

2024-2025 PREPARING the QUALIFYING EXAM PROPOSAL SCHEDULE

For PhD and MD-PhD students taking the *Spring 2025 Qualifying Exam*

Attendance mandatory for all sessions.

Materials for small group sessions are due by 12:00 noon the Monday before.

Wednesday, December 4, 2024
4:00-5:00pm, Zoom

General Session: Introduction to Proposal Writing
Led by Drs. Joan Berman and Tina Calderon

Wednesday, December 11, 2024
4:00-5:00pm, Zoom

General Session: Specific Aims and Experimental Design
Led by Drs. Joan Berman and Tina Calderon

Wednesday, January 15, 2025
4:00-5:00pm, In-person

Small Group Session: Specific Aims
Led by faculty facilitators and advanced graduate student facilitators

Wednesday, January 29, 2025
4:00-5:00pm, In-person

Small Group Session: Specific Aims
Led by faculty facilitators and advanced graduate student facilitators

Wednesday, February 12, 2025
4:00-5:00pm, In-person

Small Group Session: Experimental Design
Led by faculty facilitators and advanced graduate student facilitators

Wednesday, February 26, 2025
4:00-5:00pm, In-person

Small Group Session: Experimental Design
Led by faculty facilitators and advanced graduate student facilitators

Wednesday, March 5, 2025
4:00-5:00pm, Zoom

General Session: Wrap-up; Background and Significance; Tying it all Together
Led by Drs. Joan Berman and Tina Calderon

• The Qualifying Exam Timeline, Forms and Guidelines are available on the Graduate Division website:
<https://einsteinmed.edu/education/phd/current-students/qualifying-exam.aspx>