

**ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2008-2009**  
**(Deadlines appear in bold type)**  
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***FALL TERM 2008***

<b>Monday, Aug. 11</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit Fall term syllabi to Academic Program Coordinator</b>
<b>Monday, Aug. 18</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit course packets to Business Office for copying</b>
September 8 - 10	WWS student Orientation
Thursday, Sept. 11	Fall term classes and enrollment begins (faculty and advisors available for discussion)
	Session I begins (half term courses)
<b>Friday, Sept. 26</b>	<b>Deadline for enrollment &amp; P/D/F;CR/AUD;ADD/DROP changes in Sess. I courses</b>
	<b>Advisor Approved Course Worksheets due to GPO</b>
	Early Feedback Forms distributed for full-term courses
<b>Friday, Oct. 3</b>	<b>SCORE CLOSES TO WWS STUDENTS</b>
Wednesday, Oct. 15	Town Hall Meeting with Acting Dean McCarty, (to be confirmed)
October 20 - 24	Mid-term Examinations (Class is held if no mid-term is given)
Friday, Oct. 24	Session I half-term courses end
October 25 – Nov. 2	Fall Recess
Monday, Nov. 3	Classes resume; Session II half-term courses begin
<b>Monday, Nov. 10</b>	<b>Deadline for Sess. I faculty to submit grades &amp; evaluations</b>
	Masters Program Committee Meeting
<b>Friday, Nov. 14</b>	<b>Deadline for enrollment &amp; P/D/F;CR/AUD;ADD/DROP changes in Sess. II courses</b>
November 26 – 30	Thanksgiving Recess (begins after last class on Wednesday)
<b>Friday, Dec. 5</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit Spring term syllabi</b>
December TBA	WWS 501 Policy Simulation
December 12 - Jan. 4	Winter Recess (begins after last class)
January 5 - 13	Reading period
<b>Monday, January 12</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit Spring term course packets to Business Office</b>
<b>Tuesday, January 13</b>	<b>“Dean’s Date” Deadline for submission of all course materials</b>
January 14 - 24	WWS Final Examinations
January 21 - 22	(IPE) Integrated Policy Exercise for first-year MPAs
<b>Wed., Jan. 21 Midnight</b>	<b>Deadline for students to submit course evaluations</b>
<b>Wed., Jan. 21, NOON</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit final grades and student evaluations</b>
Jan. 24 – Feb. 2	Mid-year break

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***SPRING TERM 2009***

Monday, Feb. 2	Spring term classes and enrollment begins (faculty and advisors available to discuss course choices); Session I half-term courses begin
<b>Friday, Feb. 13</b>	<b>Deadline for enrollment &amp; P/D/F;CR/AUD;ADD/DROP changes in Sess. I courses</b> <b>Advisor Approved Course Worksheets due to GPO</b> Early Feedback Forms distributed for full-term courses
<b>Friday, Feb. 20</b>	<b>SCORE CLOSES TO WWS STUDENTS</b>
March 9 - 13	Mid-term examinations (Class is held if no mid-term is given)
Friday, March 13	Session I half-term courses end
March 14 - 22	Spring Recess
Monday, March 23	Classes resume; Session II half-term courses begin
<b>Monday, March 30</b>	<b>Deadline for Sess. I faculty to submit grades and student evaluations</b> Masters Program Committee Meeting
Late March – early April	Field Coordinators meet with field committee members to prepare QE2 field examinations; Field Coordinators meet or communicate with MPA2 students by mid-April to explain the structure of the examination; Inform the Graduate Program Office of the structure of the examination
<b>Friday, April 3</b>	<b>Deadline for enrollment &amp; P/D/F;CR/AUD;ADD/DROP changes in Sess. II courses</b>
<b>Monday, April 20</b>	<b>Deadline for submission of QE2 exams to the Graduate Program Office</b>
Friday, May 1	Last day of classes
May 4 - 12	Reading period
May 4 - 5	MPA2 Qualifying Examinations (QE2)
May 6 - 7	MPA1 Qualifying Examinations (QE1)
May 11 - 12	QE2 Orals (if necessary) Field Coordinators need to arrange and attend orals - if any are required
Tuesday, May 12	<b>“Dean’s Date” Deadline for submission of all course materials</b>
Wednesday, May 13	10:00 - Noon      QE1 Committee meeting 12:00 – 2:00      QE2 Committee meeting
May 13 - 20	WWS Final Examination period
<b>Wed., May 20, Midnight</b>	<b>Deadline for students to submit course evaluations</b>
<b>Wed., May 20, NOON</b>	<b>Deadline for faculty to submit final grades and student evaluations</b>
Monday, June 1	HOODING
Tuesday, June 2	COMMENCEMENT