Fall Semester

Late Aug: Syllabi to course director(s)

Sept.-Oct: Conference Submissions (Regional)

Oct 17: Mid-term grades due

Nov. 4: Research & Prof Development Support Proposals Due (Round 1)

Nov 18: Last day to begin Preliminary Exam for fall completion

Nov-Dec: Registration for Spring 2017

Dec. 15: Degree candidate final grades due

Dec. 19: Final grades for all students due

Engaged in @least 1 research project (self or with faculty)

@ least 1 first-authored manuscript submission in preparation

Passed Preliminary Examination

**** Graduate Assistants may not leave for holiday break until after 5:00 p.m. Wed. December 14****

Spring Semester

Mid-January: Course syllabi due to course directors

Jan. 13: Graduate Assistant Report Date

Feb.-March: Conference Submissions (preferably national/international)

March 6: Mid-semester grades due

March 31: Annual Report & CV Due

April: Registration for Fall 2017

April 7: Research & Prof Development Support Proposals Due (Round 2)

Last day to begin Preliminary Exam for spring completion
May 10: Degree candidates grades due

May 15: Final grades for all students due

Completed @ least three scholarly conference presentations

@ least one article accepted for publication, (preferably first-authored)

Successfully defend Dissertation proposal (submit form to OGAPS)

Apply for and/or engage in at least one high-impact event or program (outside of the department)

****Graduate Assistants may not leave for Summer break until after 5:00 p.m., May 9****

Summer Semesters:

Submit manuscript(s) for publication

On the horizon:

Preparing job application materials

Preparing and practicing research job talk

Finishing and defending dissertation (following all OGAPS deadlines)

Graduation!!!!