

start applying HEC

21 March 2016 in lovely morning



This is where I start identifying specific information and documents needed for HEC application. Furthermore, getting some advice supervisor is important before applying.

Emm.. Okay, I have got all documents and information. It's time to approaching HEC.



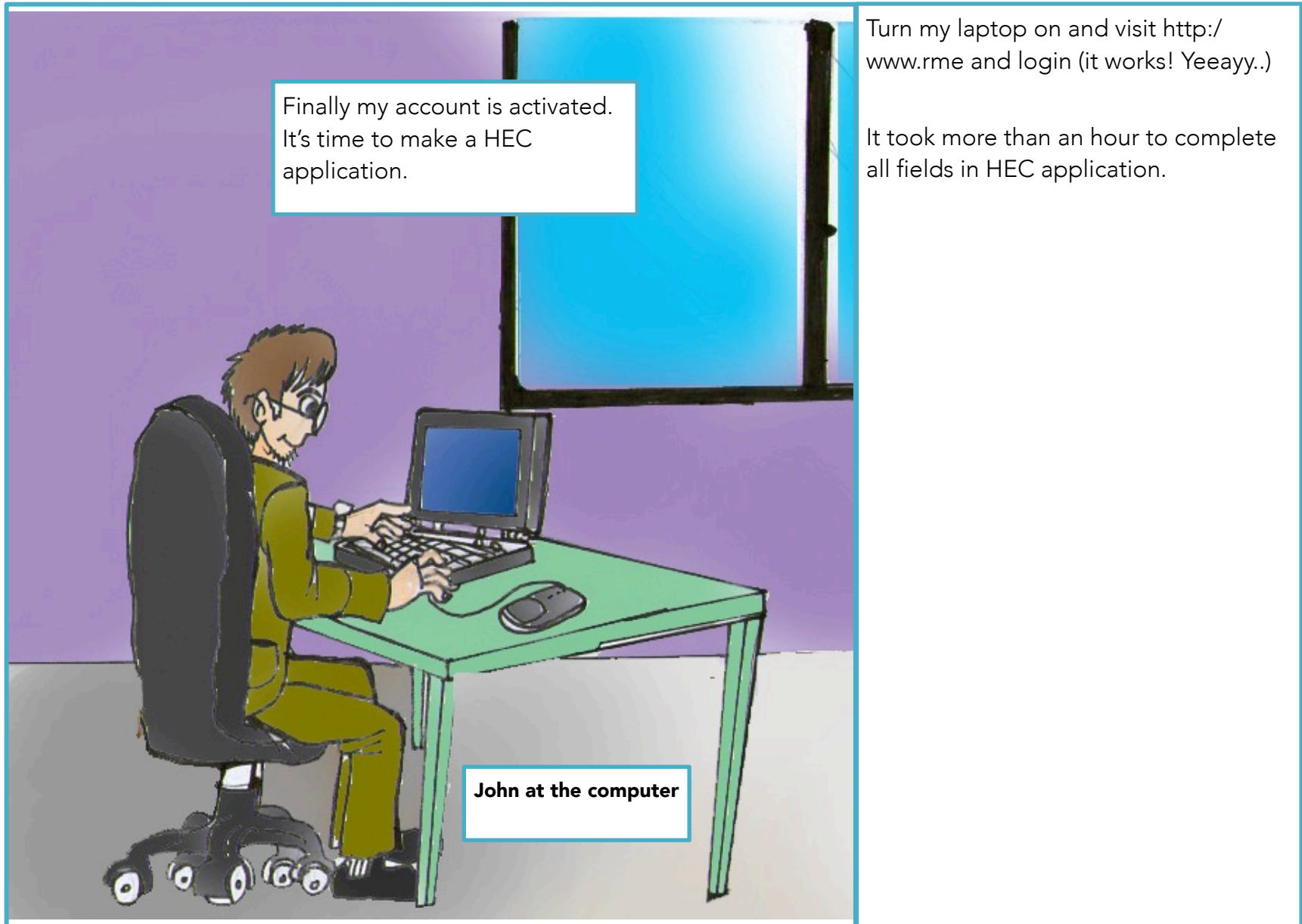
John at the computer

Turn my laptop on and visit <http://www.rme> and login.

<5 times login attempts>

Whaat?? I can't login to RME!

Thus, I sent an email to RME officer to activate my Vic Uni account. I need to wait till my account is activated (Approximately 7 working days).





The first attempt did not go well. I had some missed information. In addition, I need to add translated consent form and informant sheet in local language where my research will be conducted.

Another issue was Treaty of Waitangi Statute. I had no idea at the beginning but my Supervisor helps me to understand what it is.

