

Ph.D. Timeline						
G1	G2		G3		G4	G5
Complete Ph.D. required coursework and lab rotations	Complete Ph.D. required coursework and lab rotations  Spring: <b>Select Faculty Advisor and Dissertation Committee</b>		Summer: <b>Candidacy Exam</b>		Full-time Ph.D. research	Summer: <b>Dissertation Prospectus</b>

M.D. + Ph.D. Timeline						
M1	M2		PhD (3 Years)		M3	M4
Complete M.D. Requirements	Complete M.D. Requirements  Spring: <b>Apply to Ph.D. program by February 1</b>		Summer: <b>Complete USMLE-Step 1 Exam and Apply for Enrichment LOA</b>		<b>YEAR 1:</b> Select Advisor/Dissertation Committee; Complete Ph.D. Didactic Requirements; Complete Candidacy Exam.  <b>YEAR 2:</b> Full-time Dissertation Research; <i>Spring:</i> Complete Prospectus  <b>YEAR 3:</b> Full-time Dissertation Research; <i>Fall/Spring:</i> Dissertation Defense <i>Fall/Spring:</i> <b>Graduate with Ph.D.</b>	Return to Medical School to complete M.D.

## PharmD + PhD Timeline

P1	P2	P3	P4		Ph.D. (3 Years)
Complete Pharm.D. Requirements	Complete Pharm.D. Requirements  Spring: Apply to the program by February 1	Complete Pharm.D. Requirements  Summer/Fall: Participate in Summer Research Fellowship Program	Complete Pharm.D. Requirements  Fall/Spring: Continue Lab rotations as APPE Research Elective	Matriculate into Ph.D. program full-time	<p><b>YEAR 1:</b> <i>Fall/Spring:</i> Select Lab/Advisor; Complete PhD didactic requirements <i>Summer:</i> Complete Candidacy Exam.</p> <p><b>YEAR 2:</b> Full-time Dissertation Research; <i>Spring:</i> Complete Prospectus</p> <p><b>YEAR 3:</b> Full-time Dissertation Research; <i>Fall/Spring:</i> Dissertation Defense; <i>Spring:</i> Graduate with Ph.D.</p>