

ACADEMIC CALENDAR – 2015-16

As of April 29, 2016

| FALL SEMESTER 2015 | | | |
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| AUGUST | 17-21 | Mon-Fri | International Orientation Week |
| | 20 | Thurs | Orientation of New Faculty |
| | 21 | Fri | Freshman check-in; Campus Housing opens 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. for freshmen |
| | 21 | Fri | "1st Weekend" begins: New Student Convocation 4:00 p.m. |
| | 21-23 | Fri-Sun | 1 st Weekend |
| | 22 | Sat | Campus Housing opens for upper classes, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. |
| | 22 | Sat | Business Office financial holds check-in for upper classes, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. |
| | 23 | Sun | Campus Housing opens for upper classes, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. |
| | 24 | Mon | Fall semester 2015 begins |
| | 24 | Mon | Drop/add period begins |
| | 28 | Fri | Drop/add period ends |
| | 28 | Fri | Last date to elect audit and pass/fail |
| SEPTEMBER | 18-20 | Fri-Sun | Family Weekend |
| | 23 | Wed | Last day to withdraw from 1 st seven week courses |
| OCTOBER | 2 | Fri | Incomplete grades due from Spring and Summer Sessions 2015 |
| | 5 | Mon | Early Assessment grades due – Web Advisor closes at noon |
| | 10 | Sat | Admissions Open House & Science Open House |
| | 12 | Mon | 2 nd seven week courses begin |
| | 12-16 | Mon-Fri | Schedule change period for 2 nd seven-week courses |
| | 14 | Wed | Advisement/Phase I registration for Spring 2016 begins |
| | 16-18 | Fri-Sun | Long Weekend |
| | 23-25 | Fri-Sun | Homecoming Weekend |
| | 26 | Mon | Withdrawal deadline for full semester courses |
| | 28 | Wed | Phase I registration for Spring 2016 ends; Independent Studies (ISH) Deadline |
| NOVEMBER | 11 | Wed | Withdrawal deadline for 2 nd seven week courses |
| | 11-13 | Wed-Fri | Phase II registration for Spring 2016 |
| | 14 | Sat | Admissions Open House |
| | 16 | Mon | Non-degree student registration begins |
| | 24 | Tues | Thanksgiving Holiday begins 9:00 p.m./ Campus Housing closes at 9:00 p.m. |
| | 29 | Sun | Campus Housing opens at 10:00 a.m. |
| | 30 | Mon | Classes resume |
| DECEMBER | 4 | Fri | Fall 2015 Classes end |
| | 6 | Sun | Christmas Candlelight Service |
| | 7 | Mon | Finals week Fall 2015 begins |
| | 11 | Fri | Fall 2015 semester ends; Campus Housing closes at 6:00 p.m. |
| | 14 | Mon | Final grades for Fall 2015 due – Web Advisor closes at 1:00 p.m. |
| SPRING SEMESTER 2016 | | | |
| JANUARY | 10 | Sun | Campus Housing opens at 10:00 a.m. |
| | 10 | Sun | Business Office financial holds check-in, 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. |
| | 11 | Mon | Spring Semester 2016 begins |
| | 11 | Mon | Drop/Add period begins |
| | 15 | Fri | Drop/add period ends |
| | 15 | Fri | Last day to elect audit and pass/fail grades |
| | 24 | Sun | Fine Arts Open House & Scholars Day |

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| FEBRUARY | 10 | Wed | Last day to withdraw from 1st seven week courses |
| | 19 | Fri | Incomplete grades due from Fall 2015 |
| | 20 | Sat | Admissions Open House |
| | 22 | Mon | Early Assessment grades due – Web Advisor closes at noon |
| | 29 | Mon | 2 nd seven week courses begin |
| FEB- MARCH | 29-4 | Mon-Fri | Drop/Add period for 2nd seven-week courses |
| MARCH | 4 | Fri | Campus Housing closes at 6:00 pm for Spring Break |
| | 7-11 | Mon-Fri | Spring Break |
| | 13 | Sun | Campus Housing opens at 10:00 a.m. |
| | 14 | Mon | Classes resume |
| | 16 | Wed | Advisement/Phase I registration begins for Fall 2016 |
| | 21 | Mon | Withdrawal deadline for full semester courses |
| | 25 | Fri | Good Friday - No classes, Administrative Offices close at Noon |
| | 27 | Sun | Easter |
| | 31 | Thurs | Phase I registration ends for Fall 2016; Independent Studies (ISH) Deadline |
| APRIL | 6 | Wed | Withdrawal deadline for 2 nd seven week courses |
| | 10 | Sun | Accepted Students Day |
| | 13-15 | Wed-Fri | Phase II registration |
| | 17 | Sun | Honors Convocation |
| | 18 | Mon | Non-degree student registration begins |
| | 22 | Fri | Classes end |
| | 25 | Mon | Finals week Spring 2016 begins |
| | 29 | Fri | Spring 2016 semester end; Campus Housing closes at 6:00 p.m. |
| MAY | 2 | Mon | Final grades for Spring 2016 due – Web Advisor closes at 1:00 p.m. |
| | 6 | Fri | Baccalaureate |
| | 7 | Sat | Commencement |
| MAY TERM 2016 | | | |
| MAY | 8 | Sun | Campus Housing opens for May Term at 3:00 p.m. |
| | 9 | Mon | May Term 2016 begins |
| | 9 | Mon | Drop/Add period begins |
| | 10 | Tues | Drop/Add period ends |
| | 10 | Tues | Last day to declare audits and pass/fail for May Term |
| | 20-22 | Fri-Sun | Alumni Weekend |
| | 25 | Wed | Withdrawal deadline for May Term 2016 |
| | 30 | Mon | Memorial Day - no classes |
| JUNE | 3 | Fri | May Term ends; Campus Housing closes for May Term at 4:00 p.m. |
| | 6 | Mon | Final grades for May Term 2016 due – Web Advisor closes at 1:00 p.m. |
| SUMMER SESSION I 2016 | | | |
| JUNE | 5 | Sun | Campus Housing opens for Summer Session I at noon |
| | 6 | Mon | Summer Session I begins |
| | 6 | Mon | Drop/Add period begins |
| | 6 | Mon | New Student Orientation I |
| | 8 | Wed | Drop/Add period ends |
| | 8 | Wed | Last day to declare audits and pass/fail for Summer Session I |
| | 13 | Mon | New Student Orientation II |
| | 17 | Fri | New Student Orientation III |
| | 24 | Fri | Admissions Summer Preview |

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| | 27 | Mon | Withdrawal deadline for Summer Session I |
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| JULY | 4 | Mon | Independence Day |
| | 8 | Fri | Summer Session I ends; Campus Housing closes at 4:00 p.m. |
| | 11 | Mon | Final grades for Summer Session I due – Web Advisor closes at 1:00 p.m. |
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| SUMMER SESSION II 2016 | | | |
| JULY | 10 | Sun | Campus Housing opens for Summer Session II at Noon |
| | 11 | Mon | Summer Session II begins |
| | 11 | Mon | Drop/Add period begins |
| | 13 | Wed | Drop/Add period ends |
| | 13 | Wed | Last day to declare audits and pass/fail for Summer Session II |
| | 22 | Fri | Admissions Summer Preview |
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| AUGUST | 1 | Mon | Withdrawal deadline for Summer Session II |
| | 12 | Fri | Summer Session II ends; Campus Housing closes at 4:00 p.m. |
| | 15 | Mon | Final grades for Summer Session II due – Web Advisor closes at 1:00 p.m. |