

Checklist: AUA (American Urological Association)

JANUARY to MARCH	
Specialty Choice	<input type="checkbox"/> Work toward identifying/finalizing specialty choice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilize AAMC Careers in Medicine Resources Attend OSA Residency Application Workshops Meet with Specialty Advisor(s), OSA, Senior Students/Alumni Network <p><i>Resources:</i> AAMC CiM (Log in required)</p>
ACP Scheduling	<input type="checkbox"/> Schedule the Advanced Clinical Phase <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet with Specialty Advisor(s), OSA Advisors, Senior Students/Alumni Network Consult the SOM Renaissance Curriculum Graduation Requirements Consider whether you plan to do any extramural (“away”) rotations. <input type="checkbox"/> Apply to extramural rotations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend SOM Workshop: Extramural Rotations Attest to review of Module/Workshop and contact OSA to get VSLO Token Get a head start on vaccine requirements. Work on a draft of a personal statement/letter of interest for extramural rotations <p><i>Resources:</i> SOM Academic Handbook, “Clinical Scheduling” and “Extramural Rotations” <i>Resources:</i> SOM Renaissance Curriculum Graduation Requirements <i>Workshop:</i> ACP Scheduling (12/4) <i>Workshop:</i> Extramural Rotations (1/4)</p>
USMLE Step 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Schedule your USMLE Step 2 examination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> we recommend taking no later than July 26, 2024 expect results 4-8 weeks after your test date <p><i>Workshop:</i> Step 2 Registration and Timing (1/3)</p>
APRIL to JUNE	
Application Prep	<input type="checkbox"/> Update your CV <input type="checkbox"/> Begin to outline/draft your personal statement <input type="checkbox"/> Consider possible LoR writers <p><i>Resources:</i> SOM Residency Application Manual <i>Resources:</i> MyERAS Residency Application Guide (2025 Coming Soon) <i>Resources:</i> AAMC How to Apply for Residency Positions <i>Workshop:</i> The Residency Application Overview (4/8) <i>Workshop:</i> Watch the Personal Statement 101 Video and attend a Personal Statement Workshop (7/16, 8/20)</p>
OSA Advising	<input type="checkbox"/> Attend OSA Specialty Advising Sessions (May) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review specifics of applications by specialty including general application strategies, competitiveness of specialty, and unique application aspects for your specialty. <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule your personal (1:1) meeting with your OSA Advisor (May, Jun, Jul) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refine specialty choice, discuss Advanced Clinical Phase Schedule and review graduation requirements, review components of the residency application, discuss/review the MSPE, discuss application specifics including number of and which programs to apply to as well as contingency planning.

