



# THE WASHINGTON SEMESTER PROGRAM

## Spring 2010 Dates to Remember

*(Dates are subject to change – the \$200 Program Deposit is non-refundable)*

Tuesday, December 1, 2009

**Application deadline for housing and meal plan has been extended to December 1.** Last day to turn in ALL Program Registration materials or to submit a request to withdraw from the spring 2010 semester. **November 25<sup>th</sup>** is also the last day to cancel housing for a 100% housing refund, regardless of student's application date. *Housing cancellations received Thursday, November 26, 2009 through Friday, January 8, 2010 will result in a 25% housing charge (approximately \$1,000).* Cancellations must be in writing (followed up by a phone call to confirm receipt prior to November 26<sup>th</sup> for a full credit).

Early December 2009

**Mailing to all accepted students** who have registered and paid program deposit containing details on arrival plans, first few days on campus, and internships.

Wednesday, January 6, 2010

**Students move into Residence Halls.** You may also pick up Orientation Packet, get your AU ID card, make changes in registration, and pay your bill if you arrive on campus before 5:00 p.m. *(Meal Plan begins with lunch)*

Thursday, January 7, 2010

**Mandatory Orientation and First Meeting** with individual Program/Unit Directors.

Friday, January 8, 2010

**ID cards, course changes and bill paying.** *(Any student who did not return their Advisement/Registration form must come to the Washington Semester office before 5:00 pm—this is the last day to register without a \$50.00 late registration fee.)*  
*Some professors will schedule classes or internship meetings on this day. Students who have received a work-award will also meet on this day at approximately 3:00 pm.*

Monday, January 11, 2010

**Internship Bazaar** *(morning)*  
**Classes begin** *(afternoon)*

Monday, January 18, 2010

**Martin Luther King Jr. Day** *(no classes, university offices closed)*

Monday, January 25, 2010

**Last Day to make changes in spring 2010 registration** (i.e. add or drop classes including the research project, change grading option to Pass/Fail or Audit). Students from Member Schools must have their faculty representative's approval to make changes in their registration that involve grading options or the research project. All students should check with their home school advisor or Registrar regarding transfer of credits for their elective before this date. Last day to drop a course without a "W" recorded on transcript.

Wednesday, January 27, 2010

**All students must begin working at their internships by this date.**  
**Internship contracts due to internship faculty.**

Friday, March 5, 2010

**Last day to drop a course**, including the research project. ("W" recorded on transcript for withdrawals from January 26 through March 5).

Saturday, March 6 –  
Sunday, March 14, 2010

**Spring Break** *(no classes, university offices open Monday – Friday; Tenley Café closes after dinner on Friday, March 5 and will reopen with dinner on Sunday, March 14))*

Monday, April 26, 2010

**Last Day of Classes and Internships**

Tuesday, April 27, 2010

**Study Day**

Wednesday, April 28 -  
Tuesday, May 4, 2010

**Final Examinations** *(Tenley Café closes after lunch on Friday, April 30, 2010)*