



2015 – 2016 Academic Calendar

Fall Semester 2015 (14 weeks of instruction)		
First-Year Orientation	August 3-7	Monday-Friday
Classes Begin	August 10	Monday
Last Day to Add or Drop Classes	August 14	Friday
Labor Day Holiday	September 7	Monday
Veteran's Day Holiday	November 11	Wednesday
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course Without Receiving a Failing Grade	November 13	Friday
Labor Day Make-Up	November 16	Monday
Veteran's Day Make-Up / Classes End	November 17	Tuesday: NOTE Wednesday Class Schedule

Reading Period	November 18-25	Wednesday – Wednesday
Thanksgiving Holiday	November 26-29	Thursday – Friday
Exams Begin	November 30	Monday
University Commencement	December 11	Friday
Exams End	December 11	Friday

Spring Semester 2016 (14 weeks of instruction)

Classes Begin	January 4	Monday
Last Day to Add or Drop Classes	January 8	Friday
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday	January 18	Monday
Spring Break	March 7-11	Monday – Friday
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course Without Receiving a Failing Grade	April 11	Monday
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day make-up / Classes End	April 18	Monday

Reading Period	April 19-24	Monday
Exams Begin	April 25	Monday
University Commencement	April 30	Saturday
Exams End	May 6	Friday
College of Law Hooding Ceremony	May 14	Saturday

Summer Semester 2016 (10 weeks of instruction)		
Classes Begin	May 11	Wednesday
Last Day to Add or Drop Classes	May 18	Wednesday
Memorial Day Holiday	May 30	Monday
Independence Day Holiday (observed)	July 4	Monday
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course Without Receiving a Failing Grade	July 14	Thursday
Memorial Day Make-up with Monday Schedule	July 20	Wednesday
Independence Day Make-up with Friday Schedule	July 21	Thursday
Classes End	July 21	Thursday

Reading Period	July 22-24	Saturday
Exams Begin	July 25	Monday
Exams End	July 29	Friday
University Commencement	Aug 5	Friday