Schedule of Academic Dates and Deadlines

FALL TERM 2016

Aug. 22 M New student orientation week begins.
Oral Performance Assessment for international students in Ph.D. programs.

Aug. 24 W Fall-term Online Course Selection (OCS) begins.

Aug. 25 TH Matriculation ceremony.

Aug. 29 M Teaching at Yale Day: Orientation for all new Teaching Fellows.

Aug. 31 W Fall-term classes begin, 8:20 a.m.

Sept. 5 M Labor Day. Classes do not meet.

Sept. 9 F Final day to apply for a fall-term personal leave of absence.
The entire fall-term tuition charge or continuous registration fee (CRF) will be canceled for students who withdraw from the Graduate School on or before this date or who are granted a leave of absence effective on or before this date.

Sept. 14 W Fall-term Online Course Selection (OCS) ends.
Final day for registration. A fee of $50 is assessed for course schedules accepted after this date.

Sept. 15 TH Final day to file petitions December MA, MS, and MPhil degrees.
Due date to notify department of intention to submit dissertation for award of the Ph.D. in December.

Sept. 23 F One-half of the fall-term full-tuition charge will be canceled for students who withdraw from the Graduate School on or before this date or who are granted a medical leave of absence effective on or before this date. The CRF is not prorated.

Oct. 3 M Due date for dissertations to be considered by the Degree Committees for award of the Ph.D. in December.
Final date for the faculty to submit grades to replace grades of Temporary Incomplete (TI) awarded during the previous academic year.

Oct. 18 T October Recess Begins.
Oct. 24  M  Classes resume.
Final day to change enrollment in a fall-term course from Credit to Audit or from Audit to Credit.
Final day to withdraw from a fall-term course.

Oct. 28  F  Midterm
One-quarter of the fall-term full-tuition charge will be canceled for students who withdraw from the Graduate School on or before this date or who are granted a medical leave of absence effective on or before this date. The CRF is not prorated.
Teaching appointments will not appear on the transcripts of students who withdraw from the assignment on or before this date.

Nov. 3  TH  Readers’ Reports are due for dissertations to be considered by the Degree Committees for award of the Ph.D. in December.

Nov. 9  W  Departmental recommendations are due for candidates for December degrees.
Final day to withdraw a degree petition for degrees to be awarded in December.

Nov. 10  TH  Oral Proficiency Assessment for international students in all GSAS degree programs.

Nov. 18  F  November recess begins, 5:20 p.m.

Nov. 28  M  Classes resume, 8:20 a.m.
Final day to submit petitions for extended registration and Dissertation Completion status for the spring term.

Dec. 15  TH  Classes end, 5:20 p.m.

Dec. 16  F  Final Examinations begin.

Dec. 21  W  Examinations end; Winter recess begins.
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Apr. 7   F  Final day to change enrollment in a spring-term course from Credit to Audit or from Audit to Credit.
Final day to withdraw from a spring-term course.

Apr. 17  M  Readers’ Reports are due for dissertations to be considered by the Degree Committees for award of the Ph.D. in May.
Oral Proficiency Assessment for international students in all GSAS degree programs.

Apr. 21  T  Departmental recommendations are due for candidates for May degrees.
Final day to withdraw a degree petition for degrees to be awarded in May.

May 4  TH  Classes end, 5:20 p.m.

May 5  F  Final examinations begin.
Final day to submit Dissertation Progress Reports.
Final day to submit petitions for extended registration and Dissertation Completion status for the subsequent academic year.

May 10  W  Final examinations end.

May 12  F  Final grades for spring-term courses are due for candidates for terminal M.A. and M.S. degrees to be awarded at Commencement.

May 21  SU  Graduate School Convocation.

May 22  M  University Commencement.

June 1  TH  Final grades for spring-term courses and full-year courses are due.