



Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Timeline for Graduating Students

Guidelines for Planning Your Spring Graduation on **May 21, 2010**

Key Dates:

_____ April 16, 2010 _____	Provide electronic <u>draft</u> of dissertation or thesis, the "Request for Final Oral" form (with original signatures), and 3 copies of your abstract and vita to Janice Stong in the Graduate Dean's Office.
_____ April 23, 2010 _____	Schedule your defense prior to this date to allow time for revisions to be made to your dissertation or thesis.
_____ May 7, 2010 _____	Submit the final electronic version of your thesis or dissertation, the signed "Report on Final Oral" form, and the signed Approval Page to Janice Stong in the Graduate Dean's Office for approval by the Associate Dean.
_____ May 14, 2010 _____	On this date the Graduate Faculty Council (GFC) meets, and your COGS chairperson will report the outcome of your defense and present the COGS recommendation that you are qualified to receive the degree.
_____ May 21, 2010 _____	Graduate School Commencement