

## DRAFT OUTLINE

3-Year Academic Calendar Cycle

Fall 2017-Spring 2020

For consideration by the Calendar Committee

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### Proposed change DRAFT:

Recoup one additional instructional day for Fall Semesters by eliminating one of the Fall Break days (Thursday) into instructional time.

Recoup two additional instructional days for Spring semesters by eliminating Spring Recess, which for many years has been converted into snow make-up days. The Calendar Committee as well as others have observed that these days are not necessarily well-utilized by faculty, particularly by adjunct faculty who may carry teaching schedules at other institutions; nor by students, many of whom have work schedules and other obligations that cannot easily accommodate such a schedule change.

The committee is aware that there is a strong interest in creating a kind of research symposium near the end of one or both semesters, to celebrate and showcase student research. If such an event is proposed and approved for the university, the committee would fully support (and by the changes mentioned above, would create space for) adding such a day into the academic calendar.

## Academic Year 2017-2018

### Fall Semester 2017

Mon, August 28 -	First Day Of Classes
Fri, September 1 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, September 4 -	Labor Day
Fri, September 8 -	End of Extended Add
October 9-13	Midterm Exams
Mon, October 16 -	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
October 20	*Fall Break      *Columbus Day falls a week earlier. Fall Break shifts to accommodate exams.
November 19-26	Thanksgiving Break
Fri, December 8 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
December 11-15	Final Exams Week
Mon, December 18 -	Final Grades Due

### Spring 2018

Mon, January 8 -	First Day of Classes
Fri, January 12 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, January 15 -	MLK Day, University Closed
Fri, January 19 -	Extended Add
February 19 – 23	Midterm Exams
Mon, February 26 -	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
March 11 – 18	Spring Break
Fri, April 20 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
April 22 – 27	Final Exams
Mon, April 30 -	Final Grades Due
Sat, May 5 -	Commencement
Mon, May 28 -	Memorial Day

### Summer 2018

Mon, May 21 -	Summer I/III Begin
Mon, May 28 -	Memorial Day
Wed, June 20 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer I
Mon, June 25 -	Summer I Grades Due
Wed, July 4 -	Independence Day Holiday-University Closed
Mon, July 9 -	Summer II Begins
Tues, August 7 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer II/III
Friday, August 10 -	Summer II/III Grades Due

## Academic Year 2018-2019

### Fall Semester 2018

Mon, August 27 -	First Day of Classes
Fri, August 31 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, September 3 -	Labor Day
Fri, September 7 -	End of Extended Add
October 8 – 12	Midterm Exams
Mon, October 15-	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
October 19 -	Fall Break *Columbus Day falls a week early. Fall Break shifts to accommodate exams.
November 18-25	Thanksgiving Break
Fri, December 7 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
December 10 – 14	Final Exams
Mon, December 17	Final Grades Due

### Spring 2019

Mon, January 14 -	First Day of Classes
Fri, January 18 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, January 21 -	MLK Day, University Closed
Fri, January 25 -	Extended Add
February 25- March 1	Midterm Exams
Mon, March 4 -	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
March 10-17	Spring Break
Fri, April 26 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
April 29 – May 3	Final Exams
Mon, May 6 -	Final Grades Due
Sat, May 11 -	Commencement
Mon, May 27 -	Memorial Day

### Summer 2019

Tues, May 21 -	Summer I/III Begin
Mon, May 27 -	Memorial Day
Thur, June 20 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer I
Mon, June 24 -	Summer I Grades Due
Thur, July 4 -	Independence Day Holiday-University Closed
Mon, July 8 -	Summer II Begins
Tues, August 6 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer II/III
Friday, August 9 -	Summer II/III Grades Due

## Academic Year 2019-2020

### Fall Semester 2019

Mon, August 26 -	First Day of Classes
Fri, August 30 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, September 2 -	Labor Day
Fri, September 6 -	End of Extended Add
October 7 – 11	Midterm Exams
Mon, October 14 -	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
October 18 -	Fall Break
November 25-29	Thanksgiving Break
Fri, December 6 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
December 9-13	Final Exams
Mon, December 16	Final Grades Due

### Spring 2020

Mon, January 13 -	First Day of Classes
Fri, January 17 -	End of Add/Drop
Mon, January 20 -	MLK Day, University Closed
Fri, January 24 -	Extended Add
February 24-28	Midterm Exams
Mon, March 2 -	Midterm Grades (Session A-Final Grades) Due; Session B classes begin
March 15 -22	Spring Break
Fri, April 24 -	Last Day of Classes, Last Day to Withdraw from Semester
April 26 – May 1	Final Exams
Mon, May 4 -	Final Grades Due
Sat, May 9 -	Commencement
Mon, May 25 -	Memorial Day

### Summer 2020

Tues, May 19 -	Summer I/III Begin
Mon, May 25 -	Memorial Day
Thur, June 18 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer I
Mon, June 22 -	Summer I Grades Due
Fri, July 3 -	Independence Day Holiday Observed-University Closed
Mon, July 6 -	Summer II Begins
Tues, August 4 -	Last Day of Classes, Summer II/III
Friday, August 7 -	Summer II/III Grades Due