

WPI DATA SCIENCE PhD DEGREE PLAN of STUDY

Important: Update this form at least once every year, have it signed by your faculty advisor, and bring it to the Data Science Office (FL243) within two weeks of the semester start.

PhD Competency Requirements:

- **Breadth Competency:** All of the 5 core areas must be checked before graduation.
- **Depth Competency:** Must take 2 additional courses, each from a different core area.
- Only courses with a **B** grade or higher may count towards the PhD Competency Requirements.
- Must earn grade **A** in at least 4 out of 7 Core Competency courses.

Name:

WPI ID:

WPI Email:

Faculty Advisor:

Degree Track:

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<i>Five Core Bins</i>	<i>Breadth Requirement</i>			<i>Depth Requirement</i>
Concentration Area	Check if Satisfied (either by course or petition)			Check at least two
INTEGRATIVE (DS 501)	Not Yet	By Course	By Petition	
MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS (DS502, MA542, or MA554)	Not Yet	By Course	By Petition	
DATA ACCESS AND MANAGEMENT (CS542, MIS 571, CS561, or DS503)	Not Yet	By Course	By Petition	
DATA ANALYTICS AND MINING (CS548, CS539, DS541, or DS504)	Not Yet	By Course	By Petition	
BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE AND CASE STUDIES (MIS 584, or MKT 568)	Not Yet	By Course	By Petition	

Student Signature:

Date:

Faculty Advisor Signature:

Date:

Faculty Advisor Name: