Academic Calendar: 2023-2024

Academic Calendars

Fall 2023 - Campus Programs

Aug. 23	Classes begin (except HRD and MPA multi-modality)
Aug. 25	Last day for application for Language Examination, made at office of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, 303 St. Augustine Center
Aug. 29	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to [Refund policy](#).**
Sep. 1	Last day for application for comprehensive examination made at the office of the graduate program director
Sep. 4	Labor Day - No Classes
Sep. 9	Language Examination, 1 p.m.
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** – Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 9	Fall recess begins
Oct. 16	Classes resume after fall recess
Oct. 26	Registration Begins for Spring 2024 semester at 9:30 a.m.
Nov. 8	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to [Refund policy](#).**
Nov. 11	Recommended date for written comprehensive examination; hours and place determined by program.
Nov. 21	Thanksgiving Recess begins after last class
Nov. 27	Classes Resume
Dec. 1	Thesis/Dissertation due. **[Instructions for title and approval pages and upload to Proquest](#)**.
Dec. 11	Final Day of Classes
Dec. 13-19	Final Examinations (No exams on Sun. Dec. 17)
Jan. 2, 2024	Final Grades Due Fall 2023 Semester (12 p.m.)
Jan. 26, 2024	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
Feb. 9, 2024	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade (Fall 2023 semester). Grade change forms must be received by Registrar BEFORE 5 p.m.

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Spring 2024 - Campus Programs

Jan. 15	Martin Luther King Day (No Classes)
Jan. 16	Classes Begin
Jan. 20	Last day for application for comprehensive examination made at the office of the department chairperson
Jan. 20	Last day for application for Language Examination, made at office of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, 303 St. Augustine Center
Jan. 22	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds)**. Refer to [Refund policy](#).**
Jan. 31	**May Graduation Deadline** - Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Feb. 3	Language examination, 1 p.m.
Mar. 4	Semester Recess
Mar. 11	Classes Resume
Mar. 13	Registration begins for Summer 2024.
Mar. 16	Recommended date for written comprehensive examination; hours and place determined by program

Mar. 27	Easter Recess Begins after last class (Wednesday)
Apr. 2	Classes Resume
Apr. 3	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Apr. 8	Registration begins for Fall 2024 at 9:30 a.m.
Apr. 26	Thesis/Dissertation due. Instructions for title and approval pages and upload to Proquest.
May 2	Final Day of Classes
May 4-10	Final Examinations (No exams on Sun., May 5)
May 14	Final Grades Due Spring 2024 Semester (9 am)
May 17-18	Baccalaureate and Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade (Spring 2024 semester). Grade change forms must be received by Registrar BEFORE 5 p.m.

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Academic Calendar (Human Resource Development)

Fall I 2023 - Human Resource Development

Mar. 27	Registration begins, 9:30 a.m.
Aug. 28	Classes begin
Sep. 1	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Sep. 3	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Sep. 5	Withdrawal period begins *(75% Refund)*
Sep. 11	Last day for 75% refund *(No refunds after this date)*
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** – Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 8	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Oct. 22	Last day of classes
Oct. 25	Grades due at 12 p.m. *(Faculty)*
Oct. 26	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Nov. 11	Written Comprehensive Exam *(Recommended)*
Jan. 26, 2024	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
Feb. 9	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Fall II 2023- Human Resource Development

Mar. 27	Registration begins, 9:30 a.m.
Sep. 1	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** – Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 23	Classes begin
Oct. 26	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Oct. 29	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Oct. 30	Withdrawal period begins *(75% Refund)*
Nov. 6	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Nov. 11	Written Comprehensive Exam *(Recommended)*
Dec. 3	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to** Refund policy**.**
Dec. 17	Last day of classes
Dec. 20	Grades due at 12 p.m. *(Faculty)*

| Jan. 26, 2024 | Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade |
| Feb. 9, 2024 | Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m. |

Spring I 2024 - Human Resource Development

Oct. 26, 2023	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Jan. 20	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Jan. 22	Classes begin
Jan. 28	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Jan. 29	Withdrawal period begins *(75% refund)*
Jan. 31	**May Graduation Deadline** - Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Feb. 5	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
March 3	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to** Refund policy.
March 15	Written Comprehensive Exam *(Recommended)*
March 17	Last day of classes
March 20	Grades Due at 12 p.m. *(Faculty)*
May 17 - 18	Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Spring II 2024 - Human Resource Development

Oct. 26, 2023	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Jan. 20, 2024	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Jan. 31	**May Graduation Deadline** - Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Mar. 15	Written Comprehensive Exam *(Recommended)*
Mar. 18	Classes begin
Mar. 24	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
TBD	Fall Registration Begins at 9:30 am
Mar. 25	Withdrawal period begins *(75% Refund)*
Apr. 1	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Apr. 28	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to** Refund policy.
May 12	Last day of classes
May 15	Grades due at 9:00 a.m. *(Faculty)*
May 17 - 18	Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Academic Calendar (Public Administration)

