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

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| **Proposed Preliminary Exam Date:** |  |  |  |
| **Proposed Topics** |  |  |  |
| **Proposed Committee** |  |  |  |

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| **PhD program requirements** |
| **Courses** | 6 courses, including 3 Astronomy courses. Must include Radiative Processes and Fluids. Suggested to finish by end of 2nd year. |
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| **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). |

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| **Suggested Timeline** |
|  | **1st year** | **2nd year** | **3rd year** | **4th year** | **5th year** | **6th year** |
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| **Courses** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Teaching** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Prelim Exam** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Qualifying Exam** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Dissertation** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |