

First Year Courses - Sample Plan		
	Semester 1	Semester 2
Health Data Sciences core courses (required)	Research Proposal Seminar (2 semesters, 1st Friday of the month: Semester 1: 12.00-14.00 Semester 2: 10.00-12.00, 6 ECTS in total)	
Meta-Research courses (suggested)	Advanced Reproducible Research with R (QUEST) (1 semester, 2.5 ECTS)	
Biostatistics courses (suggested)		iBIKE's Monday discussion circle "Current Biometric Topics" - "MoDiRu" (1 semester, 1.5 ECTS, can be repeated 1x)
Epi/Population Health courses (suggested)	MET1 (from MScPH program) (14 Lectures in 1 Semester, 1.5 ECTS)	MET2 (from MScPH program) (14 Lectures in 1 Semester, 1.5 ECTS)
Other	Good Scientific Practice Workshop (2-hour lecture required & scheduled by Promotionsbüro) at some point during PhD coursework (no ECTS)	
ECTS per year (30 total req. over 3 years)	12	

	Second Year Sample		Third Year Sample	
	Semester 3	Semester 4	Semester 5	Semester 6
Health Data Sciences core courses (required)	"MET 3" - Advanced Methods in Epidemiology, Biostatistics, and Population Health Science (1 semester, 6 ECTS)		Head TA for a Methods Course & mentored lecturing (1 semester, 6 ECTS)	
Internal electives	Resampling techniques and their application (iBiKE, 1 semester, 5 ECTS)	Peerspectives - Peer review training program (1 semester, 4 ECTS)	<i>HDS Doctoral Student Seminar (DSS) (2 semesters, 11 meetings, 2 ECTS)</i>	
		<i>BEMC (4p on first Wednesday of month, may take 1 calendar year for credit, 2.5 ECTS), can be repeated 1x</i>		
ECTS per year			15	10.5

= 37.5 total course credits in 3 years