

BA/MHS Program in Department of Epidemiology

BA/MHS Compressed Timeline

JHU/KSAS

- Sophomore year: February attend info session follow-up with departments of interest
- Junior year: Fall or Spring take Fundamentals of Epi course at HMWD
Can start attending Current Topics if desired.
- Solicit references, submit application (including track of interest)
(preferred deadline is June 1, School's deadline is July 1.)
- Accept offer
Meet with Epi program director (Dr. Beaty) to think about research topics and courses for Senior year.
- Senior year: Take Biostats 621-624 and recommend they attend Current Topics
OR take electives for the track selected
OR complete Honors curriculum at Homewood (students can do both coursework and Honors Program with permission from Honors Program director)
- Meet with Dr. Beaty and any faculty to identify a research topic for the summer and to serve as an adviser.
- Summer after graduation from BA program:
Register for 2 credits 340.840 with adviser to complete a pilot study or research project leading toward possible thesis

JHSPH:

- First – fourth terms: Attend JHSPH Orientation
Complete all course requirements and work on thesis
- Summer after first year: Register for 2 credits 340.820 with adviser:
Take written comprehensive exam
complete thesis
prepare and present poster of research project
Graduation from MHS at end of August
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Regular MHS timeline:

All of the above until graduation from JHU / KSAS then:

- First – fourth terms: Take course requirements and identify adviser
Take written comprehensive exam
- Fifth – eighth terms: Masters Tuition Scholarship can be awarded for full-time students
Take any remaining required or recommended coursework
complete thesis
prepare and present poster of research project
MHS Graduation is May of year two