**Academic Calendar for the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences and Professional Studies**

**2021-22 Fall Semester**

- **DPMS part of term begins**: Monday, June 28th
- **Fall Semester Registration Begins**: Thursday, July 8th
- **Fall Semester Orientation (For new incoming Graduate Students only)**: Thursday, August 12th
- **Fall Semester and Fall part of term A Begins**: Monday, August 16th
  (Students taking courses through the Law school may have different start and end dates)
- **Fall part of term A Drop / Add ends**: Sunday, August 22nd
- **Fall Semester Drop / Add ends**: Sunday, August 29th
- **BMedSci Programs: Discovery Day Bondi Fellowship Award Deadline**: Monday, August 30th
- **No Class – Labor Day Holiday**: Monday, September 6th
- **Fall part of term A Withdrawal Deadline**: Friday, September 17th
- **Fall part of term A part of term Ends**: Friday, October 8th
- **No Class - Indigenous Peoples’ Day Holiday**: Monday, October 11th
- **Fall part of term B Begins and Dean’s Graduate Student Travel Award, Fall Deadline**: Tuesday, October 12th
- **Fall part of term B Drop / Add Ends**: Monday, October 18th
- **BMedSci Programs: No Classes – Discovery Day**: Thursday, October 21st
- **Fall Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline**: Friday, November 5th
- **Spring Semester Registration Begins**: Thursday, November 11th
- **Fall part of term B Course Withdrawal Deadline**: Monday, November 15th
- **BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for Dec 2020 Graduation**: Wednesday, November 24th
  **Note**: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due two weeks prior to defense
- **No Class – Thanksgiving Holiday**: November 25th & 26th
- **Fall Semester, DPMS and Fall part of term B Ends**: Friday, December 10th
- **PMPH Programs: Immunology Course Withdrawal Deadline**: Friday, December 10th
- **BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for December 2021 Graduation)**: Monday, December 13th
- **Grades are to be submitted into the system by**: Wednesday, December 15th
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2021-22 Spring Semester

University Holiday

December 27th to December 31st

Spring Semester and Spring part of term A Begins
Monday, January 3rd

Spring part of term A Drop / Add Ends
Sunday, January 9th

Spring Semester Drop / Add Ends
Sunday, January 16th

No Class – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
Monday, January 17th

Spring part of term A Withdrawal Deadline
Friday, February 4th

Dean’s Graduate Student Travel Award, Spring Deadline
Monday, February 21st

Spring part of term A Ends
Friday, March 4th

Spring part of term B Begins
Monday, March 7th

Spring part of term B Drop / Add Ends
Sunday, March 13th

Dean's Fellowship for Excellence in Collaborative Themed Research Deadline
Monday, March 14th

Spring Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline
Friday, March 25th

PMPH and some ICO Programs: Spring Break
March 21st to March 25th

Summer Semester Registration Begins
Thursday, March 31st

Spring part of term B Withdrawal Deadline
Friday, April 8th

BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for May 2021 Graduation
Friday, April 8th
Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due two weeks prior to defense

BMedSci Programs: Amedeo Bondi PhD Endowed Graduate Award Deadline
Monday, April 11th

Spring Semester and Spring part of term B Ends
Friday, April 29th

BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for May 2022 Graduation)
Friday, April 29th

Grades are to be submitted into the system by
Wednesday, May 4th

Pre-Commencement Reception
Thursday, May 12th

Commencement 2022 (Kimmel Center)
Friday, May 13th
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2021-22 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 9th

Summer Semester Drop / Add Ends Sunday, May 22nd

No Class - Memorial Day Holiday Monday, May 30th

No Class - Juneteenth Holiday Monday, June 20th

Summer Semester Course Withdrawal Deadline Friday, June 24th

No Class - Independence Day Holiday Monday, July 4th

Summer Semester Classes Ends Friday, July 29th

BMedSci Programs: Defense Deadline for August 2022 Graduation Friday, July 29th

Note: Written notification of date, time and place of defense due two weeks prior to defense

Grades are to be submitted into the system by Wednesday, August 3rd

BMedSci Programs: Final Thesis and Non-Thesis documents are due in the Office of Biomedical Studies (for August 2022 Graduation) Monday, August 15th