



2015 - 2016

## One-Year Academic Calendar

### FALL SEMESTER

Residence Halls: International Students Move In	August 24
New Student Orientation	Aug 26 - Aug 30
Residence Halls: New Students Move In	August 26
New Student Advising and Registration, Fall Semester	August 28
Residence Halls: Returning Students Move In	August 29
<b>Fall Semester Begins</b>	<b>August 31</b>
Labor Day Holiday (University Closed)	September 7
Rosh Hashanah (University Open)	Sep 13 - Sep 15
Registration and Drop/Add Ends, Fall Semester	September 14
Graduation Petitions for December Due to Registrar	September 16
Constitution Day Observed (University Open)	September 17
Yom Kippur (University Open)	Sep 22 - Sep 23
University Closes at 1:00 PM (Due to Papal visit)	September 24
No Classes - Administrative Offices Closed (Due to Papal visit)	Sep 25 - Sep 28
OTIS Technology Maintenance (System availability may vary)	Sep 26 - Sep 27
Incomplete Grade Deadline for Spring & Summer Semesters	October 12
Undergraduate Open House	October 24
Advising, Spring Semester Registration	Oct 26 - Nov 6
Graduation Petitions for May Due to Registrar	November 6
Course Withdrawal Deadline, Fall Semester	November 9



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Registration, Spring Semester		Nov 16 - Feb 1
Graduate Open House		November 21
Classes Run on a Monday Schedule		November 24
No Classes - University closes at 3:00 PM		November 25
Thanksgiving Holiday (Residence Halls Remain Open)		Nov 26 - Nov 29
Classes End, Fall Semester		December 11
Examinations, Studio Critiques, and Juries, Fall Semester		Dec 14 - Dec 18
Spring Semester Tuition Payment Deadline		December 9
<b>Fall Semester Ends</b>		<b>December 18</b>
Final Grades Due to Registrar by Noon		December 18
Residence Halls close at 5 PM		December 18
University Closed for Winter Vacation		Dec 19 - Jan 3
OTIS Technology Maintenance (System availability may vary)		Dec 19 - Dec 21
		<b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>
Administrative Offices Open		January 4
Residence Halls: New Students Move In		January 14
New Student Advising and Registration, Spring Semester		January 15
Residence Halls: Open to Returning Students		January 17
Martin Luther King Holiday (University Closed)		January 18
<b>Spring Semester Begins</b>		<b>January 19</b>
Registration and Drop/Add Ends, Spring Semester		February 1
Graduate Open House		February 13



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CAMD Major Declaration Launch	February 24
Incomplete Grade Deadline, Fall Semester	February 29
CAMD Major Declaration Deadline	March 4
OTIS Technology Maintenance (System availability may vary)	March 5 - March 7
Spring Break (Residence Halls Remain Open)	March 7 - March 13
University Administrative Offices Closed (Monday)	March 7
University Administrative Offices Closed (Friday)	March 11
OTIS Technology Maintenance (System availability may vary)	March 11 - March 13
Spring Classes Resume	March 14
Good Friday (University Open)	March 25
Advising, Fall and Summer Registration	March 28 - April 8
Course Withdrawal Deadline, Spring Semester	April 4
Graduation Petitions for August Due to Registrar	April 8
Open House	April 2
Admit One Open House	April 3
Registration, Fall Semester	April 18 - Sep 12
Registration, Summer All and Summer I Terms	April 18 - May 18
Registration, Mid-Summer Term	April 18 - June 22
Registration, Summer II Term	April 18 - June 29
Passover (University Open)	April 22 - April 30
Classes End, Spring Semester	May 2



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Examinations, Studio Critiques and Juries, Spring Semester	May 3 - May 9
<b>Summer I &amp; Summer All Terms Tuition Payment Deadline</b>	<b>May 6</b>
Final Grades Due to Registrar by Noon (Seniors and Graduate Students)	May 6
Residence Halls Close	May 7
Final Grades Due to Registrar by Noon (Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors)	May 9
<b>Spring Semester Ends</b>	<b>May 9</b>
Graduate Hooding Ceremony	May 9
Awards Ceremony	May 9
Commencement Ceremony	May 10
	<b>SUMMER TERMS</b>
<b>Summer All Term Begins</b>	<b>May 16</b>
<b>Summer I Term Begins</b>	<b>May 16</b>
Registration and Drop/Add Ends, Summer I & Summer All Terms	May 18
Memorial Day Holiday (University Closed)	May 30
<b>Mid-Summer Term Tuition Payment Deadline</b>	<b>June 10</b>
Course Withdrawal Deadline, Summer I Term	June 10
<b>Summer II Term Tuition Payment Deadline</b>	<b>June 13</b>
<b>Mid-Summer Term Begins</b>	<b>June 20</b>
Registration and Drop/Add Ends, Mid-Summer Term	June 22
MFA Studio Art Spring Semester Final Grades Due to Registrar	June 24
<b>Summer I Term Ends</b>	<b>June 24</b>
OTIS Technology Maintenance (System availability may vary)	June 25 - June 26



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Summer I Grades due to Registrar by Noon

June 27

**Summer II Term Begins**

**June 27**

Registration and Drop/Add Ends, Summer II Term

June 29

Independence Day Holiday Observed (University Closed)

July 4

Course Withdrawal Deadline, Summer All Term

July 8

Fall Semester Tuition Payment Deadline

July 8

Course Withdrawal Deadline, Summer II Term

July 22

Course Withdrawal Deadline, Mid-Summer Term

July 22

**Summer All Term Ends**

**August 5**

**Summer II Term Ends**

**August 5**

Summer All & Summer II Grades Due to Registrar by Noon

August 8

**Mid-Summer Term Ends**

**August 12**

OTIS Classroom Maintenance

Aug 13 - Aug 21

Mid-Summer Grades Due to Registrar by Noon

August 15

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