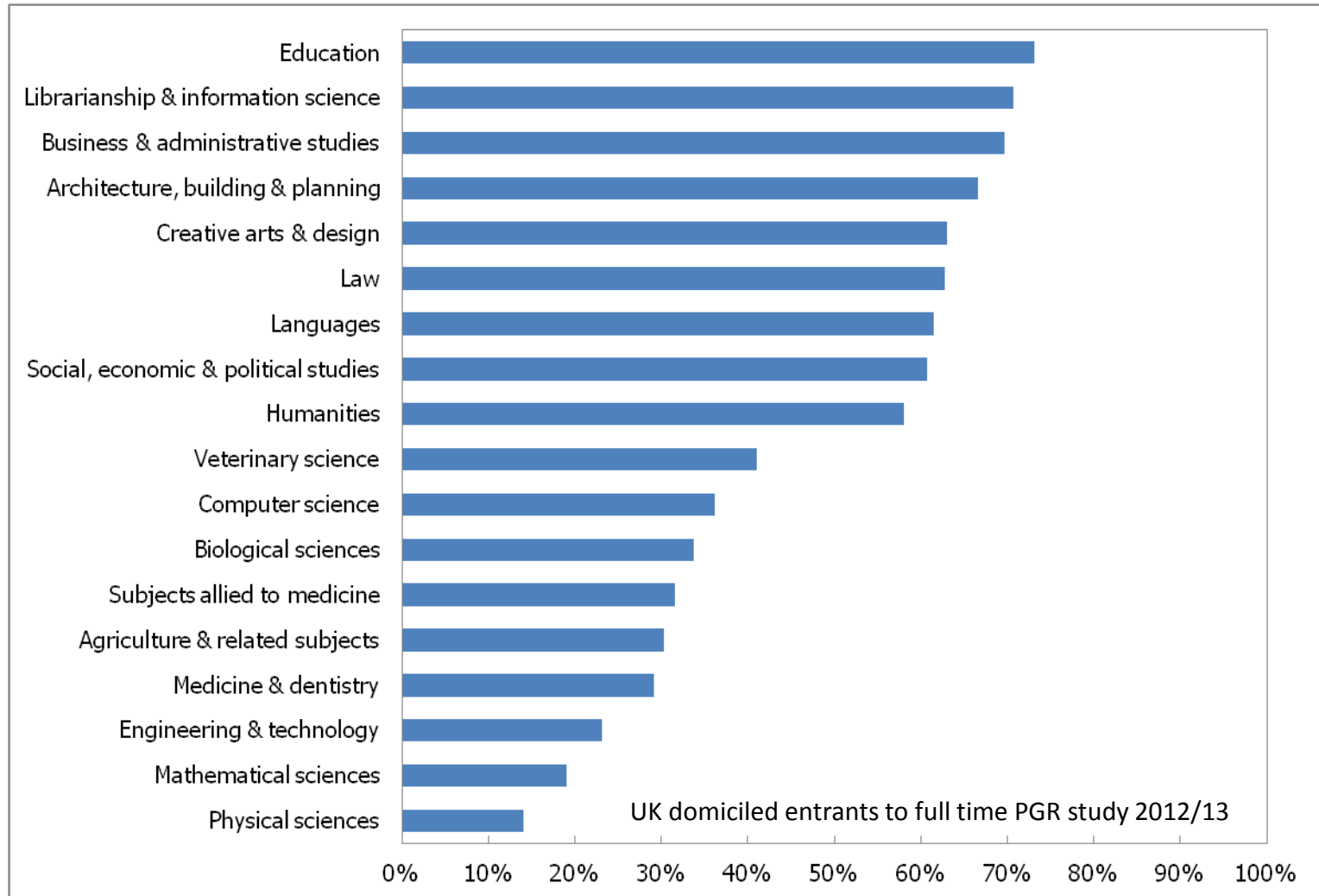
Those who transition within 1 year are:

- In STEM subjects (73%)
- Male (62%)
- White (86%)
- Often have an 'enhanced UG' qualification (44%)
- Have a 1st class (57%) or 2.1 (39%) degree

