



PAD and Graduate Programs Calendar 2026 – 2027

FALL 2026 SEMESTER

April 30	Fall 2026 course registration opens
August 1	Deadline to submit Fall applications
August 14	PAD Orientation (Virtual)
August 15	Deadline to submit enrollment deposit for Fall
August 22	MPAD Orientation (Pollard 151)
August 24 – October 18	Fall Term A
August 31	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Fall Term A
October 19 – December 13	Fall Term B
October 21	Fall Term A grades due
October 26	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Fall Term B
October 30	Spring 2027 course registration opens
November 25-27	Thanksgiving (College offices closed)
December 1	Deadline to submit Spring applications
December 7 – 10	MPAD Capstone Presentations (Spring Starts)
December 11	Fall semester grades due for graduating students
December 15	Deadline to submit enrollment deposit for Spring
December 16	Fall Term B grades due
December 18	PAD Orientation (Virtual)
December 21 – January 1	Winter break (College offices closed)

SPRING 2027 SEMESTER

January 2	MPAD Orientation (Pollard 151)
January 4 – February 28	Spring Term A
January 11	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Spring Term A
March 1 – March 5	Mid-semester break for graduate programs and PAD

March 3	Spring Term A grades due
March 8 – May 2	Spring Term B
March 15	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Spring Term B
March 30	Summer and Fall 2027 course registration opens
May 7	Spring semester grades due for graduating students
May 10	Commencement
May 12	Spring Term B grades due

SUMMER 2027 SEMESTER* FOR GRADUATE PROGRAMS ONLY

May 3 – June 27	Summer Term A
May 10	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Summer Term A
June 28 – August 22	Summer Term B
June 30	Summer Term A grades due
July 5	Last day to add and/or drop courses without grade for Summer Term B
August 1	Deadline to submit Fall applications
August 16 - 19	MPAD Capstone Presentations (Fall Starts)
August 25	Summer Term B grades due

* DHH Summer Residency Dates TBD

* MPA Summer Capstone Residency Dates TBD