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Master’s timeline

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(started on the plane from Edmonton to Montreal)

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## 2024

### October 2024

- **Literature review:** read 20 papers
- **Fuelinex:** senescence data collection
- **Side project 1:** Get trainings done for sanding
- **Side project 1:** Sand all cookies
- **Side project 1:** Figure out which trees were used for tree spotters and figure out the permits to get
- **Side project 2:** Dendrometers troubleshooting
- **Master's steps:** Discuss committee members with Lizzie
- **Master's steps:** Update CGS-M and send 1st version to Lizzie
- **Master's steps:** Fill out the following form for 18 credit thesis

### November 2024

- **Literature review:** Read 30 papers
- **Cookie:** Scan all cookies
- **Cookie:** Tree ring analysis
- **Treespotters:** Request permit for coring trees
- **Master's steps:** Finish application for CGS-M and submit
- **Master's steps:** Set a time for committee meeting in the spring

### December 2024

- **Literature review:** Read 40 papers
- **Treespotters:** Set a time for coring trees in Boston
- **Master's steps:** Class 1 completed: Biomathematics
- **Master's steps:** Outline the chapters in my research proposal

## 2025

### January 2025

- **Literature review:** Read 30 papers
- **Fuelinex:** Tree repotting
- **Cookie:** Tree ring analysis

### February 2025

- **Master's:** Prepare committee meeting
- **Master's:** Practice 20 minute presentation committee meeting
- **Fuelinex:** Diameter and height data collection
- **Cookie:** Sample processing
- **Cookie:** Results

### March 2025

- **Fuelinex:** Bud burst data collection
- **Master's steps:** First committee meeting
- **Cookie:** Results

### April 2025

- **Fuelinex:** Bud burst data collection
- **Fuelinex:** Shoot elongation data collection
- **Master's steps:** Class 2 completed: Bayesian
- **Master's steps:** Class 3 completed: Ecology climate change
- **Treespotters:** Core trees in Boston
- **Cookie spotters:** Finalize results
- **Cookie spotters:** Submit outline to Lizzie

### May 2025

- **Fuelinex:** Shoot elongation data collection
- **Cookie spotters:** Article outline revision

80 **June 2025**

- 81 • **Fuelinex:** Shoot elongation data collection
- 82 • **Cookie spotters:** Work on manuscript

83 **July 2025**

- 84 • **Fuelinex:** Shoot elongation data collection
- 85 • **Cookie spotters:** Work on manuscript

86 **August 2025**

- 87 • **Fuelinex:** Bud set data collection
- 88 • **Cookie spotters:** Finish first draft and submit to Lizzie

89 **September 2025**

- 90 • **Fuelinex:** Bud set data collection
- 91 • **Fuelinex:** Senescence data collection
- 92 • **Cookie spotters:** Edit revised draft and resubmit to Lizzie

93 **October 2025**

- 94 • **Fuelinex:** Senescence data collection
- 95 • **Fuelinex:** Harvest biomass and final diameter and height measurements
- 96 • **Cookie spotters:** Submit manuscript

97 **November 2025**

- 98 • **Fuelinex:** sample processing

99 **December 2025**

- 100 • **Master's steps:** Class 4 completed: TBD
- 101 • **Fuelinex:** sample processing

## 2026

### January 2026

- **Fuelinex:** Results
- **Fuelinex:** Outline submission to Lizzie

### February 2026

- **Fuelinex:** Manuscript submission to Lizzie

### March 2026

- **Fuelinex:** Edits manuscript and resubmit to Lizzie
- **Master's steps:** Edits thesis and resubmit to Lizzie

### April 2026

- **Fuelinex:** Edits manuscript and resubmit to Lizzie
- **Master's steps:** Edits thesis and resubmit to Lizzie
- **Fuelinex:** Thesis defense

### May 2026

- **Fuelinex:** Final version of manuscript
- **Master's steps:** Edits thesis and resubmit to Lizzie

### June 2026

- **Master's steps:** Thesis final submission