Fall I 2023 (Public Administration - Online Courses)

| Mar. 27 | Registration begins, 9:30 a.m. |

Aug. 28	Classes begin
Sep. 1	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Sep. 3	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Sep. 4	Labor Day Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held that date)
Sep. 5	Withdraw period begins *(75% refund)*
Sep. 10	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** – Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 8	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
Oct. 22	Last day of classes
Oct. 25	Grades due at 12 p.m. *(Faculty)*
Oct. 26	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Nov. 11	Written Comprehensive Exam
Jan. 26, 2024	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
Feb. 9, 2024	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Fall II 2023 (Public Administration - Online Courses)

Mar. 27	Registration begins, 9:30 a.m.
Sep. 1	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** – Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 23	Classes begin
Oct. 26	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Oct. 29	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Oct. 30	Withdrawal period begins *(75% refund)*
Nov. 6	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Nov. 11	Written comprehensive exam
Nov. 21	Thanksgiving Break (*Begins after last class*)
Nov. 22	Thanksgiving Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held on this date)
Nov. 23	Thanksgiving Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held on this date)
Dec. 3	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
Dec. 17	Last day of classes
Dec. 20	Grades due at 12 p.m. *(Faculty)*
Jan. 26, 2024	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
Feb. 9, 2024	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Fall III 2023 (Public Administration - Campus Courses)

Mar. 27	Registration begins, 9:30 a.m.
Aug. 28	Classes begin
Sep. 1	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Sep. 3	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Sep. 4	Labor Day Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held on this date)
Sep. 11	Last day for 75% refund (No refund after this date)
Sep. 15	**December Graduation Deadline** - Last Day to apply in myNOVA portal for December graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Oct. 9	Fall recess begins

Oct. 16	Classes resume
Oct. 26	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Nov. 11	Written Comprehensive Exam
Nov. 17	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
Nov. 21	Thanksgiving Break *(Begins after last class)*
Nov. 22	Thanksgiving Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held on this date)
Nov. 23	Thanksgiving Holiday (Rescheduled class or instructional equivalent in lieu of class held on this date)
Nov. 27	Classes resume
Dec. 17	Final day of classes
Dec. 20	Final grades due at 12 p.m. for Fall 2023
Jan. 26, 2024	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete grade ("N") grade
Feb. 9, 2024	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Spring I 2024 (Public Administration - Online Courses)

Oct. 26, 2023	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Jan. 20, 2024	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Jan. 22	Classes begin
Jan. 28	Last day for changes in registration status (drop, add) **Refer to Refund policy**.
Jan. 29	Withdrawal period begins *(75% Refund)*
Jan. 31	**May Graduation Deadline** - Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Feb. 4	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Mar. 3	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
Mar. 15	Written Comprehensive Exam
Mar. 17	Last day of classes
Mar. 20	Grades due *(Faculty)*
May 17 - 18	Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Spring II 2024 (Public Administration - Online Courses)

Oct. 26, 2023	Registration begins for Spring 2024 at midnight (12:01 a.m.)
Jan. 20., 2024	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Jan. 31	**May Graduation Deadline** - Last day to apply in the myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Mar. 15	Written Comprehensive Exam
Mar. 18	Classes begin
Mar. 24	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Mar. 25	Withdrawal period begins *(75% refund)*
TBD	Fall Registration Begins at 9:30 am
Apr. 1	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Apr. 28	Last Day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
May 12	Last day of classes
May 15	Grades due at 9 a.m. *(Faculty)*
May 17 - 18	Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day for "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

Spring III 2024 (Public Administration - Campus Courses)

Jan. 20	Comprehensive examination applications due to the department
Jan. 22	Classes begin
Jan. 28	Last day for changes in registration status (drops, adds). **Refer to Refund policy.**
Jan. 31	**May graduation deadline** - Last day to apply in myNOVA portal for May graduation. Late fee applies **after** this date.
Feb. 5	Last day for 75% refund *(No refund after this date)*
Mar. 4	Semester recess
Mar. 11	Classes resume
Mar. 15	Written Comprehensive Exam
Mar. 27	Easter recess begins after last class
Apr. 2	Classes resume
TBD	Registration advising begins for Summer 2023 and Fall 2023 at 9:30am
Apr. 14	Last day for Authorized Withdrawal without Academic Penalty (WX). **Refer to Refund policy**.
May 12	Last day of classes
May 15	Grades due at 9 a.m. *(Faculty)*
May 17 - 18	Baccalaureate and Commencement
June 28	Last day for submission of work to remove incomplete ("N") grade
July 12	Last day of "N" grade conversion of final grade. Grade change forms must be submitted to registrar before 5 p.m.

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