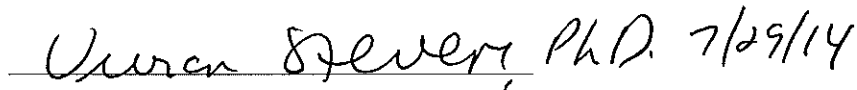


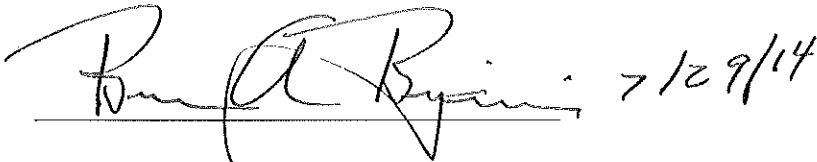
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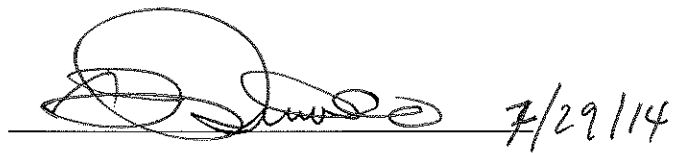
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Academic Plan Guidelines for Dual Degree Students:

**For current DO/MS students (dual-degree track) who completed their master's degree (MS) year and are entering into the medical school-year 1 (MS-I year) in the fall 2014 and subsequent years:**

- Provided the DO/MS student has obtained a minimum graduate GPA of 3.0 and has made a "C" grade or better in any medical school coursework taken while in the master's program (e.g, "Biomedical Foundations" courses), that student will not need to repeat this coursework. The Registrar will adjust for enrolling students accordingly in the medical curriculum coursework, showing credit for the medical school coursework satisfactorily completed during the master's degree year of study. Upon entry to the first-year of medical school, Student Services Office will encourage those students who obtained a "C" grade to sit in on these medical school courses when offered during the fall semester.
- If any student has made a "D" or "U" in a "Biomedical Foundations" course, he/she would need to repeat that course to satisfy the requirement that graduate degree grades be no lower than a "C" grade to apply towards graduate degree requirements.
- Even though an MS student may have completed a portion of a *Systems* course, he/she will still need to be enrolled in all *Systems* courses offered in the medical school curriculum.

**For master's degree students (MS) students admitted into medical school following one-year of master's degree coursework or doctoral students who have completed graduate coursework and are entering medical school in fall 2014 and subsequent years:**

- Provided the student has a obtained a minimum Graduate GPA of 3.0 and has made a "C" grade or better in any medical school coursework taken while in the master's program (e.g, "Biomedical Foundations" courses), then no coursework will need to be repeated. Upon entry to the first-year of medical school, Student Services Office will encourage those students who obtained a "C" grade to sit in on these medical school courses when offered during the fall semester.
  - These courses must have been taken within two years of entering the medical school curriculum.
- Even though an MS student may have completed a portion of a *Systems* course, he/she will still need to be enrolled in all *Systems* courses offered in the medical school curriculum.