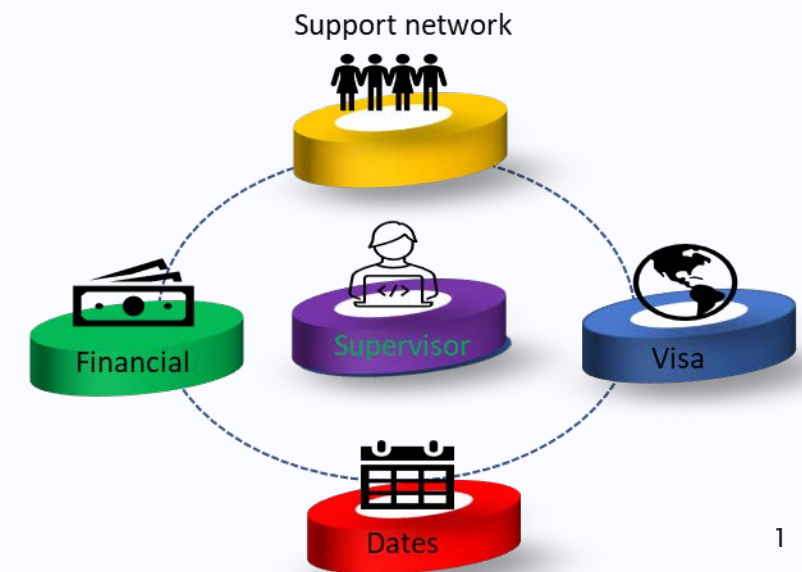


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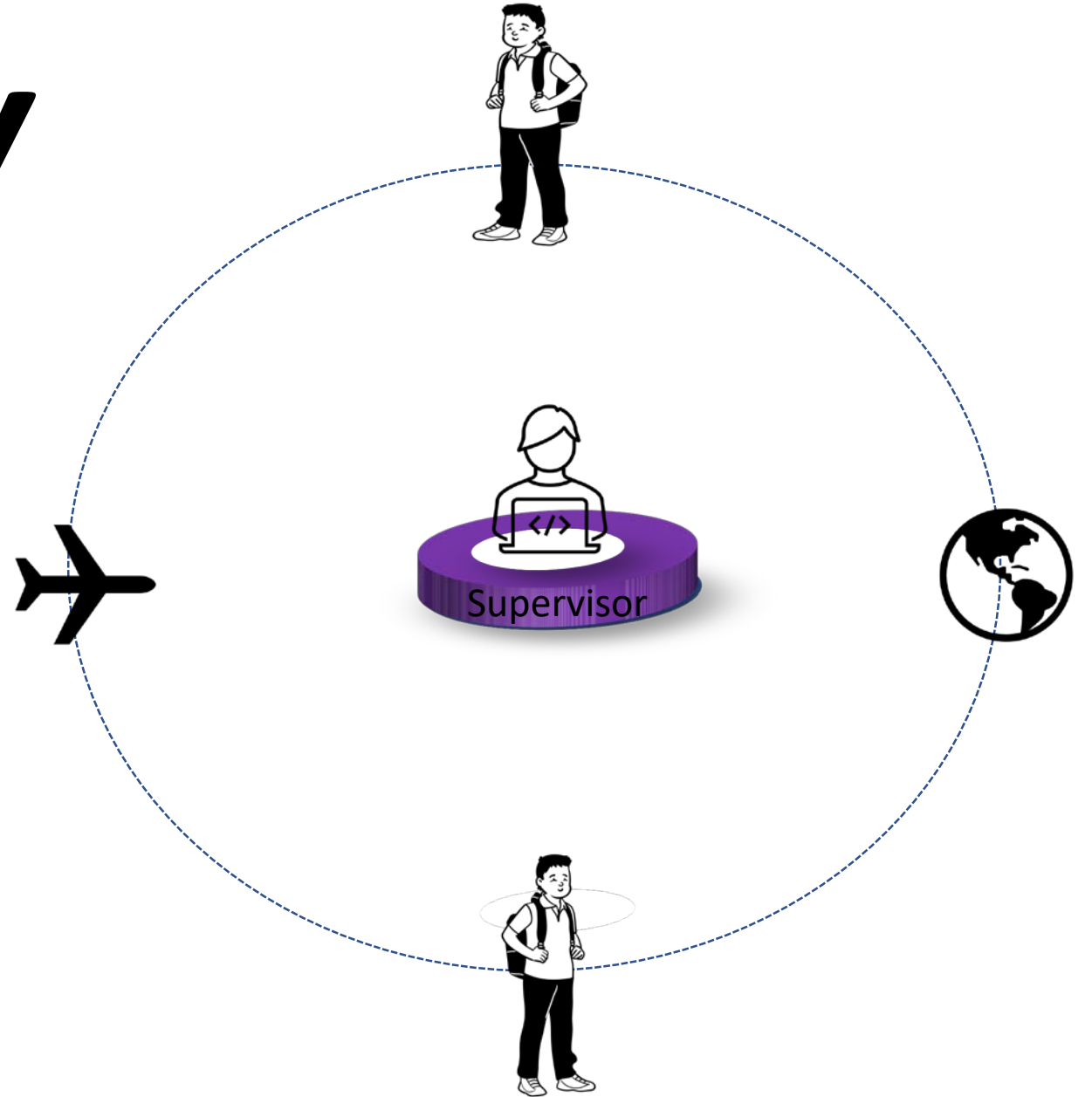
A female student from Saudi Arabia mentions that she is expecting a baby and needs to return home for some medical treatment. She returns and continues her study for 3 months before then returning home again to have the baby in Saudi Arabia where she has family support. Her Confirmation report is due a month after the baby is due.

- *What are your considerations after receiving the news?*
- *Who should you notify and what are the potential issues? (Consider Visa, Absences, Saudi Arabian Cultural Bureau – government sponsor)*
- *What University support or processes should you direct them to?*
- *Did you make any assumptions about the student's needs?*



# CASE STUDY

## VISA



ABC is a new recruited PhD student at University of Southampton who holds a Tier 4 student visa with CSC scholarship. ABC is enrolled and expected to be present on campus doing their research. They had meetings with their supervisor for the first 2 months and all seems to be on track. On the third month of their study, their supervisor becomes aware of social media post and other indicators suggesting that ABC is physically in their home country, contrary to the term of their Tier 4 visa.

