

## Sample Ph.D. Map – Yoshiko

Yoshiko is entering the Comparative Literature PhD program's track for international writers. She has a Master's degree, and has 24 units of coursework transferred from that program. She is fluent in several languages already. Yoshiko does not plan to enter the academic job market, and decides to fulfill only the minimum teaching requirement. She decides to complete the Certificate in Translation Studies. Yoshiko has a University Fellowship and receives some summer funding from the Graduate School during the summer.

### Year One

**Fall semester:** 12 units of coursework; **Spring semester:** 10 units of coursework (includes one unit translation module for certificate requirement)

46 units cumulative (including transfer units)

### Year Two

**Fall semester:** 10 units of coursework (includes one unit translation module for certificate), mentored teaching experience; **Spring semester:** 7 units of coursework (includes one unit translation module for certificate), mentored teaching experience

63 units cumulative

### Year Three

**Fall semester:** 3 units of coursework, mentored teaching experience; **Spring semester:** research, mentored teaching experience, first and second comprehensive exam

66 units cumulative

### Year Four

**Fall semester:** full-time research, third comprehensive exam at the beginning of the semester, **Spring semester:** full-time research, submit Title, Scope, Procedure form to the Graduate School

### Year Five

**Fall semester:** full-time research, **Spring semester:** full-time research. Defend dissertation and graduate. **Congratulations, Dr. Yoshiko!**

\*Students may require a sixth year to complete the program