

Pre-C2.0 MSTP Immersion Phase Core Requirements

(Entering class of 2012, 2011, 2010 or earlier)

Minimum Immersion Phase Requirements (in Months)		
On-Campus	1	Integrated Science Courses (ISCs)
	1	1 Acting Internship/certain ACEs*
	2	Advanced Clinical Experience (ACEs)
On-Campus or Away (away with approval)	4	Competency and Interest-Driven Rotations** (can be ISCs, ACEs, AIs or Electives [#])
8 required months	Must include: 1 Primary Care course (either ACE or ISC) 1 Acute Care course (EM or ICU-based course)	
2	<i>Flex months</i>	
<p><i>*the sub-internship courses will not exist after June 2015; current sub-Is will become ACEs, and those will count for this credit</i></p> <p><i>**two must be clinical rotations</i></p> <p><i>[#] Any requests for research months (elective) must be approved by Dr. Estrada.</i></p>		

Longitudinal Requirements

On Campus	Unit	Mode of delivery	Mode of registration
Yes	Learning Communities Unit 1 (LC1)	Sept or Feb of Immersion Phase	Self-enroll (yes.vanderbillt.edu)
No	FHD-Advanced Communications 1 (AC1)	VSTAR Course + CELA (Self-paced)	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada
No	FHD- Advanced Communications 2 (AC2)	VSTAR Course + CELA (Self-paced)	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada
No	FHD-Interprofessional Education 1 (IPE1)	VSTAR Course (Self-paced)	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada
Yes	FHD-Interprofessional Education 2 (IPE2)	Pair with ACE in Immersion Phase	Self-enroll (yes.vanderbillt.edu)
No	FHD-Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) Modules	VSTAR COURSE (Self-paced)	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada

*ACEs that will meet the Immersion Phase Sub-I requirement

Course #	Title	Meets requirement
MED 5613	ACE: Critical Care, VU	Acute care; counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PED 5830	ACE: Pediatric Emergency Med	Acute care; counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PED 5990	ACE: Pediatric Critical Care	Acute care; counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5614	ACE: Surg Critical Care	Acute care; counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5621	ACE: SurgCritCareVAH	Acute care; counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
MED 5780	ACE: Medical Oncology	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
MED 5785	ACE: Hematology-Oncology	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
NEUR 5620	ACE: Stroke	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
OBN 5655	ACE: Gynecologic Oncology	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
OBN 5660	ACE: Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PED 5635	ACE: Ped Hematology/Onc	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PSYCH 5620	ACE: Neuropsychiatry	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PSYCH 5625	ACE: Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Consult-Liaison	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
PSYCH 5645	ACE: Adult Psychiatry Consult-Liaison	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5613	ACE: Surgery, VAH	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5615	ACE: Vascular Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5617	ACE: Colon and Rectal Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5618	ACE: Hepatobiliary	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5620	ACE: Neuro Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5623	ACE: General Surgery, STH	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5630	ACE: Cardiac Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5632	ACE: Thoracic Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5640	ACE: Urology	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5660	ACE: Pediatric Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5670	ACE: Surgical Oncology	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum
SURG 5680	ACE: Plastic Surgery	counts for Sub-I requirement in old curriculum

#Process and Criteria for research Months (elective)

Rotation Goals: The Special Studies Research Months during the Immersion Phase are intended for students to pursue or complete research projects that are *outside* of their completed thesis research. The research elective must be designed in collaboration with a Vanderbilt faculty and requested using the special studies process in enrollment office.

Request Process: You and your research mentor must complete the form for **VUSM Research Special Study Form 6150:**
https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/enrollment/files/enrollment/public_files/Form%206150_updatedMar2016.pdf

***Note: These forms must be turned in no less than 28 days in advance.**

Instructions for completing the form:

1. Student completes all parts EXCEPT for assessment tools.
2. Student saves form and emails it to Faculty Mentor.
3. Faculty mentor enters Assessment tools for each Learning Objective, signs (digitally) and submits to medregistrar@vanderbilt.edu
4. Student submits a summary of the research proposal to medregistrar@vanderbilt.edu

Once submitted, enrollment will forward the request to Dr. Estrada for review in consultation with the MSTP Leadership Team. Once approved, you will be manually enrolled.

Grading and Credit: The research elective will be graded as Pass/Fail. In order to receive grade and credit, once you complete the month rotation, you will submit a SPECIAL STUDIES RESEARCH PROGRESS REPORT to Dr. Estrada. Your research mentor will be asked to provide summative comments for online grading.