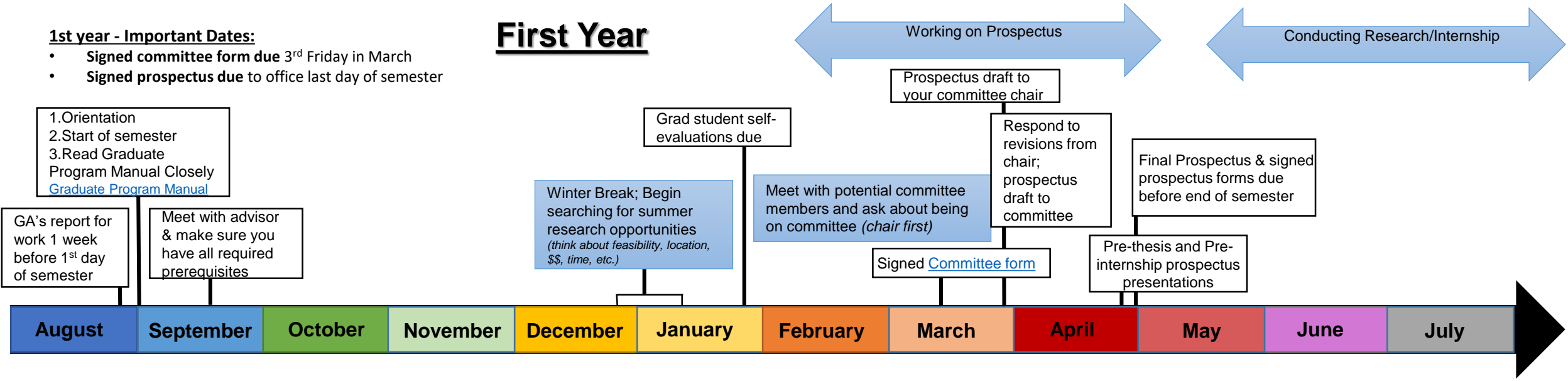


First Year

1st year - Important Dates:

- Signed committee form due 3rd Friday in March
- Signed prospectus due to office last day of semester



Second Year

2nd year - Important Dates:

- Graduation application due, including approved program of study 1st week of November (spring graduation); 1st week of May (fall graduation).
- Thesis draft due to committee chair first Friday of Feb (Spring defense); or first Friday in Oct (Fall defense)

- [Format checks are due to EDT](#) at least 10 days PRIOR to your defense
- **Last day to defend** is two weeks before last day of semester you plan to graduate
- Thesis must be [uploaded to Proquest](#) by last day of semester ([Thesis & Dissertation Processes and Deadlines](#))

