

GRADUATE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS SUMMARY

	Requirement	Anticipated completion *Advisor's signature required to file	If extension, due date	Advisor's signature or initials	Date	Check when filed
YEAR 1						
Fall	Immigration course	Weeks 1 & 2				
	Advisor selected	by October 15				
	Committee formed & filed	by October 31				
	Discuss outside funding with advisor, apply if appropriate	~ October 15				
	Fall committee meeting(s)	across semester				
	Courses: Core, Methods, and/or Statistics	end of semester				
Spring	* Advisor approval of research paper	before May 20 *				
	Research paper to committee (after advisor approval)	May 20*				
	Brown Bag (after 2nd year grads)	by May 20				
	Spring committee meeting(s)	across semester				
	Courses: Core, Methods, and/or Statistics	end of semester				
	* Summer plans approved by committee	by May 31 *				
YEAR 2						
Fall	TA #1 (option to do in Spring)	across semester				
	Fall committee meeting(s)	across semester				
Spring	TA #1 (if not done in Fall) or TA #2 (optional)	across semester				
	Brown Bag (before 1st year grads)	by May 20				
	* Advisor approval of research paper	before May 20 *				
	Research paper to committee (to advisor earlier)	Commencement				
	Spring committee meeting(s)	across semester				
	Courses: Complete Methods, Core, Stats	end of semester				
	committee	by May 31 *				
<i>Other:</i> * File Master's if desired	Optional *					
Summer	* Review paper completed	August 20 *				
YEAR 3						
Fall	TA #2 (if not completed) or TA #3 (optional)	across semester				
	Fall committee meeting(s)	across semester				
Spring	TA #3 (if not completed)	across semester				
	Brown Bag to propose dissertation	during semester				
	Spring committee meeting(s)	across semester				
	* Summer plans approved by committee	by May 31 *				
YEAR 4						
Fall	Fall committee meeting(s)	across semester				
Spring	Spring committee meeting(s)	across semester				
	* Finish dissertation (including required forms)	by end of summer				