

***Academic Calendar for the Graduate School
of Biomedical Sciences and Professional Studies
2016-17 Fall Semester***

<i>DPMS part of term begins</i>	<i>June 20th</i>
Fall Semester Registration Begins	Monday, July 25th
<i>Fall Semester Orientation (For new incoming Graduate Students only)</i>	<i>August 3rd - 4th</i>
Fall Semester and Fall A part of term Begins	Monday, August 8th
Fall A Drop / Add ends	Sunday, August 14 th
Fall Semester Drop / Add ends	Sunday, August 21st
<i>No Class – Labor Day</i>	<i>Monday, September 5th</i>
Fall A Withdrawal Deadline	Friday, September 16 th
<i>BMedSci Programs: Discovery Day Bondi Fellowship Award Deadline</i>	<i>Monday, September 26th</i>
Fall A part of term Ends:	Friday, October 7 th
Fall B part of term Begins and Dean’s Graduate Student Travel Award, <i>Fall Deadline</i>	Monday, October 10 th
Fall B Drop / Add Ends	Sunday, October 16 th
<i>BMedSci Programs: No Classes – Discovery Day</i>	<i>Thursday, October 20th</i>
Fall Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline	Friday, October 21st
<i>Careers Beyond the Bench Conference</i>	<i>Thursday, November 3rd</i>
Fall B Course Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, November 20 th
<i>No Class – Thanksgiving Holiday</i>	<i>November 24th & 25th</i>
<i>BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for Dec 2016 Graduation</i>	<i>Wednesday, November 30th</i>
<i>Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due <u>two weeks</u> prior to defense</i>	
Spring Semester Registration Begins	Monday, December 5th
Fall Semester Ends	Friday, December 9th
<i>PMPH Programs: Fall Semester, DPMS, and Fall B Ends and Immunology Course Withdrawal Deadline</i>	<i>Friday, December 16th</i>
<i>BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for December 2016 graduation)</i>	<i>Monday, December 19th</i>
Grades are to be submitted into the system by	Wednesday, December 21 st

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2016-17 Spring Semester***

<i>University Holiday</i>	<i>December 26th to January 2nd</i>
Spring Semester and Spring A part of term Begins	Tuesday, January 3rd
Spring A Drop / Add Ends	Tuesday, January 10 th
<i>No Class – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday</i>	<i>Monday, January 16th</i>
Spring Semester Drop / Add Ends	Tuesday, January 17th
Spring A Withdrawal Deadline	Friday, February 10 th
Dean’s Graduate Student Travel Award, <i>Spring Deadline</i>	Monday, February 27 th
Spring A part of term Ends	Friday, March 3 rd
Spring B part of term Begins	Monday, March 6 th
Spring B Drop / Add Ends	Sunday, March 12 th
Spring Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline	Friday, March 17th
Dean's Fellowship for Excellence in Collaborative Themed Research Deadline	Monday, March 20 th
<i>PMPH and some ICO Programs: Spring Break</i>	<i>March 20th to March 24th</i>
<i>BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for May 2017 Graduation</i>	<i>Friday, April 14th</i>
<i>Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due <u>two weeks</u> prior to defense</i>	
<i>BMedSci Programs: Amedeo Bondi PhD Endowed Graduate Award Deadline</i>	<i>Monday, April 15th</i>
Spring B Withdrawal Deadline	Friday, April 21 st
Spring Semester Ends	Friday, May 5th
<i>BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for May 2017 graduation)</i>	<i>Friday, May 5th</i>
Grades are to be submitted into the system by	Wednesday, May 10 th
<i>Pre-Commencement Reception</i>	<i>Thursday, May 18th</i>
<i>Commencement 2017 (Kimmel Center)</i>	<i>Friday, May 19th</i>
Spring B part of term Ends	Friday, May 26 th

***Academic Calendar for the Graduate School
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2016-17 Summer Semester***

*(BMedSci Students do not have to register for the summer semester unless they are defending their thesis.
ALL BMedSci Students are still required to continue to do work in the Lab)*

Summer Semester Class Begins: **Monday, May 8th**

Summer Semester Drop / Add Ends **Sunday, May 21st**

Memorial Day – University Holiday ***Monday May 29th***

Summer Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline **Friday, June 23rd**

No Class – Independence Day Holiday ***Tuesday, July 4th***

Summer Semester Classes Ends **Friday, July 21st**

Grades are to be submitted into the system by **Wednesday, July 26th**

BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for Summer 2017 Graduation ***Monday, July 31st***
Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due two weeks prior to defense

BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due ***Monday, August 21st***
in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for Summer 2017 graduation)