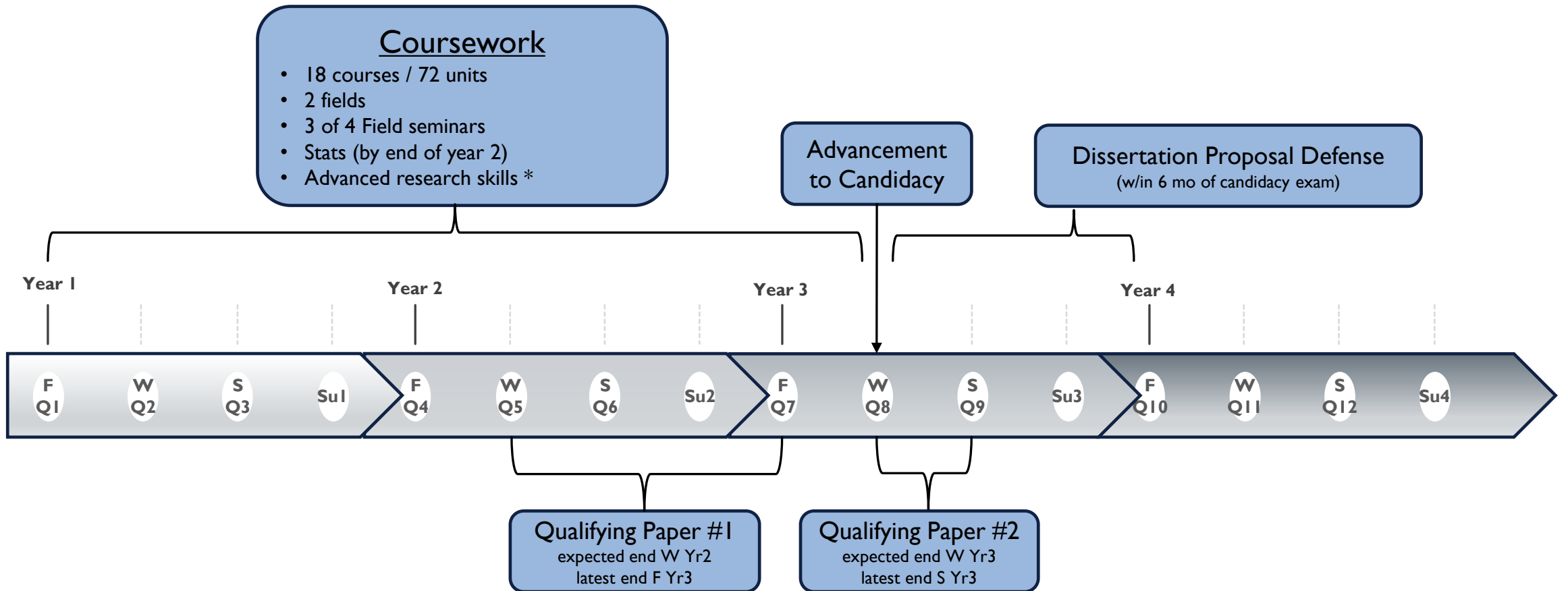


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REQUIREMENT		DEADLINE	
Coursework	<b>Statistics</b>	Qualifying Undergrad Stats (equivalent to 3 quarters) or 2 grad level stats courses	End of Year 2
	<b>Advanced Research Skills</b> (for details see section 5 of Graduate Program in Political Science Requirements, Rules, and Regulations)	Advanced Research Skills Certification (quantitative and/or qualitative) or Completion of Language Requirement	Before Advancement to Candidacy or Before degree completion
	<b>3 of 4 Field Seminars</b>	American Politics Comparative Politics Int'l Relations Political Theory	Before Advancement to Candidacy
	<b>2 Major Fields</b> (3-5 courses per field)	<u>FIELD 1</u> From fields listed above  <u>FIELD 2</u> From fields listed above OR Area of faculty strength OR Specialized/interdisciplinary	Before Advancement to Candidacy
	<b>Overall Coursework</b>	Min 12 pol sci courses (48 units) Max 6 non-pol sci courses (24 units)	Before Advancement to Candidacy
<b>Qualifying Papers</b>	Two research papers of "publishable" quality	#1: expected end of winter qtr Year 2   latest end of fall qtr Year 3 #2: expected end of winter qtr Year 3   latest end of spring qtr Year 3	
<b>Advancement to Candidacy Exam</b>		Expected: end of 8th quarter   Latest: end of 10th quarter	
<b>Dissertation Prospectus Defense</b>	Oral defense	Within 6 months of candidacy exam	
<b>Colloquium Presentation</b>	Present your research		
<b>Dissertation Defense</b>	Degree completion	Expected: six years   Maximum: seven years	

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\* Language option deadline is by degree completion.

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