

MA Program Requirements – Expectations of Progress

Term One	Term Two	Term Three
<p>BEGIN coursework</p> <p>a. <i>required half-course</i> CL 9501 [Fun 1] or CL 9502 [Fun 2]</p> <p>Note: The two parts of Fundamentals will be offered in alternate years.</p> <p>b. <i>half-course, topic optional</i> CL 9XXX or graduate course in another program [approval of the Grad Chair required]</p>	<p>COMPLETE coursework</p> <p>a. <i>required half-course</i> CL 9503 [Propaedeutics] Pass/Fail Note: the final assignment in the course will be a brief prospectus for the Major Research Paper.</p> <p>b. <i>half-course, topic optional</i> CL 9XXX or graduate course in another program [approval of the Grad Chair required]</p> <p>DRAFT prospectus for the Major Research Paper</p> <p>FIND appropriate member of the CL core faculty to serve as Director of the Major Research Paper</p>	<p>CONDUCT research for the Major Research Paper [month #1]</p> <p>WRITE first draft of the Major Research Paper [month #2]</p> <p>SUBMIT first draft of Major Research Paper to Director [beginning of month #3: around July 1]</p> <p>REVISE Major Research Paper in accordance with Director’s critical feedback [middle of month #3]</p> <p>SUBMIT Major Research Paper to Grad Chair [by August 15]. The Major Research Paper will be graded by the Director and by one other core faculty member [as arranged by the Grad Chair]. The final mark for the Major Research Paper will be the average of the two submitted marks and will serve as the final grade for the MRP.</p>