

## Dual Degree Program in Statistics Checklist

Student Name

UMID

Date

Home Department

Dissertation Title

- STATS 500 (3)    OR     STATS 600 (4)  
 STATS 503 (4)    OR     STATS 601 (4)  
 BIOSTAT 601 (4)    OR     STATS 610 (3)  
 BIOSTAT 602 (4)    OR     STATS 611 (3)

### Requirements:

- 24 credit hours of course work  
 2 cognate courses (if applicable)  
 Written Component

Master's Program Director

Date

Two Graduate-level Statistics courses (at least 6 credit hours), at least one of which is STATS 501, 506, 507, 509, 531, 551, or a 600-level STATS course. The Department of Statistics website has a more complete list of commonly chosen courses. If you have received approval to take two additional courses in place of the writing component, please list these courses here. These courses MUST be approved by the graduate advisor.

Cognate Courses: Students admitted for Fall 2018 (or later) are not required to take cognate courses. These students may still take up to 2 courses for up to 6 credits from departments other than Statistics or Biostatistics, with prior approval from the advisor. Students admitted prior to Fall 2018 must take two cognate courses. Cross-listed courses cannot count as cognates. Students should consult the advisor regarding acceptable cognate courses.

- Writing Component: A written component that demonstrates mastery of statistical methods in the design of data collection and/or modeling and data analysis in the student's area of research is attached.

**\*A Statistics Faculty Committee Member must be on the student's PhD thesis committee\***

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Statistics Faculty Member on Student's PhD  
Thesis Committee

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