

2015-2016 Guelph-Humber Calendar

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Introduction

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Personal information is collected under the authority of the University of Guelph Act (1964), and in accordance with Ontario's Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) <http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/index.html>. This information is used by University officials in order to carry out their authorized academic and administrative responsibilities and also to establish a relationship for alumni and development purposes. Certain personal information is disclosed to external agencies, including the Ontario Universities Application Centre, the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities, and Statistics Canada, for statistical and planning purposes, and is disclosed to other individuals or organizations in accordance with the Office of Registrarial Services Departmental Policy on the Release of Student Information. For details on the use and disclosure of this information call the Office of Registrarial Services at the University at (519) 824-4120 or see <http://www.uoguelph.ca/registrar/registrar/index.cfm?index>.

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For further information, please see Statistics Canada's web site at <http://www.statcan.ca>.

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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III. Schedule of Dates

The dates for the 2015-2016 academic year are listed by semester below as follows:

Summer Semester 2015

Fall Semester 2015

Winter Semester 2016

Summer Semester 2015 (12 Week Format)

Monday, May 4

- Classes commence
- Deferred examinations for Winter 2015 courses commence

Friday, May 8

- Deferred examinations for Winter 2015 courses conclude

Tuesday, May 12

- Last day to add Summer 2015 courses

Monday, May 18

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED--Classes rescheduled to Monday, July 27

Monday, June 15

- Convocation

Monday, June 29

- 40th class day -- Last day to drop full-semester Summer 2015 courses

Wednesday, July 1

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED--Classes rescheduled to Tuesday, July 28

Monday, July 27

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, May 18 - Monday schedule in effect

Tuesday, July 28

- Classes rescheduled from Wednesday, July 1 - Wednesday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude

Friday, July 31

- Final Examinations commence

Saturday, August 1

- Examinations scheduled

Monday, August 3

- Holiday -- NO EXAMS SCHEDULED, NO EXAMS SCHEDULED

Saturday, August 8

- Final Examinations scheduled

Mondayday, August 10

- Final Examinations conclude

Summer Semester 2015- Session I - 6 week format

Monday, May 4

- Classes commence

Wednesday, May 6

- Last day to add Summer Session I courses

Monday, May 18

- Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED -- Classes rescheduled to Monday, June 15

Monday, June 1

- Last day to drop Summer Session I courses

Monday, June 15

- Convocation
- Classes rescheduled from Monday, May 18 -- Monday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude Summer Session I

Thursday, June 18

- Final examinations commence - Summer Session I

Saturday, June 20

- Final examinations scheduled

Friday, June 26

- Final examinations conclude

Summer Semester 2015 - Session II - 6 week format

Monday, June 29

- Classes commence

Wednesday, July 1

- Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Thursday, July 2

- Last day to add Summer Session II courses

Monday, July 27

- Last day to drop Summer Session II courses

Monday, August 3

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED--Classes rescheduled to Wednesday, August 11

Tuesday, August 11

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, August 3 - Monday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude Summer Session II

Friday, August 14

- Final Examinations commence -- Summer Session II

Saturday, August 15

- Examinations scheduled

Friday, August 21

- Final Examinations conclude

Fall Semester 2015

Monday, September 7

- Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Thursday, September 10

- Classes commence
- Fall 2015 Convocation Application opens

Monday, September 14

- Deferred examinations for Summer 2015 courses commence

Friday, September 18

- Last day to add Fall 2015 courses
- Deferred examinations for Summer 2015 courses conclude

Friday, October 2

- Last day for applications to graduate at Fall 2015 Convocation without application late fee

Monday, October 12

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Friday, October 16

- Last day for applications to graduate at Fall 2015 Convocation

Friday, October 30

- Fall 2015 Graduation - No Ceremony

Thursday, November 5

- 40th class day -- last day to drop Fall 2015 courses without academic penalty

Wednesday, December 2

- Classes conclude

Saturday, December 5

- Final Examinations commence

Saturday, December 12

- Final Examinations scheduled

Wednesday, December 16

- Final Examinations conclude

Winter Semester 2016

Monday, January 11

- Classes commence
- Summer 2016 Convocation Application opens

Friday, January 15

- Last day to add Winter 2016 courses
- Last day to drop two-semester courses (F/W)

Monday, January 18

- Deferred examinations for Fall 2015 courses commence

Friday, January 22

- Deferred examinations for Fall 2015 courses conclude

Monday, February 15

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

Friday, February 19

- Winter Break (Reading Week) ends

Monday, February 22

- Classes resume

Friday, March 4

- Last day for applications to graduate at Summer 2016 Convocation without application late fee

Friday, March 11

- 40th class day -- Last day to drop Winter 2016 courses without academic penalty

Friday, March 18

- Last day to apply to graduate at Summer 2016 Convocation

Friday, March 25

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED

Friday, April 8

- Classes conclude

Monday, April 11

- Final Examinations commence

Saturday, April 16

- Final Examinations scheduled

Thursday, April 21

- Final Examination conclude