Sample Master of Nursing Student Progress - Thesis Route

	First Year													Second Year													
	Fall						Spring				Summer				Fall				Spring				Summer					
Task	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Register for upcoming term	X				X			X		X			X				X				X						
On-campus meeting						X						X					X				X						
Complete course work for NURS 5100 and NURS 5110			X	X	X	X																					
Declare Thesis as culminating activity										X																	
Establish supervisor						X																					
Complete the Student-Supervisor Guidelines agreement						X																					
Submit Master of Nursing Program Declaration						X																					
Complete course work for NURS 5120 and research methods elective							X	X	X	X																	
Discuss options for NURS 5130 w/MN Program Committee Chair								X																			
Establish Supervisory Committee								X																			
Progress and standing meeting (submit report to relevant graduate program office)										X					X		X				X			X			
Complete course work for NURS 5130											X	X	X	X													
Complete course work for NURS 5160															X	X	X	X									
Thesis Proposal:																											
Submit draft of Thesis Propsal for NURS 5160																X											
Submit graded Thesis Propsal to supervisor																X											
Submit graded Thesis Propsal to Supervisory Committee																	X										
Present Thesis Proposal at colloquium																	X										
Submit ethics review proposal to the appropriate research ethics board/committee																		X									
Complete course work for NURS 5140																			X	X	X	X					
Begin data collection and analysis following ethics approval																			X								
Complete research and write Thesis																							X	X			
Thesis Oral Defence:																											
Submit completed Thesis to supervisor for review																							X				
Submit External Examiner CV and Conflict of Interest, if applicable																								19th			
Submit Request for Thesis Examination (includes proposed Thesis Examination Committee)																								19th			
Notice of Final Thesis Examination posted and sent to student and Thesis Examination Committee																								26th			
Thesis Examination Committee members submit Assessment of Readiness to Defend to Chair																									17th		
Pass Thesis Oral Defence																									24th		
Thesis Examination Committee Chair submits Thesis Examination Report																									24th		
Apply for graduation by deadline in Academic Schedule																									31st		
Complete Thesis revisions																										7th	
Supervisor submits Recommendation of the Award of the Degree																										7th	
Submit working-copy transcripts and current CV																										7th	
Submit Request for Publication Emargo of Thesis, if necessary																										7th	
Submit final Thesis to OPUS																										15th	
SGS Dean approves Recommmendation of the Award of the Degree. Program complete.																										31st	
Student may elect to bind Thesis																										X	
Attend Convocation ceremony																											X