**PIEDMONT-APPALACHIAN COLLEGE OF**

**COMMISSIONER SCIENCE (PACCS)**

**DOCTORAL CANDIDATE CALENDAR**

**September 1** – candidate to send final dissertation title to adviser and Chair of the Doctoral Candidate Review Board

**July 15** – candidate notified by their adviser of final approval of dissertation title

**October 15** – candidate to submit an outline of the dissertation to adviser and Chair of the Doctoral Candidate Review Board

**February 1** – rough draft of dissertation due to adviser for editing

**March 1** – adviser edits of dissertation due to candidate

**April 1** – review draft with adviser edits incorporated is due to the Chair of Doctoral Candidate Review Board for distribution to the entire review board

**May 1** – all reviews of dissertations by members of the Doctoral Review Board are due to the candidate and the adviser

**May 15** – final version of the paper in Word format should be emailed to Chair of the Doctoral Candidate Review Board.

**June** – Piedmont-Appalachian College of Commissioner Science – location TBA – Saturday night - 5-minute presentation on the research project – Sunday morning - GRADUATION - awarding of the PACCS Doctoral certificate, neckerchief, slide