

Full-time students are expected to complete the program in 2 semesters. **Part-time students** are expected to complete the program in 4 to 5 semesters. If you want to spend additional time at Columbia (through an Extended Residence), please contact QMSS program staff to discuss your academic plan.

In addition to the curricular requirements below, all QMSS students must also satisfy the following graduation requirements...

- Complete a minimum of 30 graduate course credits
- Maintain a 3.0 or above average GPA.
- Complete the equivalence of two full Residence Units (in increments of ¼, ½, and/or 1)
- [Apply to graduate](#) by the deadline for the appropriate semester.

First Semester: _____

Last Semester: _____

| Course Title | Points | Semester Offered |
|---|---------------|------------------------------------|
| QMSS GR5010: Theory and Methodology | 3 | <u>Fall or Spring</u> |
| QMSS GR5021: Research Seminar | 3 | <u>Fall or Spring</u> |
| QMSS GR5022: Research Seminar II (<i>must be after GR5021</i>) | 3 | <u>Fall or Spring</u> |
| ECON GU4412 Advanced Econometrics | 3 | <u>Fall</u> |
| Microeconomics/Macroeconomics - Fulfilled by <i>either</i> : | | |
| a. ECON GU4213 Advanced Macroeconomics | 3 | <u>Spring</u> |
| b. ECON GU4211 Advanced Microeconomics | 3 | <u>Fall/Spring</u> |
| Two or three graduate (4000-level or above) elective courses (must complete 30 points of credit). | | |
| a. Econ elective course _____ | 1 to 3 | <u>Fall/Spring</u> |
| b. Econ elective course _____ | 1 to 3 | <u>Fall/Spring</u> |
| c. Econ elective course _____ | 1 to 3 | <u>Fall/Spring</u> |
| QMSS GR5999: Master's Thesis (<i>taken during last semester in program</i>) | 3 or 4 | <u>Fall/Spring (last semester)</u> |

Total Points:
(*must equal 30+*)

Thesis Advisor Name : _____

NOTES:

Advisor Title: _____

Advisor Dept : _____

Semester 1 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 2 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 3 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 4 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 5 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 6 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 7 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____

Semester 8 : _____ Residence Unit : _____ RU Credit/Class Cap : _____

| Course Dept. & Number: | Course Name | Points: |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

RU Count: _____ Total Points: _____