

## FALL 2015-SPRING 2016 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

### FALL 2015

Tuesday, July 16	Fall payment plans available on SSC
Friday, July 31	Last day to submit a reinstatement petition for Fall. Fall mail in payment deadline.
Monday, August 2	Deadline for faculty to submit December degree applications.
Monday, August 10	1 <sup>st</sup> Payment Plan payment due.
Wednesday, August 12	Drop for Non-Payment Fall semester.
Monday, August 17	Final Transfer Orientation & Registration.
Monday & Tuesday August 17-18	Final Freshman Orientation & Registration.
Wednesday, August 19	Freshman Convocation.
Thursday, August 20	Classes begin—regular term.
Wednesday, August 26	Last day to register, change schedules or drop a course without a “W” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke audit option. Regular term. Final Drop for Non-Payment.
Monday, September 7	Labor Day—the University is closed
Wednesday, September 9	Writing Proficiency Portfolio deadline.
Thursday, September 10	2 <sup>nd</sup> Payment Plan payment due.
Thursday, October 8	Mid-point in semester.
Saturday, October 10	3 <sup>rd</sup> Payment Plan payment due.
Wednesday, October 14	Grad Finale.
Thursday/Friday, October 22-23	Fall Break—no classes.
Saturday, October 31	Last day to drop/withdraw without a “WF” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke the pass/fail option. Regular term.
Monday, November 2	Advisement begins for Spring 2016 Priority Registration
Monday, November 9	Registration begins for Spring 2016 Priority Registration
Tuesday, November 10	Final Payment Plan payment due.
Friday, November 13	Last day to apply for May 2016 graduation.

Wed-Sun, November 25-29	Thanksgiving holidays.
Friday, December 4	Last day of classes.
Saturday/Sunday, December 5-6	Reading days.
Monday-Friday, December 7-11	Final exams.
Thursday, December 10	December Convocation, 6 p.m., Convocation Center.
Monday, December 14	All grades to be entered by faculty no later than 9 a.m.

### **SPRING 2016**

Monday, January 4	The University reopens. Deadline for reinstatement petitions for spring.
Wednesday, January 6	Deadline for paying Spring tuition bills (including payment plan set up.) 5:00 PM - 1 <sup>st</sup> cancellation for non-payment
Friday, January 8	Spring Orientation
Monday, January 11	Classes begin for Spring Regular Term
Monday, January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday—the University is closed.
Tuesday, January 19	Last day to register, change schedules or drop a course without a “W” being recorded for Regular Term. Last day to elect/revoke audit option. <b>LAST DAY TO DROP/WITHDRAW AND NOT HAVE ANY FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY.</b> 5:00 PM – 2 <sup>nd</sup> cancellation for non-payment
Wednesday, January 27	WPP deadline.
Monday, February 29	Last day to apply for August graduation.
Wednesday, March 2	Mid-term (possibly)
Monday-Friday, March 7-11	Spring Break.
Wednesday, March 16	Grad Finale
Monday, March 28	Advisement for Priority Registration (Summer & Fall) begins.
Thursday, March 31	Last day to drop/withdraw without a “WF” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke the pass/fail option. Last day to apply for December graduation.

Friday, April 1	Deadline for August degree applications to be returned to Registrar.
Monday, April 4	Priority Registration (Summer & Fall) begins.
Thursday, April 21	Academic Convocation
Monday, April 25	Last day of classes.
Tuesday, April 26	Reading Day
Wednesday April 27- Tuesday, May 3	Exams.
Wednesday, May 4	<b>Commencement at 6 p.m., Convocation Center.</b>
Friday, May 6	All Spring grades due to be entered by faculty no later than 1 p.m.

**Spring 1<sup>st</sup> Part of Term:**

Monday, January 11	Classes Begin
Wednesday, January 13	Last day to register, change schedules or drop a course without a “W” being recorded for this term. Last day to elect/revoke audit option. <b>LAST DAY TO DROP/WITHDRAW AND NOT HAVE ANY FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY.</b>
Saturday, February 6	Last day to drop/withdraw without a “WF” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke the pass/fail option.
Friday, March 4	Last day of classes.

**Spring 2<sup>nd</sup> Part of Term:**

Monday, March 14	Classes Begin
Wednesday, March 16	Last day to register, change schedules or drop a course without a “W” being recorded for this term. Last day to elect/revoke audit option. <b>LAST DAY TO DROP/WITHDRAW AND NOT HAVE ANY FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY.</b>
Friday, April 8	Last day to drop/withdraw without a “WF” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke the pass/fail option.

Wednesday, May 4 Last day of classes.

**Extended Spring Half Term:**

Monday, January 11 Classes Begin

Tuesday, January 19 Last day to register, change schedules or drop a course without a “W” being recorded for this term. Last day to elect/revoke audit option.

**LAST DAY TO DROP/WITHDRAW AND NOT HAVE ANY FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS TO THE UNIVERSITY.**

Wednesday, April 6 Last day to drop/withdraw without a “WF” being recorded. Last day to elect/revoke the pass/fail option.

Tuesday, May 24 Last day of classes

**Summer 2016**

**Maymester 2016** May 9-24

**Maymester for Ed. Tech** – May 9-May 26

**May-June 2016** May 18<sup>th</sup>-June28

**Summer I** May 30-June 28

**Summer I for Ed. Tech-** May 30- June 29

**Summer II** July 5-Aug 3

**Entire Summer** May 9- Aug 3

Complete detailed summer calendars AND refund information can be found at this link:

<http://web.usca.edu/records/refund-information/>

Wednesday June 1 Writing Proficiency Portfolios due

Monday July 4 University closed