Orientation
Meet your cohort, our Graduate Coordinator Dr. Singh, your Student Affairs Manager Morgan Bouwsma, learn about our department and more!

Major Professor
Work with your major professor to pick classes for your first semester. *Students on assistantship must register for 18 hours* Complete the academic advisement form to be cleared for registration by Morgan. Students matriculating in the fall must register for GRSC 7001 and FDST 6500.

End of First Semester
Form your advisory committee with help from your major professor.

End of Second Semester
Submit your program of study via gradstatus.uga.edu and complete your annual evaluation with your major professor.

Thesis Prospectus
Present your prospective thesis to your advisory committee and your major professor.

Apply to Graduate
A student must apply for graduation online by the end of the first week of classes in the semester the student intends to graduate.

Thesis Defense
Schedule your defense with your advisory committee and major professor, email Hannah Kim and Morgan Bouwsma with date, time, location, Zoom link, title of presentation. Submit G140 form at least one week prior to defense.

Exit Survey
Complete the exit survey and schedule exit interview with the department head, Dr. Manpreet Singh.

Graduate
Congratulations! That is how you get a Masters degree from the Department of Food Science and Technology at UGA.