

# ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2016-17

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## Stanford Academic Calendar, 2016-17

Legal-size Printable Calendar (<https://stanford.box.com/v/Calendar-AY-1617>) • Letter-size Printable Calendar (<https://stanford.box.com/v/Calendar-AY-1617-letter>) • This calendar is also available at the University Registrar's web site (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/resources-and-help/stanford-academic-calendar>) .

- The University bill is issued on the 20th of each month. Billed charges are due by the 15th of the following month. For more information, see the Student Financial Services (<https://sfs.stanford.edu/student-accounts/pay-your-bill/understanding-your-student-account>) site.
- See the R&DE Student Housing site (<https://rde.stanford.edu/studenthousing>) for additional information on Housing deadlines. Key undergraduate dates are included below.

*Issued April 1, 2016. All dates are subject to change at the discretion of the University.*

## Autumn Quarter 2016-17

**August 1 (Mon)** Access opens for course enrollment. Stanford Bulletin (<http://bulletin.stanford.edu>) opens with AY 2016-17 degree requirements

**August 29 (Mon)** M.D. first-year students, first day of instruction.

**September 1 (Thu)** M.D. second-year students, first day of instruction.

**September 6 (Tue)** Law School instruction begins for 1st-year J.D. students.

**September 16 (Fri)** M.B.A. 1st-year instructions begins

**September 16 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** At-status enrollment deadline in order to receive stipend or financial aid refund within the first week of term.

**September 20 (Tue)** New undergraduates arrive. Convocation (<https://undergrad.stanford.edu/advising/freshman/new-student-orientation-nso/nso-volunteers/opening-convocation-student-speaker>). Undergraduate housing opens for new students; see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**September 22 (Thu)** Undergraduate housing opens for returning students; see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**September 26 (Mon)** First day of quarter; instruction begins.

**September 26 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Preliminary Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/preliminary-study-list-deadline-courses-or-units>). Students must be "at status"; i.e., students must have a study list with sufficient units to meet requirements for their status, whether full-time, 8-9-10 units (graduate students only), or approved Undergraduate Special Registration Status (<https://sregistrar.stanford.edu/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-undergraduates>) or Graduate Special Registration Status (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-graduate-professional>). The late study list fee is \$200.

**September 26 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Deadline to submit Leave of Absence for full refund (see undergraduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/undergraduatedegreesandprograms/#leavesand reinstatementtext>) and graduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#leavereinstatementtext>)). See Tuition and Refund Schedule 2016-17 for a full refund schedule.

**September 26 (Mon)** Law School instruction begins for 2nd/3rd-year J.D. and advanced degree students. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**September 29 (Thu)** Conferral of degrees, Summer Quarter 2015-16.

**September 30 (Fri)** GSB course add/drop deadline

**October 12 (Wed)** Yom Kippur (classes held: some students will be observing Yom Kippur and are not expected to attend classes; some faculty will not be holding classes).

**October 14 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Final Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/final-study-list-deadline-add-drop-swap-or-adjust-courses-or-units>), except GSB. Last day to add or drop a class; last day to adjust units on a variable-unit course. Last day for tuition reassessment for dropped courses or units. Students may withdraw from a course until the Course Withdrawal deadline and a 'W' notation will appear on the transcript.

**November 7 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Term withdrawal deadline; last day to submit Leave of Absence to withdraw from the University with a partial refund.

**November 18 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Change of grading basis deadline, except GSB.

**November 18 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Course withdrawal deadline, except GSB, Law, and M.D.

**November 18 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Application deadline for Autumn Quarter degree conferral (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/graduation>).

**November 21-25 (Mon-Fri)** Thanksgiving Recess (no classes).

**December 2 (Fri)** Last day of Law classes. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**December 5-11 (Mon-Sun)** End-Quarter Period.

**December 6-14 (Tue-Wed)** Law School examinations. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**December 9 (Fri)** Last day of classes (unless class meets on Sat.)

**December 9 (Fri)** Last opportunity to arrange Incomplete in a course, at last class.

**December 9 (Fri, noon)** University thesis, D.M.A. final project, or Ph.D. dissertation, last day to submit.

**December 9 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Late application deadline for Autumn Quarter degree conferral (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/graduation>) (\$50 fee).

**December 12-16 (Mon-Fri)** End-Quarter examinations.

**December 17 (Sat, noon)** Undergraduate housing closes for Winter Break; see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**December 20 (Tue, 11:59 p.m.)** Grades due.

**January 12 (Thu)** Conferral of degrees, Autumn Quarter.

## Winter Quarter 2016-17

**October 30 (Sun)** Access opens for course enrollment.

**December 30 (Fri)** At-status enrollment deadline in order to receive stipend or financial aid refund within the first week of term.

