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Spring 2021 Preliminary Exam Schedule (subject to change)

- Feb 8 Meet with mentor by this point to discuss research questions
- Mar 8 Students submit specific aims page to mentor
- Mar 22 Detailed feedback on specific aims page returned
- Apr 5 Specific Aims page to track coordinator
- Apr 16 Students send mentor full document
- Apr 30 Mentor returns feedback on full document.
 - The mentor should be granted at least two weeks to provide feedback.

2 BMES workshops in this window: Stats, Polish of document + review specific aims page

May 17 - Written document due – Upload portal (2 weeks)

BMES oral presentation practices

Week of May 31 - Oral presentations

- Committee considers: Written document, Oral presentation, Q&A
- Two faculty members on the exam committee will read document and provide written feedback.

June 21 - Decisions and feedback to students