GRADUATE SCHOOL CALENDAR 2009-2010

FALL SEMESTER 2009
International Student Orientation ................................................................. August 18
Orientation for New Teaching Assistants .............................................. August 19 (9 am –Noon)
Orientation for New Graduate Students ................................................ August 20 (9 am –11)
Registration ............................................................................................ August 24 – September 4
Classes Begin (3 p.m. start time) ............................................................... August 24
Deadline to file Application for Graduation Form (December 2009 Graduates) ................................................................................ September 4
Last Day to Add Classes ........................................................................... September 4
Last Day for Pass/No Credit or Letter Grade Option ................................ September 4
Labor Day Holiday .................................................................................. September 7
Last Day to Drop Classes with a refund without a “W” grade ................. September 18
Fall Student Break ................................................................................... October 9
Last Day for Pro-Rated Refund ............................................................... October 19
Last Day to Withdraw ............................................................................. October 30
Early Registration for Spring 2010 for continuing students ..................... October 30 - November 13
Deadline for Thesis/Dissertation Review by the Graduate School (December 2009 Graduates) ............................................. November 13
Thanksgiving Vacation ............................................................................. November 25-27
Classes Resume ....................................................................................... November 30
Deadline for Submission of Thesis/Dissertation to Dean (December 2009 Graduates) .................................................. December 4
Classes End ............................................................................................. December 11
Final Examination Period ........................................................................ December 14-18

SPRING SEMESTER 2010
Deadline to file Application for Graduation Form (May 2010 Graduates) ................................................................................ December 2, 2009
Deadline to file Petition to Participate in Commencement Ceremonies (May 2010 Graduates) ........ December 2, 2009
International Student Orientation ............................................................ January 7
New Student Registration ........................................................................ January 8
Classes Begin .......................................................................................... January 11
Registration Reopens ............................................................................ January 11
Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday ............................................................... January 18
Last Day to Add Classes ........................................................................... January 22
Last Day for Pass/No Credit or Letter Grade Option ................................ January 22
Last Day to Drop Classes with a refund without a “W” grade ................. February 8
President’s Day Holiday ........................................................................ February 15
Last Day for Pro-Rated Refund ............................................................... March 5
Spring Break .......................................................................................... March 8-12
Last Day to Withdraw ............................................................................. March 26
Student Travel Day ................................................................................ April 5
Classes Resume ....................................................................................... April 6
Early Registration for fall 2010 for continuing students ......................... April 14-28
Deadline for Thesis or Dissertation Review by the Graduate School (May 2010 Graduates) ......................... April 12
Deadline for Submission of Thesis or Dissertation to Dean (May 2010 Graduates) ............................................. May 3
Classes End ............................................................................................. May 4
Study Day ................................................................................................ May 5
Final Examination Period ...................................................................... May 6, 7, 10 - 12
Commencement Weekend ..................................................................... May 15

SUMMER SESSIONS 2010
Deadline to file Application for Graduation Form (August 2010 Graduates) ................................................................................ April 2
Summer Session I (five weeks) ................................................................. May 17-June 18
Summer Session II (five weeks) ............................................................... June 21-July 23
Summer Session III (four weeks) ............................................................ July 26-August 20
Deadline for Thesis or Dissertation Review by the Graduate School (August 2010 Graduates) ....................... July 2
Deadline for Submission of Thesis or Dissertation to Dean (August 2010 Graduates) ................................... July 16

These dates are tentative and subject to change
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