

Academic Roadmap Year 1/2

Student Name:				Due 2nd Friday of every semester		
	1st year			2nd year		
Semester	Fall _____	Spring _____	Summer _____	Fall _____	Spring _____	Summer _____
Courses						
Research						
Teaching						
Funding*§						
Academic Adviser Signature						
Research Adviser Signature						
Graduate Adviser Signature						

Proposed Preliminary Exam Date:			
Proposed Topics			
Proposed Committee			

PhD program requirements	
Courses	6 courses, including 3 Astronomy courses. Must include Radiative Processes and Fluids. Suggested to finish by end of 2nd year.
Teaching	2 semesters. Suggested to finish by end of 2nd year*.
Exams	Preliminary Exam by end of 2nd year.
	Qualifying Exam by end of 4th year.
	Completed Dissertation by end of 6th year (recommended).

Suggested Timeline																	
	1st year			2nd year			3rd year			4th year			5th year			6th year	
	Fa	Sp	Su	Fa	Sp	Su	Fa	Sp	Su	Fa	Sp	Su	F	S	Su	Fa	Sp
Courses																	
Teaching																	
Prelim Exam																	
Qualifying Exam																	
Dissertation																	

* Department pays graduate students' tuition and stipend during their two semesters of mandatory GSI-ing
 § Make sure to verify that you have signed the necessary forms to get paid for your GSR/GSI appointment