Graduate Academic Calendar 2020-2021
16-Week Session

Last Updated: October 1, 2020

Fall Semester 2020

August 31  Classes Begin
September 7  Labor Day—University Closed
September 8  Last Day to ADD or DROP a fall class and
             Last Day to change a fall class from a grade to P/NR
September 8-15  Attendance/Early Warning Notices
October 12-13  Fall Break
November 1  Spring/Summer 2021 Registration Begins
November 6  Last day to WITHDRAW from a fall class and
            Last Day to change a fall class from P/NR to a grade
November 25-29  Thanksgiving Break—No Classes
November 26-29  Thanksgiving Holiday—University Closed
December 11  Classes End
December 14-19  Final Examinations
December 21  Fall Grades Due by 12:00 Noon
December 24-31  University Closed

Spring Semester 2021

**Subject to change depending on public health developments during the fall 2020 semester.**

January 1  University Closed
January 18  Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday—University Closed
January 19  Classes Begin
January 27  Last Day to ADD or Drop a spring class
January 27-February 3  Attendance/Early Warning System Open
March 11-18  Midterm Grading System Open
March 26  Last day to WITHDRAW from a spring class
March 29  Fall 2021 Registration Begins
April 2-4  Easter Holiday-University Closed

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Spring Semester 2021 (con’t)

April 26    Classes End
April 27-May 4   Final Examinations
May 5      Spring Grades Due by 12:00 Noon
May 7      Baccalaureate
May 8      Commencement

Summer Semester 2021

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May 17    Classes Begin—Sessions I and II
May 25    Last Day to ADD or Drop a session I or II class and
          Last Day to change a session I or II class from a grade to P/NR
May 31    Memorial Day—University Closed
June 8     Last day to WITHDRAW from a session II class and
           Last day to change a session II class from P/NR to a grade
June 18    Classes End—Session II
June 21-24 Final Examinations—Session II
June 28    Grades Due—Session II
June 28    Classes Begin—Session III
July 5     Observance of Independence Day—University Closed
July 6     Last day to WITHDRAW from a session I class and
           Last day to change a session I class from P/NR to a grade
July 6     Last Day to ADD or Drop a session III class and
           Last Day to change a session III class from a grade to P/NR
July 20    Last day to WITHDRAW from a session III class and
           Last day to change a session III class from P/NR to a grade
July 30    Classes End—Session I and III
August 2-5 Final Examinations—Sessions I and III
August 9    Grades Due—Sessions I and III