Figure 1. Example Full-Time 3-Year Degree Path

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| **Year 1** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Coursework | UAPP 8010 Exploration of Urban Research Theories (3) Focus Area Course (3)  Focus Area Course (3) | UAPP 8011 Scope/Methods in Urban Affairs Research (3) Focus Area Course (3)  Advanced Methods Course (3) |
| ***Benchmarks*** |  | ***Choose Faculty Advisor*** |
| **Year 2** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Coursework | UAPP 8012 Collaborative Urban Problem Solving I (3) Focus Area Course (3)  Advanced Methods Course (3) | UAPP 8012 Collaborative Urban Problem Solving II (3) Focus Area Course (3)  Focus Area Course (3) *Directed Research Comp. Exam Prep* |
| ***Benchmarks*** | ***Form Comprehensive Exam Committee*** | ***Coursework complete***  ***Pass Comprehensive Exam after end of semester*** |
| **Year 3** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Late Stage | Directed Research to prepare Dissertation Proposal | Dissertation (12) |
| ***Benchmarks*** | ***Defend Dissertation Proposal Apply for Admission to Candidacy*** | ***Defend Dissertation*** |

Figure 3. Example Part-Time Degree Path

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| **Year 1** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Coursework | UAPP 8010 Exploration of Urban Research Theories (3)  Focus Area Course (3) | UAPP 8011 Scope/Methods in Urban Affairs Research (3)  Focus Area Course (3) |
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| **Year 2** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Coursework | UAPP 8012 Collaborative Urban Problem Solving I (3)  Advaned Methods Course (3) | UAPP 8012 Collaborative Urban Problem Solving II (3)  Advanced Methods Course (3) |
| ***Benchmarks*** | ***Choose Faculty Advisor*** | ***Form Comprehensive Exam Committee*** |
| **Year 3** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
|  | | |
| Coursework | Focus Area Course (3)  Focus Area Course (3) | Focus Area Course (3)  Focus Area Course (3) |
| ***Benchmarks*** |  | ***Coursework complete*** |
| **Year 4** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Coursework | Directed Research for Comp Exam prep | Directed Research for Dissertation Proposal |
| ***Benchmarks*** | ***Pass Comprehensive Exam after end of semester*** | ***Defend Dissertation Proposal Apply for Admission to Candidacy*** |
| **Year 5** | **Fall** | **Spring** |
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| Late Stage | Dissertation (6) | Dissertation (6) |
| ***Benchmarks*** |  | ***Defend Dissertation*** |