

School of Marine Science Academic Calendar

Fall Semester 2018

August 1-29	Registration for New Degree-Seeking Students
August 1	Tuition and Fees Due for Fall 2018
August 15-29	Registration for Non-Degree Seeking Students
August 27-28	New Student Orientation
August 29	Classes Begin: 8 a.m. Add/Drop Begins
September 3	Labor Day – Offices Closed; Classes in Session
September 7	Last Day to Add/Drop
September 8	Withdrawal Period Begins
October 1	Online Filing Deadline for Graduation in May or August 2019
October 13-16	Fall Break
October 22-26	Advance Spring Registration for Continuing Students
October 26	Last Day to Withdraw
October 27 – December 7	Spring Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
November 21-25	Thanksgiving Break – Offices Closed; No Classes
December 7	Classes End: 5 pm Last Day to Submit Grades for Spring 2018 Incomplete (I) Coursework Final Deadline to File for Graduation in May or August 2019
December 8-9	Reading Period I
December 10-14	Examinations
December 14	Last Day to Submit Theses/Dissertations for January 2019 Graduation
December 15-16	Reading Period II
December 17-19	Examinations
December 21 - January 1	Winter Break – Offices Closed
January 2 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due
January 11	Winter Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)

Spring Semester 2019

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October 27 – December 7	Spring Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
January 2-16	Registration for New Degree-Seeking Students
January 8-16	Registration for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
January 11	Winter Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)
January 16	Classes Begin: 8 a.m. Add/Drop Begins
January 21	MLK Holiday – Offices closed; No classes
January 28	Last day to add/drop
January 29	Withdrawal period begins
February 15	Online Filing Begins for Graduation in January, May, or August 2020
March 2-10	Spring Break
March 11-15	Advance Summer and Fall Registration for Continuing Students
March 15*	Last Day to Withdraw
March 16 – April 26	Summer Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
March 16 – July 1	Fall Schedule Adjustment for Continuing Students
April 26	Classes End: 5 p.m. Last Day to Submit Grades for Fall 2018 Incomplete (I) Coursework Last Day to Submit Theses/Dissertations for May 2019 Graduation
April 27-28	Reading Period I
April 29 - May 3	Examinations
May 4-5	Reading Period II
May 6-8	Examinations
May 8 by Noon	Final Grades Due, Graduate Students – May Graduation Candidates
May 10 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due, Undergraduate Students – May Graduation Candidates
May 11	May Commencement
May 15 by 9:00 a.m.	Final Grades Due, All Continuing Students

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Summer Sessions 2019 – Overall Important Dates

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July 1	Online Filing Deadline for January 2020 Graduation Fall 2019 Registration Deadline for Continuing Degree-Seeking Students
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed; Classes in Session
August 9	Last Day to Submit Theses and Dissertations for Aug 2019 Graduation
August 23	Summer Degree Conferral Date (No Ceremony)
Summer Session #1: May 28 – June 28, 2019*	
March 11 – May 28*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
May 1 – May 28*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
May 28*	Classes Begin
May 28-30*	Add/Drop Period
June 1-14*	Withdrawal Period
June 28*	Last Day of Classes
July 5 by Noon*	Final Grades Due
Summer Session #2: July 1 – August 2, 2019*	
March 11 – July 1*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
June 1 – July 1*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
July 1*	Classes Begin
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed, Classes in Session
July 1-5*	Add/Drop Period
July 6-19*	Withdrawal Period
August 2*	Last Day of Classes
August 9 by Noon*	Final Grades Due
Summer Session #3: May 28 – August 2, 2019*	
March 11– May 28*	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students
May 1 – May 28*	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
May 28*	Classes Begin
May 28 – June 7*	Add/Drop Period
June 8-28*	Withdrawal Period
July 4	Independence Day – Offices Closed, Classes in Session
August 2*	Last Day of Classes
August 9 by Noon*	Final Grades Due
Non-Standard: May 12 – August 23, 2019*	
<i>MSCI field courses and short courses generally fall within this session.</i>	
<i>** See SMS Registrar for course specific details. After April 26th, registration and add/drop/withdraw must be done manually through SMS Registrar's Office.</i>	
March 11 – April 26**	Registration Period for Degree-Seeking Students (via Banner Self-Service)
April 1-26 **	Registration Period for Non-Degree-Seeking Students
Varies per course **	Classes Begin
Varies per course **	Add/Drop Period
Varies per course **	Withdrawal Period
Varies per course **	Last Day of Classes
One Week After Class End Date by Noon **	Final Grades Due