

# FALL 2008 ACADEMIC DATES AND DEADLINES

<b>Registration Period via Joe'SS ends</b> .....	<b>Thursday, August 21</b>
<b>Late fee assessed for registration after this date</b> .....	<b>Thursday, August 21</b>
<b>Last Day for 100% refund for dropped courses via Joe'SS</b> .....	<b>Thursday, August 21</b>
Orientation, new freshman.....	Sunday-Friday, August 17-22
Initial class rolls and Wait Lists (available in Registrar's Office 2:00 P.M.) .....	Friday, August 22
<b>Classwork begins 8:00 A.M.</b> .....	<b>Monday, August 25</b>
<b>Add/Drop Slips with Signatures Required</b> .....	<b>Monday, August 25</b>
<b>Last day for 90% refund of fees 4:30 P.M.</b> .....	<b>Friday, August 29</b>
Labor Day Holiday .....	Monday, September 1
Class roll check sent to departments .....	Thursday, September 4
<b>Last day for 70% refund of fees 4:30 P.M.</b> .....	<b>Monday, September 8</b>
<b>Last day to change pass/fail grading option</b> .....	<b>Monday, September 8</b>
<b>Last day to register</b> .....	<b>Monday, September 8</b>
Class roll check due in Registrar's Office 10:00 A.M. ....	Tuesday, September 16
<b>Last day to notify Registrar of intent to graduate in December</b> .....	<b>Monday, September 22</b>
<b>Last day for 50% refund of fees 4:30 P.M.</b> .....	<b>Monday, September 29</b>
<b>Last day to drop without a "WD" showing on transcript</b> .....	<b>Tuesday, October 7</b>
<b>Last day to change to HEARER status</b> .....	<b>Tuesday, October 7</b>
<b>Last day to add courses</b> .....	<b>Tuesday, October 7</b>
Mid-semester grade entry opens to instructors .....	Wednesday, October 8
Mid-semester .....	Saturday, October 11
Mid-semester grade entry closes to instructors. ....	Tuesday, October 14
<b>Mid-semester grades available to students via Joe'SS</b> .....	<b>Monday, October 20</b>
<b>Advising Week for Spring 2009</b> .....	<b>Monday-Friday, October 20-24</b>
<b>Joe'SS registration appointments begin</b> .....	<b>Monday, October 27</b>
<b>Last day for dropping a course</b> .....	<b>Thursday, November 20</b>
<b>Last day for withdrawing from school</b> .....	<b>Thursday, November 20</b>
Thanksgiving vacation begins 8:00 A.M. ....	Sunday, November 23
Thanksgiving vacation ends 8:00 A.M. ....	Monday, December 1
Final grade entry opens to instructors .....	Tuesday, December 9
Last Class Day .....	Friday, December 12
Reading Day .....	Saturday, December 13
<b>Final examinations begin 8:00 A.M.</b> .....	<b>Monday, December 15</b>
<b>Final examinations end 6:00 P.M.</b> .....	<b>Friday, December 19</b>
<b>Fall Semester closes 6:00 P.M.</b> .....	<b>Friday, December 19</b>
<b>Commencement 11:00 A.M.</b> .....	<b>Saturday, December 20</b>
Final grade entry closes to instructors.....	Tuesday, December 23
<b>Final grades available to students via Joe'SS</b> .....	<b>Tuesday, December 30</b>

The attention of the faculty is called to the respective religious and other holidays that a number of students may wish to observe. The faculty is encouraged to avoid scheduling examinations on these days.