

# PhD STUDENT PROGRESS FLOW-CHART

## Year 1

### Term 1

- CDIS 6100 6.0 plus one/two 3-credit CDIS elective courses

### Term 2

- Continue with CDIS 6100 6.0 plus one/two 3-credit CDIS elective courses

### Term 3

- One/two 3-credit CDIS elective courses
- Formation of Comprehensive Supervisory Committee
- Annual Progress Report (**due by May 31<sup>st</sup>**)

## Year 2

### Term 4

- Comprehensive Examination Paper #1

### Term 5

- Comprehensive Examination Paper #2
- Secure Supervisor of Dissertation Committee

### Term 6

- Comprehensive Examination Paper #3
- Annual Progress Report (**due by May 31<sup>st</sup>**)
- Secure additional members of Dissertation Committee

## Year 3

### Term 7

- Oral Comprehensive Examination
- Dissertation Proposal Completion & Oral Examination

### **Term 8**

- Dissertation Research

### **Term 9**

- Dissertation Research
- Annual Progress Report (**due by May 31<sup>st</sup>**)

## **Year 4**

### **Term 10**

- Dissertation Research

### **Term 11**

- Dissertation Research

### **Term 12**

- Dissertation Completion & Oral Defense
- Annual Progress Report (**due by May 31<sup>st</sup>**)