2012-2013 Guelph-Humber Calendar

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Address for University Communication

Depending on the nature and timing of the communication, the University may use one of these addresses to communicate with students. Students are, therefore, responsible for checking all of the following on a regular basis:

Email Address

The University issued email address is considered an official means of communication with the student and will be used for correspondence from the University. Students are responsible for monitoring their University-issued email account regularly. See Section I--Statement of Students' Academic Responsibilities for more information.

Home Address

Students are responsible for maintaining a current mailing address with the University. Address changes can be made by completing a Notice of Change of Address form, from Registrarial Services.

Name Changes

The University of Guelph is committed to the integrity of its student records, therefore, each student is required to provide either on application for admission or on personal data forms required for registration, his/her complete, legal name. Any requests to change a name, by means of alteration, deletion, substitution or addition, must be accompanied by appropriate supporting documentation.

Student Confidentiality and Release of Student Information Policy Excerpt

The University undertakes to protect the privacy of each student and the confidentiality of his or her record. To this end the University shall refuse to disclose personal information to any person other than the individual to whom the information relates where disclosure would constitute an unjustified invasion of the personal privacy of that person or of any other individual. All members of the University community must respect the confidential nature of the student information which they acquire in the course of their work.

Complete policy at http://www.uoguelph.ca/policies.

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The dates for the 2012-2013 academic year are listed by semester below as follows:

Summer Semester 2012

Fall Semester 2012

Winter Semester 2013

Summer Semester 2012 (12 Week Format)

Monday, April 23

• Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration

Monday, May 7

- · Classes commence
- Deferred examinations for Winter 2012 courses commence

Tuesday, May 8

· Academic Review Committee meeting

Friday, May 11

- · Last day to add (S12) course(s)
- · Deferred examinations for Winter 2012 courses conclude

Monday, May 21

 Holiday--NO FULL-SEMESTER COURSES SCHEDULED--classes rescheduled to Monday, July 30

Monday, June 18

Convocation

Monday, July 2

 Holiday--NO COURSES SCHEDULED--classes rescheduled to Tuesday, July 31

Tuesday, July 3

• 40th class day -- Last day to drop full-semester (S12) course(s)

Monday, July 30

• Classes rescheduled from Monday, May 21 - Monday schedule in effect

Tuesday, July 31

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, July 2 Monday schedule in effect
- · Classes conclude

Friday, August 3

Final Examinations commence

Saturday, August 4

· Final Examinations scheduled

Monday, August 6

• Holiday -- NO EXAMS SCHEDULED

Friday, August 10

• Final Examinations conclude

Tuesday, August 21

· Academic Review Committee meeting

Summer Semester 2012- Session I - 6 week format

Monday, May 7

• Classes commence

Wednesday, May 9

Last day to add Summer Session I course(s)

Monday, May 21

 Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED -- Classes rescheduled to Monday, June 18

Monday, June 4

• Last day to drop Summer Session I course(s)

Wednesday, June 18

- Convocation
- Classes resscheduled from Monday, May 21 -- Monday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude Summer Session I

Wednesday, June 20

• Final examinations commence - Summer Session I

Saturday, June 23

· Final examinations scheduled

Tuesday, June 26

• Final examinations conclude

Summer Semester 2012 - Session II - 6 week format

Wednesday, June 27

Last Revision: March 20, 2014

· Classes commence

Friday, June 29

• Last day to add Summer Session II course(s)

Monday, July 2

 Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED - Classes rescheduled to Wednesday, August 8

Wednesday, July 25

• Last day to drop Summer Session II course(s)

Monday, August 6

 Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED – classes rescheduled to Thursday, August 9

Wednesday, August 8

• Classes rescheduled from Monday, July 2 -- Monday schedule in effect

Thursday, August 9

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, August 6 -- Monday schedule in effect
- · Classes conclude Summer Session II

Monday, August 13

• Final Examinations commence -- Summer Session II

Friday, August 23

• Final Examinations conclude

Wednesday, August 28

• Academic Review Committee meeting

Fall Semester 2012

Tuesday, August 21

• Academic Review Committee meeting

Monday, September 3

• Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Tuesday, September 4

Classes commence

Friday, September 7

• Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration

Monday, September 10

• Deferred examinations for Summer 2012 courses commence

Tuesday, September 11

· Academic Review Committee meeting

Friday, September 14

- Add period for F12 ends
- Deferred examinations for Summer 2012 courses conclude

Monday, October 8

 Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED -- Classes rescheduled to Monday, November 26

Tuesday, October 30

• 40th class day -- last day to drop (F12) course(s) without academic penalty

Thursday, November 1

• Fall 2012 Graduation - No Ceremony

Monday, November 26

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, October 8 -- Monday schedule in effect
- · Classes conclude

Friday, November 30

• Final Examinations commence

Saturday, December 1

Final Examinations scheduled

Saturday, December 8

• Final Examinations scheduled

Monday, December 10Final Examinations conclude

Thursday, December 13

• Academic Review Committee meeting Winter Semester 2013

Wednesday, January 2

• University re-opens

Monday, January 7

· Classes commence

Thursday, January 10

Academic Review Committee meeting

Friday, January 11

- Last day to add (W13) course(s)
- Last day to drop two-semester courses (F/W)

Monday, January 14

• Deferred examinations for Fall 2012 courses commence

Friday, January 18

• Deferred examinations for Fall 2012 courses conclude

Monday, February 18

- Winter Break (Reading Week) begins NO CLASSES SCHEDULED THIS WEEK
- Holiday

Friday, February 22

• Winter Break (Reading Week) ends

Monday, February 25

• Classes resume

Friday, March 8

• 40th class day -- Last day to drop (W13) course(s)

Friday, March 29

• Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Friday, April 5

• Classes conclude

Thursday, April 11

• Final Examinations commence

Saturday, April 13

• Final Examinations scheduled

Saturday, April 20

- Final Examination scheduled
- Final Examination conclude

Wednesday, April 24

• Academic Review Committee meeting