Recommended time paths for the completion of the Master's degree requirements for Students who were admitted prior to Fall 2025

Full-time studies

Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring/Summer
IS 8901 required	IS 8100A* placement preparation	IS 8100B* placement
IS 8903 required	IS 8902 required	
IS XXXX elective	IS 8904 required	Major Research Paper** (MRP)
IS XXXX elective	IS XXXX elective	

Part-time studies

Term 1 Fall	Term 2 Winter	Term 3 Spring/Summer
IS 8901 required	IS 8100A* placement preparation	IS 8100B* placement
IS 8903 required	IS 8904 required	
Term 4 Fall	Term 5 Winter	Term 6 Spring/Summer
IS XXXX elective	IS 8902 required	Major Research Paper** (MRP)
IS XXXX elective	IS XXXX elective	

^{*}ISS students are enrolled in IS8100A to attend preparation sessions for their placement in the following term. The placement requirement is evaluated following the completion of IS8100B. The final assessment will normally be Pass/Fail.

^{**}The major research paper (MRP) is considered to be a Milestone. A Milestone is a component of a program which is required for graduation, but is not offered in a traditional in-class course framework. ISS students are enrolled in the Milestone when they are ready to commence work on their MRP. The final assessment will normally be Pass/Fail.