

## 2013–2014 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The academic calendar is divided into fall and spring semesters of approximately 15 weeks each and summer sessions of varying length. The last week of the fall and spring semesters is set aside for final examinations.

The holidays and vacations observed by the university are noted below. Spring break is the week following the spring semester midterm. Classes continue until 10:40 p.m. the evening before a holiday or vacation period.

Dates in red need to be verified with appropriate office or department.

### FALL SEMESTER 2013

August 18–25	Su–Su	<b>Welcome Week</b>
August 23	F	Last day to register for fall without a late fee
August 26	M	Fall classes begin Late registration (with \$100 fee) begins Students begin submitting applications for fall graduation
August 30	F	Late registration for fall ends Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
September 1	Su	Undergraduate transfer spring semester admission application deadline for students living outside the United States
September 2	M	Labor Day; no classes, university offices closed
September 4	W	<b>Mathematics Equivalency Examination</b>
September 9	M	Last day to add a fall course or change a grade option Last day to drop a fall course for a 100% refund and without a "W" recorded Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 1st Modules after this date)
September 16	M	Last day to drop a fall course for a 50% refund Last day to add an internship or Community Service-Learning project Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses
September 23	M	Last day to drop a fall course for a 25% refund (no refunds after this date) Last day to add an independent reading course or research project
September 30	M	Early warning notices due in Registrar's Office
October 1	T	Freshman spring semester admission application deadline
October 11	F	Fall Break; no classes, university offices open
October 18	F	Last day to drop a fall course (mid-term)
October 18–20	F–Su	<b>Family Weekend</b>
October 19	S	<b>Writing Proficiency Examination</b>
October 21	M	MBA 2nd Module courses begin
October 25	F	Spring 2014 advance registration for graduate students (with billing) begins Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
October 28	M	Spring 2014 advance registration (with billing) begins
November 1	F	Undergraduate transfer spring semester admission application deadline for students living in the United States Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 2nd Modules after this date)
November 8	F	Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for fall degree candidates Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses
November 15	F	Early Decision freshman fall semester admission/financial aid application deadline
November 26	T	Tuesday classes cancelled; Friday classes meet.
November 27– December 1	W–Su	Thanksgiving holiday; no classes; university offices closed Thursday and Friday
December 6	F	Fall classes end Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for fall degree candidates Spring 2014 advance registration (with billing) ends
December 9–10	M–T	Fall final examinations
December 11	W	Fall study day; no classes
December 12–14	Th–S	Fall final examinations
December 16	M	Fall final examinations (for Wednesday classes)
December 12–19	Th–Th	Fall final grades due
December 19	Th	Official Degree Award Date
December 24– January 1		Winter break; university offices closed

## SPRING SEMESTER 2014

January 5–12	SU–SU	Spring Welcome Week
January 10	F	Last day to register for spring 2014 without a late fee
January 13	M	Spring classes begin Late registration (with \$100 fee) begins Students begin submitting applications for spring graduation
January 15	W	Freshman fall semester admission application deadline
January 17	F	Late registration for spring ends Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
January 20	M	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes, university offices closed
January 22	W	Mathematics Equivalency Examination
January 27	M	Last day to add a spring course or change a grade option Last day to drop a spring course for a 100% refund and without a "W" recorded Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 1st Modules after this date)
February 1	S	Writing Proficiency Examination
February 3	M	Candidates' reply date for Early Decision freshmen Last day to drop a spring course for a 50% refund Last day to add an internship or Community Service-Learning project Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses
February 10	M	Last day to drop a spring course for a 25% refund (no refunds after this date) Last day to add an independent reading course or research project
February 15	S	Freshman fall semester financial aid application deadline
February 17	M	Early warning notices due in Registrar's Office
March 1	S	Financial aid priority application deadline for fall semester undergraduate transfer students Financial aid application deadline for continuing undergraduate students
March 7	F	Last day to drop a spring class (mid-term)
March 9–16	Su–Su	Spring break; no classes, university offices open Monday through Friday
March 17	M	MBA 2nd Module courses begin
March 21	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded Fall 2014 advance registration for graduate students (with billing) begins
March 22	S	Writing Proficiency Examination
March 24	M	Summer 2014 registration (with payment) and fall 2014 advance registration (with billing) begins
March 28	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 2nd Modules after this date)
March 31	M	Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for spring degree candidates
April 1	T	Summer application deadline (U.S. citizens only)
April 4	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses
April 28	M	Spring classes end Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for spring degree candidates
April 29	T	Spring study day; no classes
April 30–May 6	W–T	Spring final examinations
May 1	Th	Undergraduate transfer fall semester admission application deadline for students living outside the United States Candidates' reply date for Regular Decision freshmen
May 3–9	S–F	Spring final grades due
May 9	F	Commencement Weekend Activities
May 10	S	Commencement Ceremonies: School of Public Affairs (9:00 a.m.) School of Communication (1:00 p.m.) College of Arts and Sciences (4:30 p.m.)
May 11	Su	Commencement Ceremonies: Kogod School of Business (9:00 a.m.) School of International Service (1:00 p.m.)
May 11	Su	Official Degree Award Date

## SUMMER SESSIONS 2014 (Dates subject to change)

May 12	M	7-week (A) and Online Learning I (E) sessions begin Students begin submitting applications for summer graduation
May 19	M	First 6-week (B) and 3-week (C) sessions begin
May 23	F	Last day to add an internship, Community Service-learning project, independent reading course or research project for the summer
May 26	M	Memorial Day; no classes, university offices closed
May 31	S	Writing Proficiency Examination
June 5	Th	3-week (C) session ends
June 26	Th	7-week (A), first 6-week (B), and Online Learning I (E) sessions end
June 30	M	Second 6-week (D) and On-Line Learning II (F) sessions begin
July 1	T	Undergraduate transfer fall semester admission application deadline for students living in the United States
July 3	Th	Fall 2014 advance registration (with billing) ends
July 4	F	Independence Day; no classes, university offices closed
July 18	F	Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for summer degree candidates
August 7	Th	Second 6-week (D) session

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Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for summer degree candidates  
Online Learning II (F) session ends; end of summer sessions.  
Official Degree Award Date

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