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Discuss contingency planning
Access MyERAS	<input type="checkbox"/> Access your MyERAS Application – OSA will issue token in April <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access is limited to demographic information and LoR portal <input type="checkbox"/> Obtain your ERAS Photo – OSA will help schedule with SOM photographer
JUNE	
Register for AUA Match	<input type="checkbox"/> Registration usually opens end of June <input type="checkbox"/> Obtain your AUA ID number which you will get after you register <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This number should be given to each program with which you interview. <input type="checkbox"/> Apply to programs of interest to you <input type="checkbox"/> Review FAQ: AUA FAQ <p><i>Resources:</i> Urology and Specialty Matches - American Urological Association (auanet.org) Society of Academic Urologists Resident Match Program (sauweb.org)</p>
ERAS	<input type="checkbox"/> Being applying through the MyERAS Application <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ERAS opens June 5 at 9 am EST • Begin working on your application (demographics, experiences, supporting documents) <p><i>Resources:</i> ERAS Tools and Worksheets <i>Workshop:</i> Residency Application Workshop June 4th</p>
Acuity Insights	Determine whether you will need to take CASPER/Acuity Insights (Specialty/Program specific). https://acuityinsights.app/
JUNE to AUGUST	
USMLE Step 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Take USMLE Step 2 (May, Jun, July) – last day to take July 26, 2024
Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Fine tune your MyERAS Application and supporting documents <input type="checkbox"/> Continue editing your Personal Statement (ensure multiple reviewers) <input type="checkbox"/> Confirm Letter Writers (recommend they submit by September 1) <input type="checkbox"/> Submit your Noteworthy Characteristics to OSA (August) <input type="checkbox"/> Review your MSPE for accuracy, spelling, grammar (August) <input type="checkbox"/> Choose/refine program list (using data from OSA/Specialty Advisors, Peer Advisors, National Resources) <input type="checkbox"/> Contact programs of interest (website/email) to confirm application requirements <p><i>Resources:</i> AAMC Residency Explorer <i>Resources:</i> SOM Alumni Network (Access via MedScope Portfolio Career Tab) <i>Workshop:</i> Mission/Branding (TBD)</p>
SEPTEMBER	
AUA Signaling	<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant Signaling opens: XXX <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant Signaling Closes: XXX
Application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Submit MyERAS Residency Application <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9/4/2024 @ 9AM EST: Applicants can apply to programs • 9/28/2024 @ 9 AM EST: Programs can review applications – note that programs will see all applications at this time regardless of when applications are submitted; we recommend applying/certifying at least 48 hours prior to this time, but there is no specific benefit to applying/certifying earlier.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Double check that your application is complete <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Release USMLE Transcripts <input type="checkbox"/> Upload your Photo <input type="checkbox"/> Apply to Programs – use all your available program signals <input type="checkbox"/> Assign documents (LoR, Personal Statement, Photo, USMLE Transcript) NOTE: OSA will upload MSPE/Transcript – automatically sent to all programs <input type="checkbox"/> Certify your application <p>Resources: MyERAS Checklist</p>
SEPTEMBER to JANUARY	
Interviews	<input type="checkbox"/> Schedule and attend program interviews <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interview release date for Urology is XXX • Accept/Deny Interviews by XXX • “Flush Day” XXX <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Students may release previously accepted interview slots in favor of any invitations offered to them off a waitlist. • Anticipate a potential mix of virtual and in-person interviews • Applicants should actively monitor email and interview broker programs <p>Resources: SOM Residency Application Manual – “Interviews” Resources: SOM Mock Interview Program Resource: Society of Academic Urologists Interview Offer Summary (sauweb.org) Workshop: Interview Preparedness Workshop: Post-Interview – Etiquette, Ranking, and More</p>
Ranking	Submit you Rank Order List through AUA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students may begin submitting Rank List/Preference List XXX • Deadline to submit the Rank List/Preference List XXX • We recommend submitting at least 48 hours in advance <p>Resource: Urology and Specialty Matches - American Urological Association (auanet.org)</p>
ACP Schedule	<input type="checkbox"/> Confirm final schedule and Graduation Requirements
FEBRUARY	
AUA MATCH	Match Results Released at XXX
Tasks	<input type="checkbox"/> Complete the OSA Advising Survey – available after ROL deadline <input type="checkbox"/> Complete the AAMC Graduation Questionnaire – opens 2/14 <input type="checkbox"/> Join the Alumni Network
MARCH	
The Match	<input type="checkbox"/> Attend Mandatory Match Week Workshop (TBD) <input type="checkbox"/> Plan on being in Baltimore for the entirety of Match Week <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Match week is the third week in March • Monday 3/17/2024 at 10 am, students will receive notification of Match status • Unmatched students should report to OSA <input type="checkbox"/> Celebrate Match Day – Friday March 21 st , 2025 – with Family & Friends at M&T Bank Exchange <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students should anticipate hearing from programs shortly after Match

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	<i>Resources:</i> Match Week Schedule <i>Resources:</i> NRMP SOAP
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Post Match	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Attend Transition to Residency (April)<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Financial Aid Exit Counseling<input type="checkbox"/> Check your transcript for completion of graduation requirements<input type="checkbox"/> Order Graduation Regalia (April)<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Licensure and Verification Paperwork – OSA can assist<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare to Move<input type="checkbox"/> Join the Alumni Network<input type="checkbox"/> Complete the AAMC Graduation Questionnaire<input type="checkbox"/> Participate in Senior Year Events<input type="checkbox"/> Celebrate Commencement with Family and Friends – May 22, 2025