

2010–2011 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 usually observed by the university are as follows: Labor Day; Thanksgiving (Wednesday–Sunday); Christmas Eve/Christmas Day and New Year's Eve/New Year's Day (included in the mid-year intersession break); Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; Inauguration Day (every four years); Memorial Day; and Independence Day. 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.

FALL SEMESTER 2010

August 15–22	Su–Su	Welcome Week
August 20	F	Last day to register for fall without a late fee
August 23	M	Fall classes begin
		Late registration (with \$50 fee) begins
		Students begin submitting applications for fall graduation
August 27	F	Late registration for fall ends
		Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
September 1	W	Freshman/undergraduate transfer spring semester admission application deadline for students living outside the United States
		Mathematics Equivalency Examination
September 3	F	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 6	M	Labor Day; no classes, university offices closed
September 13	M	Last day to drop a fall course for a 50% refund
		Last day to add an internship or Cooperative Education Field Experience
		Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses
September 20	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 study project
September 27	M	Early warning notices due in Registrar's Office
October 15	F	Fall Break; no classes, university offices open
October 22	F	Last day to drop a fall course (mid-term)
		Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
October 22–24	F–Su	Family Weekend
October 23	S	English Competency Examination
October 25	M	Spring 2011 advance registration (with billing) begins
October 29	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 2nd Modules after this date)
November 1	M	Undergraduate transfer spring semester admission application deadline for students living in the United States
November 5	F	Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for fall degree candidates
		Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses
November 15	M	Early Decision freshman fall semester admission/financial aid application deadline
November 23	T	Tuesday classes cancelled; Friday classes meet.
November 24–28	W–Su	Thanksgiving holiday; no classes; university offices closed Thursday and Friday
December 1	W	Freshman spring semester admission application deadline for students living in the United States
December 3	F	Fall classes end
		Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for fall degree candidates
		Spring 2011 advance registration (with billing) ends
December 6–7	M–T	Fall final examinations
December 8	W	Fall study day; no classes
December 9–11	Th–S	Fall final examinations
December 13	M	Fall final examinations (for Wednesday classes)
December 9–16	Th–Th	Fall final grades due
December 23–24	Th–F	Winter holiday; university offices closed
December 30–31	Th–F	New Year holiday; university offices closed

SPRING SEMESTER 2011

January 3–7	M–F	Spring Welcome Week
January 7	F	Last day to register for spring 2011 without a late fee
January 10	M	Spring classes begin Late registration (with \$50 fee) begins Students begin submitting applications for spring graduation
January 14	F	Late registration for spring ends Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
January 15	S	Freshman fall semester admission application deadline
January 17	M	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes, university offices closed
January 19	W	Mathematics Equivalency Examination
January 24	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)
January 31	M	Last day to drop a spring course for a 50% refund Last day to add an internship or Cooperative Education Field Experience Last day to drop MBA 1st Module courses
February 5	S	English Competency Examination
February 7	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 study project
February 14	M	Early warning notices due in Registrar's Office
February 15	T	Freshman fall semester financial aid application deadline
March 1	T	Undergraduate transfer fall and spring semester financial aid application deadline
March 4	F	Last day to drop a spring class (mid-term)
March 6–13	Su–Su	Spring break; no classes, university offices open Monday through Friday
March 14	M	MBA 2nd Module courses begin
March 18	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for 100% refund and without a "W" recorded
March 25	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses for a 50% refund (no refunds for 2nd Modules after this date)
March 26	S	English Competency Examination
March 28	M	Summer 2011 registration (with payment) and fall 2011 advance registration (with billing) begins Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for spring degree candidates
April 1	F	Last day to drop MBA 2nd Module courses
April 25	M	Spring classes end Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for spring degree candidates
April 26	T	Spring study day; no classes
April 27–May 3	W–T	Spring final examinations
May 1	Su	Undergraduate transfer fall semester admission application deadline for students living outside the United States
May 2–6	M–F	Spring final grades due
May 6	F	Commencement Weekend Activities
May 7	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 8	Su	Commencement Ceremonies: Kogod School of Business (9:00 a.m.) School of International Service (1:00 p.m.)

SUMMER SESSIONS 2011 (Dates Subject to Change)

May 9	M	7-week (A) and Online Learning I (E) sessions begin Students begin submitting applications for summer graduation
May 16	M	3-week (C), first 6-week (B), and Online Learning II (F) sessions begin
May 20	F	Last day to add an internship for the summer
May 30	M	Memorial Day; no classes, university offices closed
June 2	Th	3-week (C) session ends
June 4	S	English Competency Examination
June 23	Th	7-week (A) and first 6-week (B) sessions end
June 27	M	Second 6-week (D) and Online Learning III (G) sessions begin
July 1	F	Undergraduate transfer fall semester admission application deadline for students living in the United States
July 4	M	Independence Day; no classes, university offices closed
July 8	F	Fall 2011 advance registration (with billing) ends
July 15	F	Theses and dissertations due in deans' offices for summer degree candidates
August 4	Th	End of summer sessions Theses and dissertations due in Registrar's Office for summer degree candidates