Prior PG qualifications

Since 2002/3 the proportion of PGR students entering with a prior PG qualification has increased from
33% to 59%

Prior PG qualifications - discipline

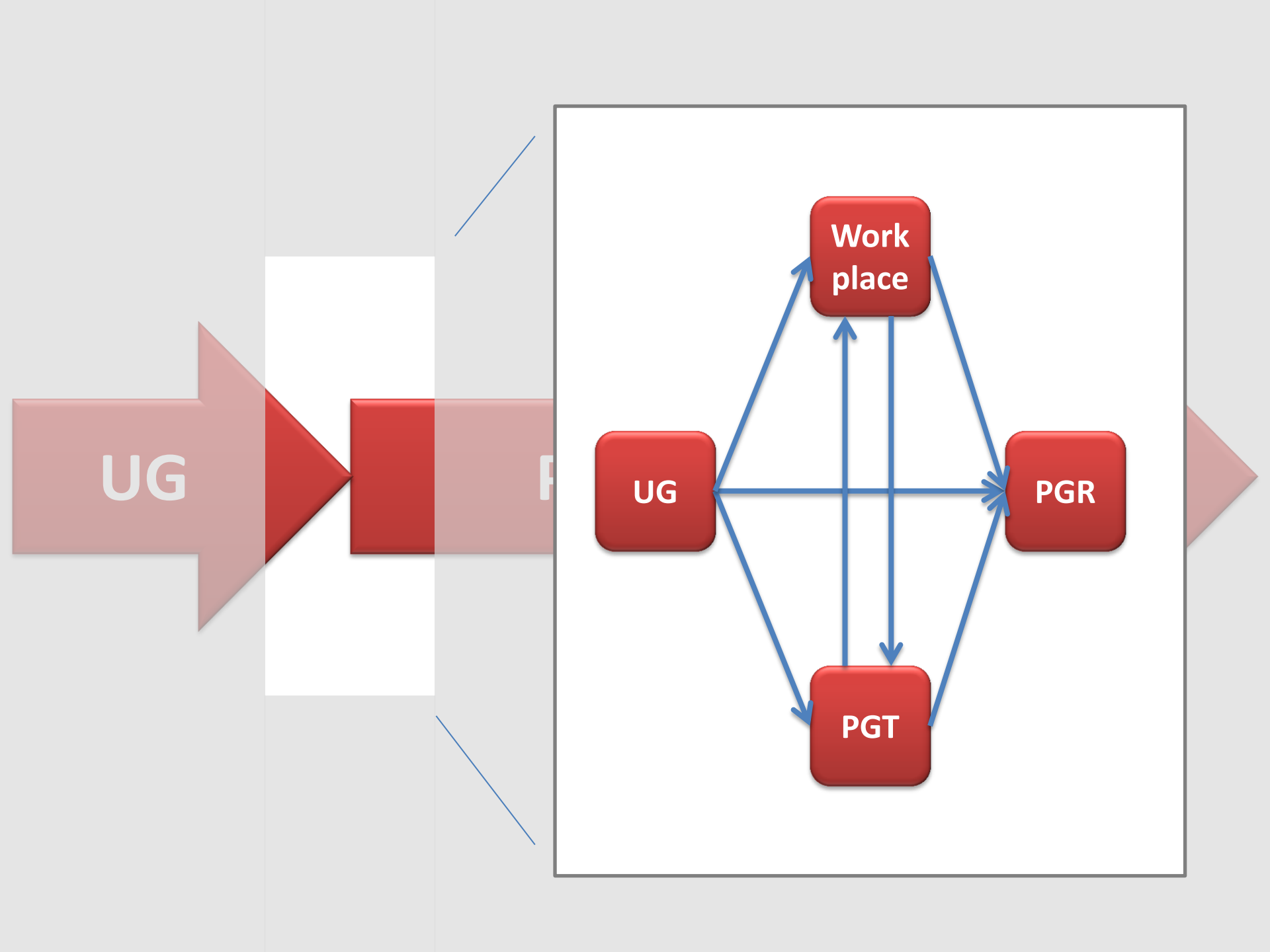


UG

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PGR

Future
career



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Thank you for listening

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