

# Academic Calendar

## Fall Semester 2016

August 1-23	Registration for New Degree-Seeking Students
August 1	Tuition and Fees Due for Fall 2016
August 15-24	Registration for Non-Degree Seeking Students
August 22-23	New Student Orientation
August 24	Classes Begin: 8 a.m. Add/Drop Begins
September 2	Last Day to Add/Drop
September 3	Withdrawal Period Begins
September 5	Labor Day – Offices Closed; Classes in Session
October 1	Online Filing Deadline for Graduation in May or August 2017
October 8-11	Fall Break
October 21	Last Day to Withdraw
October 24-30	Advance Spring Registration for Continuing Students
October 31 – December 2	Spring Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
November 23-27	Thanksgiving Break
December 2	Classes End: 5 pm Last Day to Submit Grades for Spring 2016 Incomplete (I) Coursework Final Deadline to File for Graduation in May or August 2017
December 3-4	Reading Period I
December 5-9	Examinations
December 10-11	Reading Period II
December 12-14	Examinations
December 16	Last Day to Submit Theses/Dissertations for January 2017 Graduation
January 2 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due
January 13	Winter Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)

## Spring Semester 2017

October 31 – December 2	Spring Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
January 3-18	Registration for New Degree-Seeking Students
January 9-18	Registration for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
January 13	Winter Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)
January 16	MLK Holiday
January 18	Classes Begin: 8 a.m. Add/Drop Begins
January 27	Last day to add/drop
January 28	Withdrawal period begins
February 15	Online Filing Begins for Graduation in January, May, or August 2018
March 4-12	Spring Break
March 17	Last Day to Withdraw
March 20-24	Advance Summer and Fall Registration for Continuing Students
March 25 – April 28	Summer Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
March 25 – July 1	Fall Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
April 28	Classes End: 5 p.m. Last Day to Submit Grades for Fall 2016 Incomplete (I) Coursework Last Day to Submit Theses/Dissertations for May 2017 Graduation
April 29-30	Reading Period I
May 1-5	Examinations
May 6-7	Reading Period II
May 8-10	Examinations
May 10 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due, Graduate Students – May Graduation Candidates
May 12 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due, Undergraduate Students – May Graduation Candidates
May 13	May Commencement
May 17 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due, All Continuing Students

## Summer Sessions 2017

*\* Academic calendar pending confirmation from University Registrar's Office; dates are subject to change.*

### Overall Important Dates

May 29	Memorial Day Holiday – Offices Closed
July 1	Online Filing Deadline for January 2018 Graduation Fall 2017 Registration Deadline for Continuing Degree-Seeking Students
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed; Classes in Session
August 11	Last Day to Submit Theses and Dissertations for Aug 2017 Graduation
August 25	Summer Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)

### Summer Session #1: May 30 – June 30

March 20 – May 30*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
May 1 – May 30*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
May 30	Classes Begin
May 30 – June 2 *	Add/Drop Period
June 3-16*	Withdrawal Period
June 30	Last Day of Classes
July 7 by Noon *	Final Grades Due

### Summer Session #2: July 3 – August 4

March 20 – July 3*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
June 1 – July 3*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
July 3	Classes Begin
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed, Classes in Session
July 3-7 *	Add/Drop Period
July 8-21 *	Withdrawal Period
August 4	Last Day of Classes
August 11 by Noon *	Final Grades Due

### Summer Session #3: May 30 – August 4

March 20– May 30*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
May 1 – May 30*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
May 30	Classes Begin
May 30 – June 9 *	Add/Drop Period
June 10-30*	Withdrawal Period
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed, Classes in Session
August 4	Last Day of Classes
August 11 by Noon *	Final Grades Due

### Non-Standard: April 28 – August 25

*MSCI field courses and short courses generally fall within this session.*

*\*\* See SMS Registrar for course specific details. After April 28<sup>th</sup>, registration and add/drop/withdraw must be done manually through SMS Registrar's Office.*

March 20 – April 28 **	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students (via Banner Self-Service)
April 1-28 **	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
Varies per course **	Classes Begin
Varies per course **	Add/Drop Period
Varies per course **	Withdrawal Period
Varies per course **	Last Day of Classes
One Week After Class End Date by Noon **	Final Grades Due