

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2019-2020

FALL SEMESTER 2019

August

7-8	Wed-Thurs	Faculty/Staff Institute
10	Sat	Residence Halls Open for New Students (12:00 noon)
12-14	Mon-Wed	Orientation/Registration for New Students - Kroger Gymnasium On-line Registration Returning Students
14	Wed	Residence Halls Open for Returning Students (8:00 a.m.) Registration for Graduate Students (5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.)
15	Thurs	Classes Begin
15-30	Thurs-Fri	Late Registration Period - Late Fee Assessed Drop/Add Period
21	Wed	President's Convocation
23	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
26	Mon	Course Withdrawal Period (Begins 8/26/19 & Ends 10/18/19)
28	Wed	Provost's Convocation
30	Fri	Junior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)

September

2	Mon	Labor Day (College closed)
3	Tues	Classes Resume Letter Grade Changes Period (Begins 9/3/19 & Ends 9/24/19)
4	Wed	First Year Induction Convocation
20	Fri	Annual Graduate & Professional School Fair
30	Mon	Mid-Term Examinations

October

1	Tues	Mid-Term Examinations
4	Fri	Mid-Term Grades Due by 12:00 noon Last Day to Remove Incompletes
7-21	Mon-Mon	Credit/No-Credit Period (Begins 10/7/19 & Ends 10/21/19)
14-20	Mon-Sun	Sesquicentennial Founders' Week 2019 10/17-18(Thurs/Fri): Board of Trustees Meeting
20	Sun	Sesquicentennial Founders' Convocation
25	Fri	Fall Graduation Application Deadline

November

4-8	Mon-Fri	Early Course Selection and Advising week for spring 2020
4	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 10:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
6	Wed	Advising Day: No Classes Scheduled/No Convocation
22	Fri	Thanksgiving Convocation
23	Sat	Residence Halls Close at 12:00 noon
25-29	Mon-Fri	Thanksgiving Recess (Faculty/Students)
27-29	Wed-Fri	College Closed

December

1	Sun	Residence Halls open at 12:00 noon
2	Mon	Classes Resume

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2-14	Tues-Fri	On-line Registration for Spring 2020 – Enrolled Students
4	Wed	Last Day of Classes
		Last Day to Withdraw from the College (from all courses)
5	Thurs	Reading Day
5-11	Thurs-Wed	Final Examinations
8	Sun	Annual Winter Choir Concert (3:30 p.m.)
12	Thurs	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) -- All Students Required to Vacate
13	Fri	Final Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
18	Wed	College Closes

SPRING SEMESTER 2020

January

2	Thurs	College Reopens
5	Sun	Residence Halls Open for New Student and Returning Students (8:00 a.m.)
6	Mon	Registration/Orientation for New Students (9:00 a.m-4:30 p.m.)
		On-line Registration for Returning Students
		Registration for Graduate Students (5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.)
7	Tues	Classes Begin
7-14	Tues-Tues	Late Registration Period - Late Fees Assessed
		Drop and Add Period (Begins 1/7/20) & (Ends 1/14/20)
10	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
17-24	Fri-Fri	Letter Grade Change Request Period (Begins 1/17/20) & (Ends 1/24/20)
20	Mon	Martin Luther King Day Observance
21	Tues	Classes Resume
21-3/2	Tues-Mon	Course Withdrawal Period (Begins 1/21/20) & (Ends 3/2/20)

February

3	Mon	Spring Graduation Application Deadline
7	Fri	Annual Career Fair
19	Wed	First Year Honors Convocation
21	Fri	Annual Business Luncheon
	Fri	Sophomore Junior and Senior Honors Convocation
		(Evening Program at 6:00 p.m.)
24-3/9	Mon-Mon	Credit/No-Credit period (Begins 02/24/20) & (Ends 03/9/20)
25-26	Tues-Wed	Mid-Term Examinations
28	Fri	Mid-Term Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
		Incomplete Removal Deadline

March

1	Sun	Annual Spring Choir Concert (3:30 p.m.)
2	Mon	Course Withdrawal Period Ends
7	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 noon)
9-13	Mon-Fri	Spring Break (Faculty/Students)
11-13	Wed-Fri	College Closed
15	Sun	Residence Halls Open (12:00 noon)
16-20	Mon-Sat	Humanities Festival Week
16	Mon	Classes Resume
18	Wed	Humanities Convocation
24	Tues	Sophomore Comprehensive Examination

April

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6-9	Mon-Thurs	Early Course Selection and Advising Week for Summer and Fall 2020
6	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 10:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
8	Wed	Advising Day: No Classes Scheduled/No Convocation
10-13	Fri-Mon	Easter Observance
14	Tues	Classes Resume
14-5/1	Tues-Fri	On-line Registration for Summer 2020 and Fall 2020 – Enrolled Students
15	Wed	Rite of Passage Convocation
15-17	Wed- Fri	Senior Thesis Presentations
21-22	Tues-Wed	Senior Examinations
22	Wed	Last Day of Classes
		Last Day to Withdraw from the College (from all courses)
23	Thurs	Reading Day (No Classes)
		All Senior Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
24-30	Fri-Thurs	Final Examinations
29	Wed	Baccalaureate Services (Required)
30	Thurs	Board of Trustees Meeting
May		
1	Fri	Board of Trustees Meeting
2	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) -- All Students Required to Vacate*
3	Sun	Commencement Ceremonies
4	Mon	Final Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2020

May		
25	Mon	Memorial Day (College Closed)
26-27	Tues-Wed	Residence Halls open 8:00 a.m. Registration 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
June		
1	Mon	Classes Begin
2-3	Tues-Wed	Drop/Add Period
July		
6	Mon	Independence Day Observance (College Closed)
14-15	Tues-Wed	Early Course Selection and Registration for fall 2020 New Students
16	Thurs	Last Day of Classes
20-21	Mon-Tues	Final Examinations
22	Wed	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) – All Students Required to Vacate*
23	Thurs	Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.

**This does not apply to graduating seniors and other students who are participating in Commencement activities, such as choir members and class marshals. These students must vacate immediately following Commencement.*

Beverly W. Hogan, President

Bianca Garner, Provost

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