

The Honors College at the University of Maine
2022 Off Sequence Thesis: Important Dates & Deadlines

SEMESTER PRIOR TO TAKING HON 498: FALL 2021
(FOR ANTICIPATED GRADUATION DEC 2022)

Register for HON498 **Registration Week(s)**

Submit Thesis Form 1 **Week 13**

Complete a proposal, approved by your thesis advisor, and if necessary, your department's chair, and submit *Thesis Form 1 (Advisor and Proposal)*

HON 498 SEMESTER (SPRING 2022)

Work on Thesis research

Constitute thesis committee & hold thesis committee meeting **Week 8**
Submit *Thesis Form 2 (Thesis Committee)* with names of your committee members **(Mid March)**

Register for HON 499 **Registration**
Week(s)

HON 499 SEMESTER (FALL 2022)

Finalize reading list **Week 4**
Submit *Thesis Form 3 (Reading List)*, approved by your advisor **(Late September)**

Apply for December Graduation **Deadline: Oct. 1**

Determine date and time of your Thesis Defense **Week 8**
Submit *Thesis Form 4 (Defense Schedule)* approved by your thesis advisor **(Mid October)**

Thesis and Reading List to Committee **Two weeks before**
Pre-defense thesis and annotated reading list to committee with approval of **defense**
advisor

Defend thesis **Before classes end**
Thesis advisor submits *Thesis Form 5 (Honors Recommendation)*

Submit final post-defense thesis **University deadline**
Thesis Form 6 (Final Acceptance) approved by thesis advisor, and an **(~Dec. 30)**
electronic version of thesis sent to the Honors College Associates (docx and
PDF)

If you are completing your thesis on a different semester cycle, or if you have any questions, please check in with the Honors office.