

Graduate Data Dashboards and Career Tracking of PhD Alumni

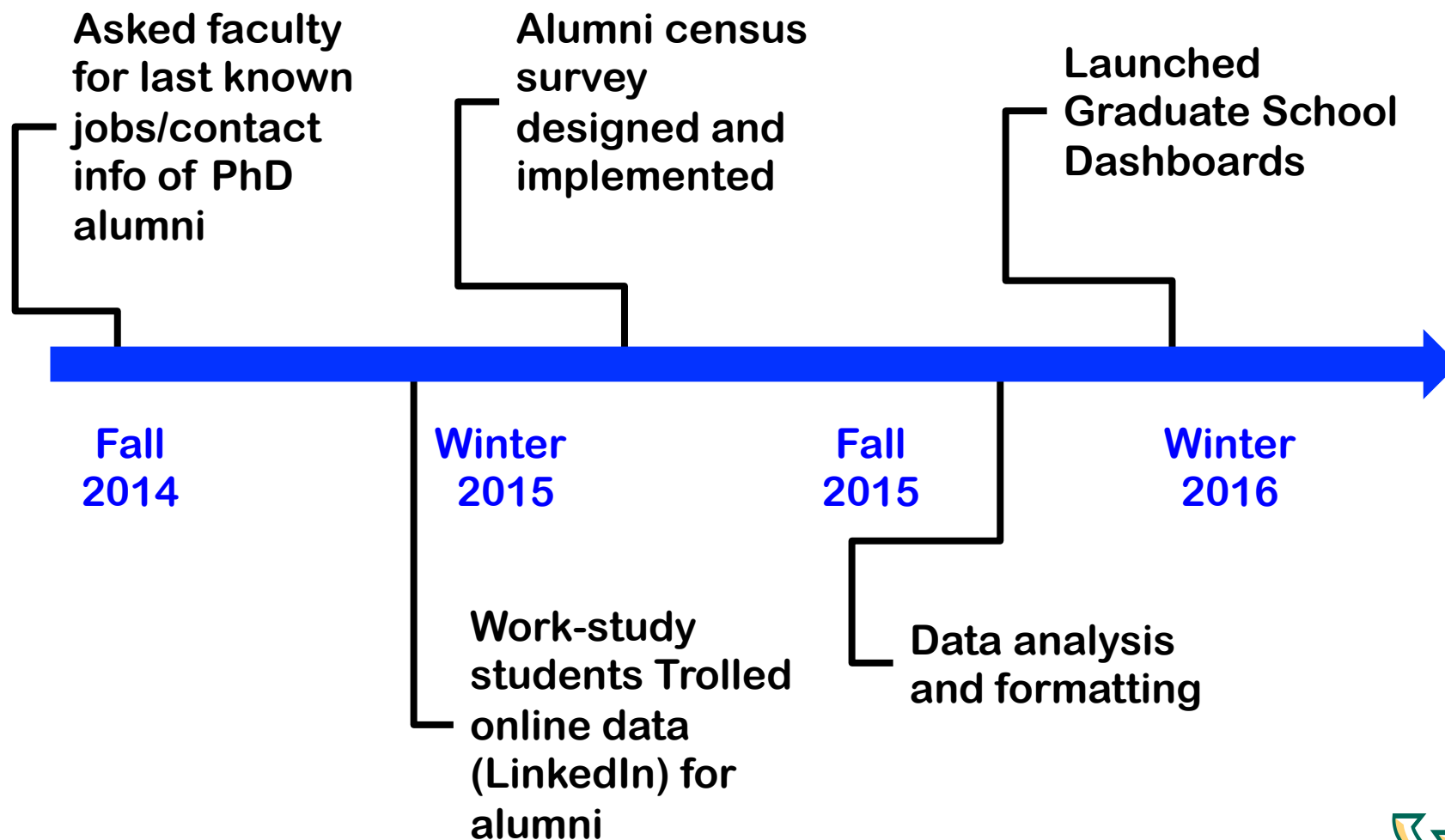
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Project timeline



Datasets used

- **Banner data on student enrollment**
- **Just shy of 3000 PhD alumni from 15 year window**
- **Online data trolling**
 - Found approximately 88% of alumni
 - Active email addresses for a smaller fraction
 - Permanent @wayne.edu email not effective over long timeframes
- **Alumni census went out to approx. 600 alumni**
 - >80% response rate from alumni we contacted
 - ~560 responses



Uses for the census data

- Identifying mentors for current doctoral students
- Continuous program improvement
- Finding panel members for professional development opportunities for current students
- Reporting on student outcomes on pedagogical projects
- Data to support training grant applications
- Transparency dashboards for new or prospective students



Closing the loop after data collection

