

New York University
Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service
New York University
Calendar for Academic Year 2008-2009
 (All dates are inclusive)
Revised: February 5, 2009

2008

August	24-25	Sunday- Monday	New Student Orientation
	26-29	Tuesday-Friday	Preterm Courses
September	01	Monday	Labor Day: Holiday
	02	Tuesday	Opening of fall term.
	03	Wednesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the first calendar week (September 3-8). 100% tuition less nonrefundable service fees
	02	Tuesday	Last day to withdraw from October Doctoral Comprehensive Examinations
	08	Monday	Last day of registration for fall term without payment of \$25 late registration fee
	09	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the second calendar week of term (September 09-15). 70% tuition less nonrefundable service fees
	15	Monday	ALBERT initial registration ends
	16	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the third calendar week of term (September 16-22). 55% tuition less nonrefundable service fees
	22	Monday	ALBERT drop-add ends. All registration and program additions close
	23	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the fourth calendar week of term (September 23-29). 25% tuition less nonrefundable service fees. <u>No refund after fourth calendar week</u>

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October	01	Wednesday	Last day to file master's applications for admission with scholarship consideration for spring 2009 terms
	03	Friday	LAST DAY FOR TORCHTONE (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR JANUARY 2009 (Application period: June 9-October 3.)
	06	Monday	FIRST DAY FOR TORCHTONE (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR MAY 2009 (Application Period: October 6-January 30.)
	13-14	Monday/Tuesday	Fall Break: No classes scheduled.
	24	Friday	Midterm Grades Deadline
	27, 29, 31	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	Doctoral Comprehensive Examinations
November	15	Saturday	Last day for filing admissions applications for spring 2009 term
	17	Monday	ALBERT initial registration begins for spring 2009 term
	17	Monday	Application period begins for March 2009 Doctoral Comprehensive and Preliminary Qualifying Examinations (November 17-28.)
	26	Wednesday	Legislative Day (classes run on a <u>Monday</u> schedule.)
	27-29	Thursday-Saturday	Thanksgiving recess
	28	Friday	Last day to apply for March 2009 Doctoral Comprehensive and Preliminary Qualifying Examinations

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December	10	Wednesday	Last day for filing admissions applications to doctoral program for fall 2009 term
	11	Thursday	Last day of classes
	12	Friday	Reading Day
	15-19	Monday-Friday	Fall term examination period
	20	Saturday	Beginning of winter recess (December 20-January 17.)

2009

January	05	Friday	Fall Final Grades Deadline
	09	Friday	New Student Orientation
	12-16	Monday-Friday	Preterm Courses
	15	Thursday	Last day to file master's applications for admission with scholarship consideration for summer and fall 2009 terms
	19	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday: Holiday
	20	Tuesday	Opening of spring term.
	20	Tuesday	Last day to withdraw from March Doctoral Comprehensive and Preliminary Qualifying Examinations
	21	Wednesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the first calendar week of term (January 21-26). 100% tuition less nonrefundable service fees.
	26	Monday	Last day for registration for spring term without \$25 late registration fee

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January	27	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the second calendar week of term (January 27-February 2). 70% tuition less nonrefundable service fees
	30	Friday	<u>LAST DAY FOR TORCHTONE</u> (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR MAY 2009 (Application Period: October 6-January 30.)
February	02	Monday	<u>FIRST DAY FOR TORCHTONE</u> (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2009 (Application Period: February 2-June 5.)
	02	Monday	ALBERT initial registration ends
	03	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the third calendar week of term (February 3-9). 55% tuition less nonrefundable service fees
	09	Monday	ALBERT drop/add ends. All spring and program additions close. <u>Summer 2009 registration begins.</u>
	10	Tuesday	Refund schedule for courses dropped during the fourth calendar week of term (February 10-16). 25% tuition less nonrefundable service fees. <u>No refund after fourth calendar week</u>
	16	Monday	Presidents' Day: Holiday
March	02	Monday	Suggested deadline for filing federal financial aid applications (FAFSA) for 2009-2010
	13	Friday	Midterm Grades Deadline
	16-21	Monday-Saturday	Spring recess
	23	Monday	Classes resume

March	23, 25, 27	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	Doctoral Comprehensive Examinations
	27	Friday	Preliminary Qualifying Examination
	30	Monday	Last day to submit continuing student scholarship applications for summer 2009
April	15	Wednesday	Last day for filing admission application for summer 2009 term
	15	Wednesday	Last day to submit continuing student scholarship application for fall 2009
	20	Monday	ALBERT initial registration begins for fall 2009 term
May	04	Monday	Last day of classes
	05	Tuesday	Reading Day
	06-12	Wednesday-Tuesday	Spring term examination period
	07-21	Thursday-Thursday	Application period for October 2009 Doctoral Comprehensive Examinations (May 7-21)
	13	Wednesday	COMMENCEMENT: Conferring of Degrees
	15	Friday	CONVOCATION FOR WAGNER SCHOOL
	15	Friday	Spring Final Grades Deadline
	17	Sunday	All summer ALBERT registration and program additions close
18	Monday	Opening of eight-week summer session (May 18-July 10.)	

May	22	Tuesday	Last day for registration without payment of \$25 late registration fee
	25	Monday	Memorial Day: Holiday
June	01	Monday	Last day for filing admission applications for fall 2009 term
	05	Friday	LAST DAY FOR <u>TORCHTONE</u> (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2009 (Application Period February 2-June 5.)
	08	Monday	FIRST DAY FOR <u>TORCHTONE</u> (212-995-4747) GRADUATION APPLICATION FOR JANUARY 2010 (Application Period: June 8-October 2.)
July	03	Friday	Independence Day: Holiday Observed
	10	Friday	Summer Session ends
August	23-24	Sunday-Monday	New Student Orientation
	14	Friday	Summer Final Grades Deadline
September	01-03	Tuesday-Thursday	Preterm Courses
	07	Monday	Labor Day: Holiday

Candidates for all degrees observe these dates:

Last day to file for graduation through **TORCHTONE** or at the Registrar's Office, 25 West 4th Street, 1st Floor:

January 2009 degree	Friday, October 3, 2008
May 2009 degree	Friday, January 30, 2009
September 2009 degree	Friday, June 5, 2009

Candidates writing Master's theses observe these dates:

Last day for filing **approved** copies of master's theses, Academic Services, 295 Lafayette Street, Room 2209:

January 2009 degree	Friday, January 2, 2009
May 2009 degree	Friday, May 1, 2009
September 2009 degree	Friday, September 4, 2009

Candidates for the Ph.D. degree observe these dates:

Last day for filing **preliminary** copies of doctoral dissertations and abstracts, Academic Services, 295 Lafayette Street, Room 2209:

January 2009 degree	Friday, November 14, 2008
May 2009 degree	Friday, March 6, 2009
September 2009 degree	Friday, July 17, 2009

Foreign Language Examination Dates:

For Academic Year 2008-2009, doctoral students may take the foreign language examinations offered by the Graduate School of Arts & Science. Apply at the Graduate Enrollment Services Office, 1/2 Fifth Avenue (Telephone: 212-998-8056).