

Recommended Timeline for Students Entering with BA only and who receive no fellowships

Semester 1:	Semester 2:	Semester 3:	Semester 4:	Semester 5:	Semester 6:	Semester 7:	Semester 8:	Semester 9:	Semester 10:
3 courses	3 courses	3 courses	3 courses	3 courses	3 courses	2 courses	Work on	Work on	Job Search,
Total Credits: 9	Total Credits: 18	Total Credits: 27	MA Comprehensive /PhD. Preliminary Exam Total Credits: 36 Must Include: -3 core courses -4 LA Lits/CS courses	Total Credits: 45	Work on Prospectus Total Credits: 54	Prospectus Defense Ph.D. Comprehensive Exam Total Credits: 60 Must Include: -48 credits of substantive departmental courses -Port. Language -2 courses on minor field	Thesis	Thesis, Job Search	Dissertation Defense