Pathobiology & Molecular Medicine Theme Training Plan UAB GRADUATE BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES 2017-2018 Training Plan

	Fall Term*	Spring Torm*	Summer Term*
	Required Coursework: GBS 707: Basic Biochemistry (9.19.17 - 10.30.17)	Spring Term* <u>Four Course Modules Required</u> GBS 750: Nerves, Muscles, and Bones (1.8.18 – 2.2.18)	Summer Term* Required Coursework: GBSC 726: Scientific Comm. & Review
1	GBS 708: Basic Genetics (8.8.17 - 9.18.17) GBS 709: Basic Bio. Organ. (10.31.17 – 12.15.17)	GBSC 751: Heart, Lung, and Kidney (2.5.18 – 3.2.18) GBS 752: GI, Endo., Immun Sys (3.5.18 – 3.30.18)	(4.30.18 – 5.25.18)
	GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting)	GBS 753: Pharm. and Mol. Medicine (4.2.18 – 4.27.18) GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting)	GRD 717 : Principles of Sci Integrity (Bioethics)
	Research Rotations: GBS 795: Lab Rotation 1 (8.14.17 - 10.13.17) GBS 796: Lab Rotation 2 (10.16.17 - 12.15.17)	Research Rotations: GBS 797: Lab Rotation 3 (1.8.18 – 3.9.18) GBS 794: Lab Rotation 4 (3.12.18 – 5.11.18) *if needed	GBS 798: Non-dissertation research
		Mentor Selection- Target date May 1 st	
2	Required Courses: GBSC 731: Intro to Biostatistics GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting)	Required Courses: GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting) GBS 798: Non-dissertation research	Required Coursework: GBS 798: Non-dissertation research
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	Submit Updated CV- Target date Sept. 1	Committee formed- Target date Jan. 1	discretion of student/mentor
3	Required Coursework: GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting) GBS 798: Non-dissertation research	Required Coursework: GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting) GBS 799: Dissertation research	Required Coursework: GBS 799: Dissertation research
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5	Required Coursework: GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting) - <i>if not defending</i> GBS 799: Dissertation research	Required Coursework: GBS 703: Res Analysis & Presentation (Theme Meeting) - <i>if not defending</i> GBS 799: Dissertation Research	
		Dissertation Defense** (public & private)	
		Graduation	

* Students must register for 9 hours each semester, for a total of 27 hours per year. Equity and Diversity Scholars must register for 10 hours Fall, 12 hours Spring, and 10 hours Summer, for a total of 32 hours per year. Any hours over must be approved by your program.

**Students must be admitted to candidacy for a minimum of 1 year before thesis defense.

-Students may count the same JC twice, but can only repeat once. Out of the 4 journal clubs, at least 3 are unique. Students should not participate in more than 2 JC per term.

Additional theme requirements:

Publications: Two first-authored publications Presentations: One research presentation per year, starting in year 2