**January 7 (Sat, 8:00 a.m.)** Undergraduate housing opens for Winter Quarter; see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**January 9 (Mon)** First day of quarter; instruction begins for all students.

**January 9 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Preliminary Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/preliminary-study-list-deadline-courses-or-units>). Students must be "at status"; i.e., students must have a study list with sufficient units to meet requirements for their status, whether full-time, 8-9-10 units (graduate students only), or approved Undergraduate Special Registration Status (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-undergraduates>) or Graduate Special Registration Status (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-graduate-professional>). The late study list fee is \$200.

**January 9 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Deadline to submit Leave of Absence for full refund (see undergraduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/undergraduatedegreesandprograms/#leavesandreinstatementtext>) and graduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#leavereinstatementtext>)). See Tuition and Refund Schedule 2015-16 (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/tuition-and-fees/tuition-refund-schedule-2015-16>) for a full refund schedule.

**January 13 (Fri)** GSB course add/drop deadline

**January 16 (Mon)** Martin Luther King, Jr., Day (holiday, no classes).

**January 27 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Final Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/final-study-list-deadline-add-drop-swap-or-adjust-courses-or-units>), except GSB. Final day to add or drop a class; last day to adjust units on a variable-unit course. Last day for tuition reassessment for dropped courses or units. Students may withdraw from a course until the Course Withdrawal deadline and a 'W' notation will appear on the transcript.

**February 20 (Mon)** Presidents' Day (holiday, no classes; Law does hold classes).

**February 22 (Wed, 5:00 p.m.)** Term withdrawal deadline; last day to submit Leave of Absence to withdraw from the University with a partial refund.

**March 3 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Change of grading basis deadline, except GSB.

**March 3 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Course withdrawal deadline, except GSB, Law, and M.D.

**March 3 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Application deadline for Winter Quarter degree conferral (<http://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/graduation>).

**March 13 (Mon)** Last day of Law classes. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**March 13-19 (Mon-Sun)** End-Quarter Period.

**March 17 (Fri)** Last day of classes (unless class meets on Sat.)

**March 17 (Fri)** Last opportunity to arrange Incomplete in a course, at last class.

**March 17 (Fri, noon)** University thesis, D.M.A. final project, Ph.D. dissertation, last day to submit.

**March 17 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Late application deadline for Winter Quarter degree conferral (<http://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/graduation>) (\$50 fee).

**March 17-24 (Fri-Fri)** Law School examinations. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**March 20-24 (Mon-Fri)** End-Quarter examinations.

**March 25 (Sat)** Undergraduate housing move-out (if departing at end of Winter Quarter); see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**March 28 (Tue, 11:59 p.m.)** Grades due.

**April 6 (Thu)** Conferral of degrees, Winter Quarter.

## Spring Quarter 2016-17

**February 12 (Sun)** Access opens for course enrollment.

**March 24 (Fri)** At-status enrollment deadline in order to receive stipend or financial aid refund within the first week of term.

**April 1 (Sat)** Undergraduate housing move-in date for Spring Quarter; see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**April 3 (Mon)** First day of quarter; instruction begins for all students.

**April 3 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Preliminary Study List deadline (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/enrolling-courses/preliminary-study-list-deadline-courses-or-units>). Students must be "at status"; i.e., students must have a study list with sufficient units to meet requirements for their status, whether full-time, 8-9-10 units (graduate students only), or approved Undergraduate Special Registration Status (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-undergraduates>) or Graduate Special Registration Status (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/special-registration-and-leaves/special-registration-statuses-graduate-professional>). The late study list fee is \$200.

**April 3 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Deadline to submit Leave of Absence for full refund (see undergraduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/undergraduatedegreesandprograms/#leavesand reinstatementtext>) and graduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#leaver reinstatementtext>)). See Tuition and Refund Schedule 2015-16 (<https://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/tuition-and-fees/tuition-refund-schedule-2015-16>) for a full refund schedule.

**April 6 (Thurs)** GSB classes begin

**April 11 (Tues)** GSB course add/drop deadline

**April 14 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Application deadline for Spring Quarter degree conferral (<http://registrar.stanford.edu/students/graduation>).

**April 21 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Final Study List deadline, except GSB (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/final-study-list-deadline-add-drop-swap-or-adjust-courses-or-units>). Last day to add or drop a class; last day to adjust units on a variable-unit course. Last day for tuition reassessment for dropped courses or units. Students may withdraw from a course until the Course Withdrawal deadline and a "W" notation will appear on the transcript.

