

**LAW SCHOOL CALENDAR
ACADEMIC YEAR 2017 - 2018**

AUGUST

17 – 18	Thursday & Friday	First – Year Orientation
21	Monday	Classes Begin
29	Tuesday	Last day to drop a class without a grade of “W” and to change from credit to audit

SEPTEMBER

4	Monday	Labor Day – No Classes
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OCTOBER

9	Monday	Last day to drop a class with a grade of “W”
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NOVEMBER

22 - 26	Wednesday – Sunday	Thanksgiving Holiday – No Classes
30	Thursday	Last Day of Classes

DECEMBER

1	Friday	Study Day
4	Monday	Examinations Begin
14	Thursday	Examinations End

JANUARY

15	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No Classes
16	Tuesday	Classes Begin
24	Wednesday	Last day to drop a class without a grade of “W” and to change from credit to audit

MARCH

6	Tuesday	Last day to drop a class with a grade of “W”
11 – 18	Sunday – Sunday	Spring Break – No Classes
30 – April 1	Friday – Sunday	Easter Holiday – No Classes

APRIL

26	Thursday	Last Day of Classes – No Classes beginning after 4:45 pm
27	Friday	Study Day
30	Monday	Exams Begin

MAY

10	Thursday	Examinations End
19	Saturday	Law School Hooding Ceremony
20	Sunday	Graduation

Approved 10/6/16

SELECTED RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCES

ACADEMIC YEAR 2017-2018

ALL JEWISH HOLIDAYS BEGIN AT SUNDOWN THE DAY BEFORE THE DATE LISTED

MAY	
27	Ramadan begins - Islamic
JUNE	
24	Eid al Fitr (Ramadan ends) – Islamic
JULY	
31	Feast of St. Ignatius – Catholic
AUGUST	
15	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Catholic
SEPTEMBER	
2	Eid al Adha – Islamic
21-22	Rosh Hashanah – Jewish
30	Yom Kippur - Jewish
OCTOBER	
1	Ashura – Islamic
5-6	Sukkoth – Jewish
18	Diwali (Deepavalia) begins – Hindu, Sikh
NOVEMBER	
1	All Saints' Day – Catholic
DECEMBER	
8	Immaculate Conception – Catholic
13 – 20	Hanukkah – Jewish
25	Christmas – Western Christian
JANUARY	
1	Mary, Mother of God – Catholic
6	Epiphany – Eastern Christian
FEBRUARY	
14	Ash Wednesday – Western Christian
27	Clean Monday – Eastern Christian
MARCH	
1	Purim – Jewish
25	Palm Sunday – Western Christian
30	Easter Triduum begins - Catholic
31	Passover begins - Jewish
APRIL	
1	Easter Triduum ends - Catholic
1	Easter Sunday – Western Christian/Catholic
7	Passover ends – Jewish
16	Easter – Eastern Christian
MAY	
10	Vesak – Buddhist

Unless otherwise noted on the Law School Academic Calendar, classes will be held on these dates. However, members of the Law School community are asked to pause and reflect before scheduling an event