

## 2015-2016 Academic Calendar

## **2015-16 Semester**

DPMS part of term begins	June 22
Fall Semester Registration Begins	Monday, July 20
Fall Semester Orientation (new incoming Graduate Students only)	August 5-7
Fall Semester Begins	Monday, August 10
Fall Semester Drop/Add ends	Sunday, August 23
No Class – Labor Day	Monday, September 7
PMPH Students: Physiology part of term starts	Monday, September 14
PMPH Students: Physiology Drop/Add ends	Sunday, September 20
No Class – Papal Visit	September 24-27
DBS Students: No Class – Discovery Day	Thursday, October 8
Success in Academia Conference	Friday, October 30
Fall Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, November 1
PMPH Students: Immunology part of term starts	Monday, November 2
PMPH Students: Immunology Drop/Add ends	Sunday, November 8
No Class – Thanksgiving Holiday	November 26-27
DBS Students: Deadline for Defense for December 2015 Graduation Note: Written notification of date, time, and place of defense due <b>two weeks</b> prior to defense.	Wednesday, December 2
Spring Semester Registration Begins	Monday, December 7
Fall Semester Ends	Friday, December 11
PMPH Students: Fall Semester Ends	Friday, December 18
DBS Students: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for December 2015 graduation)	Monday, December 21
Grades are to be submitted into the system by	Wednesday, December 23
University Holiday	December 24-25

## 2015-16 Spring Semester

University Holiday	Friday, January 1
Spring Semester and Spring A part of term Begins	Monday. January 4

Spring A Drop/Add Ends	Sunday, January 10
Spring Semester Drop/Add Ends	Sunday, January 17
No Class – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday	Monday, January 18
Spring A Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, February 7
Spring B part of term Begins	Monday, March 7
Spring B Drop/Add Ends	Sunday, March 13
Spring Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, March 20
DBS Students: Deadline for Defense for May 2015 Graduation Note: Written notification of date, time, and place of defense due <b>two weeks</b> prior to defense.	Friday, April 15
DBS Students: 2015 Bondi Award Deadline	Wednesday, April 20
Spring Semester Ends	Friday, May 6
DBS Students: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for May 2015 graduation)	Friday, May 6
Spring B Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, May 8
Grades are to be submitted into the system by	Wednesday, May 11
DBS Commencement Reception	Thursday, May 19
Commencement 2015 (Kimmel Center)	Friday, May 20
Spring B part of term Ends	Friday, May 27
Memorial Day – University Holiday	Monday May 30

## 2015-16 Summer Semester

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

Summer Semester Class Begins	Monday, May 9
Summer Semester Drop / Add Ends	Sunday, May 22
Summer Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline	Sunday, June 26
No Class – Independence Day Holiday	Monday, July 4
Summer Semester Classes Ends	Friday, July 22
DBS Students: Deadline for Defense for May 2015 Graduation Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due <b>two weeks</b> prior to defense.	Monday, August 1
DBS Students: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for May 2015 graduation)	Monday, August 22