**May 15 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Term withdrawal deadline; last day to submit Leave of Absence to withdraw from the University with a partial refund.

**May 26 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Change of grading basis deadline, except GSB.

**May 26 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Course withdrawal deadline, except GSB, Law, and M.D.

**May 26 (Fri)** Last day of Law classes. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**May 29 (Mon)** Memorial Day (holiday, no classes).

**May 30- June 6 (Tue-Tue)** Law School examinations. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**June 1-8 (Fri-Thu)** End-Quarter Period.

**June 7 (Wed)** Last day of classes.

**June 7 (Wed)** Last opportunity to arrange Incomplete in a course, at last class.

**June 7 (Wed, noon)** University thesis, D.M.A. final project, or Ph.D. dissertation, last day to submit.

**June 7 (Wed, 5:00 p.m.)** Late application deadline for Spring Quarter degree conferral (<http://sites.stanford.edu/sa-registrar/students/graduation>) (\$50 fee).

**June 8 (Thu)** Day before finals, no classes.

**June 9-14 (Fri-Wed)** End-Quarter examinations.

**June 14 (Wed, noon)** Grades for GSB graduating students due.

**June 15 (Thu, noon)** Grades for graduating students due.

**June 16 (Fri)** Undergraduate housing move-out date (for all students not involved in Commencement); see Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**June 17 (Sat)** Senior Class Day.

**June 17 (Sat)** Baccalaureate Saturday.

**June 17 (Sat)** Law School Diploma Ceremony. See the full Stanford Law School academic calendar (<https://www.law.stanford.edu/calendar/all/all/Academic>).

**June 17 (Sat)** Medical School Commencement Ceremony

**June 18 (Sun)** Commencement. Conferral of degrees, Spring Quarter.

**June 19 (Mon)** Undergraduate Housing move-out date (for graduates and others involved in Commencement with permission); Residential & Dining Enterprises Calendar (<http://studenthousing.stanford.edu/calendar>).

**June 20 (Tue, 11:59 p.m.)** Grades for non-graduating students due.

## Summer Quarter 2016-17

**April 9 (Sun)** Access opens for course enrollment.

**June 16 (Fri)** At-status enrollment deadline in order to receive stipend or financial aid refund within the first week of term.

**June 26 (Mon)** First day of quarter; instruction begins.

**June 26 (Mon, 5:00 p.m.)** Preliminary Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/preliminary-study-list-deadline-courses-or-units>).

**June 26 (Mon)** Deadline to submit Leave of Absence for full refund (see undergraduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/undergraduatedegreesandprograms/#leavesand reinstatementtext>) and graduate leaves of absence (<http://exploreddegrees.stanford.edu/graduatedegrees/#leaver reinstatementtext>)). See Tuition and Refund Schedule 2015-16 (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/tuition-and-fees/tuition-refund-schedule-2015-16>) for a full refund schedule.

**July 4 (Tue)** Independence Day (holiday, no classes).

**July 7 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Final Study List deadline (<https://registrar.stanford.edu/students/enrolling-courses/final-study-list-deadline-add-drop-swap-or-adjust-courses-or-units>). Final day to add or drop a class; last day to adjust units on a variable-unit course. Last day for tuition reassessment for dropped courses or units. Students may withdraw from a course until the Course Withdrawal deadline and a "W" notation will appear on the transcript.

**July 28 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Term withdrawal deadline; last day to submit Leave of Absence to withdraw from the University with a partial refund.

**August 4 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Change of grading basis deadline.

**August 4 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Course withdrawal deadline.

**August 4 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Application deadline for Summer Quarter degree conferral (<http://registrar.stanford.edu/students/graduation>).

**August 12-17 (Sat-Thu)** End-Quarter Period.

**August 17 (Thu)** Last day of classes.

**August 17 (Thu)** Last opportunity to arrange Incomplete in a course, at last class.

**August 18-19 (Fri-Sat)** End-Quarter examinations.

**August 22 (Tue, 11:59 p.m.)** Grades due.

**September 1 (Fri, noon)** University thesis, D.M.A. final project, or Ph.D. dissertation, last day to submit.

**September 1 (Fri, 5:00 p.m.)** Late application deadline for Summer Quarter degree conferral (<http://registrar.stanford.edu/students/graduation>) (\$50 fee).

**September 28 (Thu)** Conferral of degrees, Summer Quarter.

## Academic Calendar 2017-18

First day of classes and last day of finals:

- *Autumn 2017-18:* September 25 and December 15
- *Winter 2017-18:* January 8 and March 23
- *Spring 2017-18:* April 2 and June 13 (Commencement June 17)
- *Summer 2017-18:* June 25 and August 18