Something not right.
No responses for my
application at all



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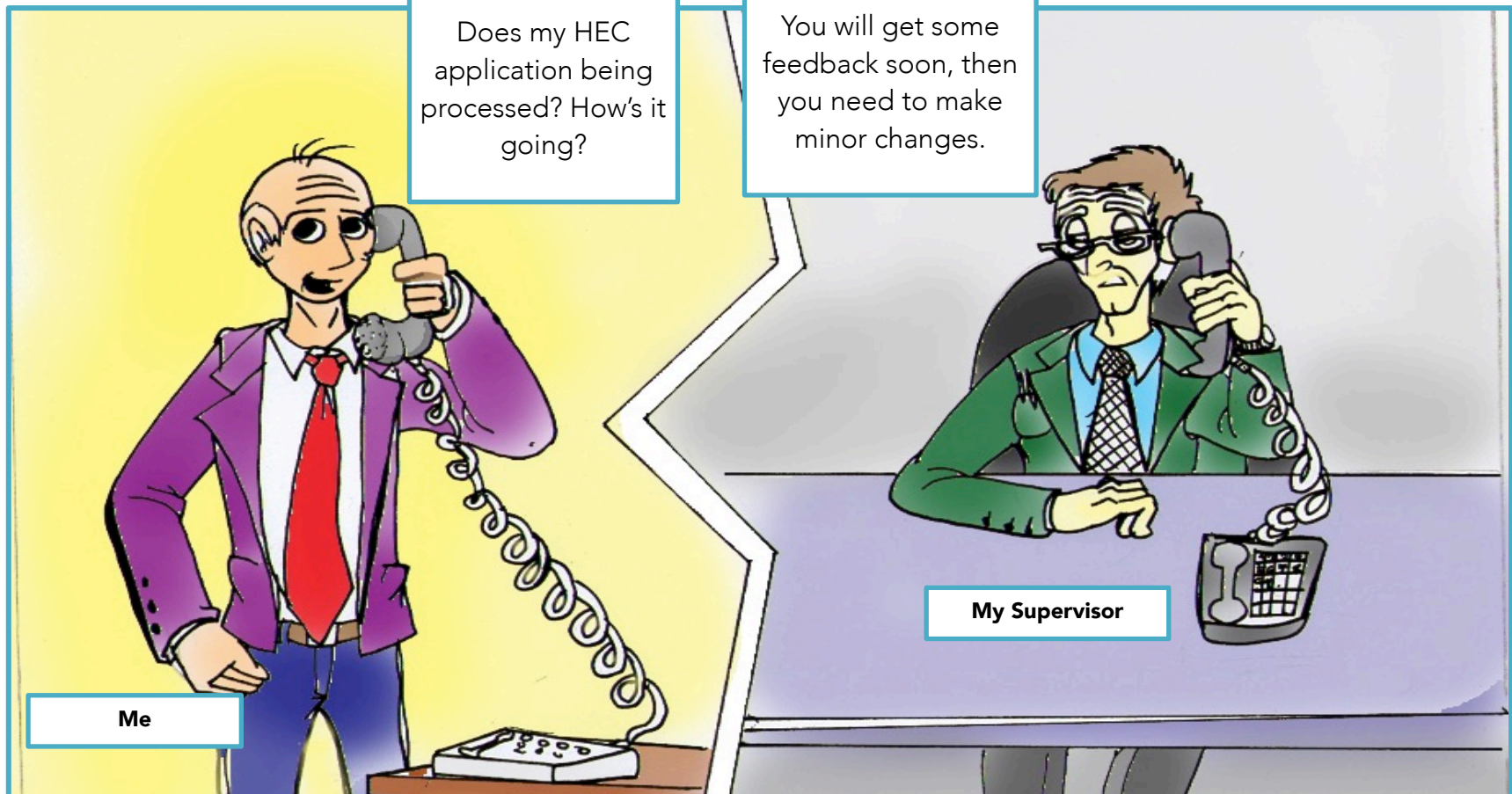
**Me checking
Supervisor**



Waiting for three weeks without any progress on it.

Then, I got information that there was a change of HEC director. Oh, Nooo...!

That's mean my application will not be processed in the appropriate time.



I met my Supervisor and asked the progress of my HEC application. There will minor revision on it. Once I got it, I need to revise it before interviewing people.



I got my HEC application ready. But it still minor revision there. Once it changed, my application will be approved!

Yeeeyyy!
Finally... HEC approved!

I made some changes for my HEC.

After more than a month.

I've got HEC approved. Now I'm ready to work on my research project.

John

Now, the real battle just begun.

17 May 2016

That was a breathtaking
HEC experience.

Done

Me



Well done!