

Forms and Deadlines						
Degree	Requirement	Fall Start	Spring Start	Summer Start		Requirement
PhD	Supervisory Committee Assignment	end of second term (15 May)	end of second term (15 Aug)	end of second term (15 Dec)	Thesis (MS) / Dissertation (PhD) Submission	Publication Guide
	Program of Study	end of second term (15 May)	end of second term (15 Aug)	end of second term (15 Dec)		Title Page
	Comprehensive Examination	2 years (15 Aug)	2 years (15 Dec)	2 years (15 May)		Copyright Ownership
	Application for Candidacy and Research Proposal	Upon completion of comprehensive examinations and at least three months before final defense				Authorship
MS	Supervisory Committee Assignment	end of second term (15 May)	end of second term (15 Aug)	end of second term (15 Dec)		Electronic Thesis / Dissertation
	Program of Study and Thesis Proposal	end of second term (15 May)	end of second term (15 Aug)	end of second term (15 Dec)		Format and Style
	Comprehensive Examination	1.5 years (15 Jan)	1.5 years (15 June)	1.5 years (15 Oct)		IRB Approval