## Phase 3/M4 Career Development Timeline | Class of 2017

**Items listed in red are for those applying to early match**

### May 2016
- **ERAS 2017 User Guide**
- **MyERAS 2017 Overview**
  - Visit the ERAS website at [https://www.aamc.org/students/medstudents/eras/](https://www.aamc.org/students/medstudents/eras/)
  - ERAS tokens distributed via e-mail.

### May
- **Review SF Match site for general information about the early match process.**

### May-June
- **Urology Residency Match information is available online. To register please visit [http://www.auanet.org](http://www.auanet.org)**
  - Investigate on-line sources for specialty and program information, requirements and deadlines
  - Begin requesting residency application information and brochures directly from hospitals through FREIDA at [https://freida.ama-assn.org/Freida/eula.do](https://freida.ama-assn.org/Freida/eula.do)

### May-July
- **Complete submitting application for USMLE Step 2 CS & CK. Must have Step 2 CS completed by end of November; Step 2 CK by the end of December. Register early!**
  - Put final touches on CV and personal statement

### May-September
- **Begin residency program applications. Note: Individual programs set the deadlines. You should contact programs directly for their deadlines.**

### May-October
- **Track LoRs through ERAS**

### May-June
- **Gather CAS materials (LoRs, transcript, personal statement, application, CV)**

### June
- **Urology registration is available through the AUA site at [http://www.auanet.org/education/urology-and-specialty-matches.cfm](http://www.auanet.org/education/urology-and-specialty-matches.cfm)**
  - First opportunity to have senior portrait taken. You will receive an email a week prior with details on how to sign up.

### June 1st
- **Early Match registration is available through the SF Match site at [http://www.SFMatch.org](http://www.SFMatch.org)**

### June 6th
- **MyERAS site opens to applicants to register and begin working on their applications.**

### June 8th
- **Personal Statement Panel: Hughes Auditorium 5:30pm**

### July
- **Additional opportunities to have senior portrait taken. You will receive an email a week prior with details on how to sign up.**

### July 5th
- Personal Statement **due** (submit to Terence Ro [terence.ro@northwestern.edu](mailto:terence.ro@northwestern.edu))
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Online MSPE worksheet due.

July 13th  
*Overview of the application process for early match: Baldwin Auditorium 6:00-7:15pm*

July 19th  
*Overview of the application process for regular match. Williams Auditorium 5:30-6:45pm*

August  
Additional opportunities to have senior portrait taken. You will receive an email a week prior with details on how to sign up.

Early September  
Student review draft of MSPE (online) and review transcript

September 7th  
CAS Target Date for Ophthalmology. Note: This is not a deadline. It’s the target date to have your application submitted for central distribution.

September 14th  
Transcripts will be loaded to ERAS.

*Interviewing for Residency workshop. Hughes Auditorium 5:30-7:00pm*

September 15th  
ERAS PostOffice opens. Applicants may begin applying to ACGME accredited residency programs. Programs may begin contacting the ERAS PostOffice to download your application.

This is also a target date to submit your application

Letters of Recommendation due

Registration for NRMP opens

September-January  
Schedule mock interviews (through departments) regular match students (optional)

October-January  
Interview at residency programs

October 1st  
MSPE release date for ERAS and CAS

November  
Complete Step 2 CS

November 30th  
11:59 PM Deadline to register for NRMP. Applicants who register after Nov 30th must pay an additional $50 late registration fee.

December-January  
Early match students go over RoL with advisor

SF Match applicants submit RoL

December  
Military Match results released

December  
Complete Step 2 CK

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Urology registration deadline
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<td>January 5th</td>
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<td>January 12th</td>
<td>Match results for Ophthalmology made available to AWOME</td>
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<td>January 15th</td>
<td>Begin to enter rank order lists for NRMP. You will need AAMC ID and password to access the site.</td>
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<td>Session on rank order lists and matching strategies: Hughes Auditorium 5:30-7:00pm</td>
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<td>Urology Match! Match results e-mailed to AWOME and applicants.</td>
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| February 8th | Session on rank order lists and matching strategies: Hughes Auditorium 5:30-7:00pm  
  *this session is offered if you are unable to attend the January date* |
| February 22nd | Deadline for registration and ROL certification. NRMP ROL must be certified by 8:00 PM CST. NRMP staff will be available to answer questions during the final hours. |
| March        | Required Loan Exit Session                                           |
|             | Financial Planning and Mortgage Information Session (both optional)   |
| March 13th  | Unmatched information posted on the NRMP Web site at 11:00 AM CST. Individual counseling will be available for all unmatched students. |
| March 17th  | **Match Day!**                                                       |
| May 19th    | Honors Day and Graduation Luncheon; Graduate Sign-out. Details to follow. |
| May 22nd    | **Graduation!**                                                      |