

## Ph.D. Timeline – Spring Graduation

Fall Year One	<p>Register for courses as directed by your advisor</p> <p><b>Supervisory Committee Due:</b> submit “Supervisory Committee Request” form to the Academic Advisor before last day of classes</p> <p><b>Program of Study Due:</b> submit “Program of Study Request” form to the Academic Advisor before the last day of classes</p>
Spring Year One	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Summer Year One	Register for courses (3 credits of ATMOS 7970 if using a tuition waiver)
Fall Year Two	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Spring Year Two	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Due: May 1	<p><b>Apply for Residency for fall year three (Step 1):</b> If you are a domestic student on a tuition waiver, you need to obtain a Utah driver's license and register to vote in Utah by May 1.</p> <p><a href="http://admissions.utah.edu/apply/residency/">http://admissions.utah.edu/apply/residency/</a></p>
Summer Year Two	Register for courses (3 credits of ATMOS 7970 if using a tuition waiver)
Due: July 1	<p><b>Apply for residency for fall year three (Step 2):</b> You must apply by July 1 to be eligible for fall semester.</p> <p><a href="http://admissions.utah.edu/apply/residency/">http://admissions.utah.edu/apply/residency/</a></p>
Fall Year Three	<p>Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee</p> <p><b>Doctoral Qualifying Exam Due</b></p>
Spring Year Three	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Summer Year Three	Register for courses (3 credits of ATMOS 7970 if using a tuition waiver)
Fall Year Four	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Due: November 1	<p><b>Apply for Graduation</b> (if graduating spring year four)</p> <p><a href="http://registrar.utah.edu/handbook/graduategraduation.php">http://registrar.utah.edu/handbook/graduategraduation.php</a></p>
Spring Year Four	Register for courses as directed by Supervisory Committee
Due: February	<p><b>Give Department office time and date of defense to reserve a room</b></p> <p><b>Defend Dissertation in February</b></p>
Due: March	<b>Submission of defended manuscript for format approval due to Thesis Office</b>
Due: April	<b>Submission of final copy for thesis release</b>

**Graduation Application Due: Semester before graduation**

To find due dates for Thesis Office and Graduate School: <https://gradschool.utah.edu/thesis>

Register for fall courses by August 16

Register for spring courses by December 16

Register for summer courses by April 30