

**Forecast Calendar – Graduate Student
Graduate Schedule
Academic Year: 2009-2010**

Highlight code:

Blue: Graduate Assistants' attendance required.

**Note: events and dates are subject to change.*

Fall 2009

AUGUST

August 27	Thursday	Graduate Assistant Orientation & Lunch
August 28	Friday	Graduate Assistants set-up office space & begin work
August 29	Saturday	New Graduate Student Orientation Location: Theological Studies Village Time: 10:00 – 11:00 AM
August 31	Monday	Classes begin

SEPTEMBER

September 3	Thursday	Comprehensive Exam Seminar I at 5:30 p.m.- 6:30 p.m. *Mandatory for all taking Comps in Fall '09; others are welcome to attend this informative session. To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
September 4	Friday	Last day to file application for a December 31 degree
September 4	Friday	Last day to add or drop a class without a grade of "w"
September 4	Friday	Last day to withdraw from the semester for a 100% tuition refund.
September 7	Monday	Holiday: Labor Day

- September 10 Thursday **Thesis Seminar Session I** at 4:30 PM
 *Mandatory session for all thesis students registered in THST 693; others are welcome to attend this informative session.
 To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
- September 10 Thursday **Pastoral Synthesis Project Seminar I** at 6:00 PM
 *Mandatory for all PSP students; others are welcome to attend this informative session.
 To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
- September 10 Thursday Last day to withdraw from the semester for a 90% tuition refund.
- September 16 Wednesday **Panel on the National Symposium on Hispanic Ministry**
 Location: Theological Studies Village
 Time: 4:30 – 7:00 PM
 Refreshments will be served.
- September 17 Thursday Last day to withdraw from the semester for a 70% tuition refund.
- September 21 Monday Comprehensive Exam 4 Item Requirements due
- September 22 Tuesday **Graduate Open House (for Prospective Students)**
 Time: 4:30 PM
 Location: Jen Scott's Office
- September 24 Thursday **Comprehensive Exam Seminar II** at 6:00 PM
 *Mandatory for all taking Comps in Fall '09; others are welcome to attend this informative session.
 To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
- September 25 Friday Last day to withdraw from the semester for a 50% tuition refund.

OCTOBER

- October 1 Thursday **Thesis Seminar Session II** at 4:30 PM
*Mandatory session for all thesis students registered in THST 693; others are welcome to attend this informative session.
To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
- October 1 Thursday **Pastoral Synthesis Project Seminar II** at 5:30 PM
*Mandatory for all PSP students; others are welcome to attend this informative session.
To be held in the Conference Room, U-Hall 3786
- October 2 Friday Comprehensive Exam Board will approve the four items by this date for students enrolled in Fall '09 Comp Exam
- October 9 Friday **Graduate Theological Studies Student Retreat**
(4 p.m. - 9 p.m.)
Location: Holy Spirit Retreat Center in Encino
Director: Wil Hernandez
- October 15 Thursday Last day to submit mid-term deficiency grades
- October 16 Friday No classes-Autumn Day
- October 19 Monday **Graduate Open House (for Prospective Students)**

Time: 4:30 PM
Location: Jen Scott's Office
- October 23 Friday Last day to withdraw from the semester for a 25% tuition refund (no refunds after this date)
- Oct 25-Nov 1 Sun-Sun Bellarmine Forum
- October 26 Monday **Bellarmino Forum** - Alumni & Current Student Wine & Cheese Event (Preceding Lecture)
Location: Theological Studies Village
Time: 6:00 – 7:00 PM
- October 27 Tuesday **Graduate Fair:** 12-2 PM (recruitment & booth display)

October 27 Tuesday **Boston College:** Doctoral programs information session
Location: Theological Studies Village
Time: 3 PM

October 30 Friday Department Grant Applications deadline
for Spring and Summer Sessions I & II

NOVEMBER

November 5 Thursday Comprehensive Exam questions distributed to students
at 9:00 a.m.

November 6 Friday Last day to withdraw from a class or apply for
Credit/No Credit grading

November 9 Monday Comprehensive Exam responses due by 3 p.m.

November 11 Wednesday **Graduate Open House (for Prospective Students)**
Time: 3:00 PM
Location: Jen Scott's Office

November 16 Monday Registration begins!
For Spring and Summer I & II Sessions 2010

November 18 Wednesday **Graduate Theology Fall Gathering** 6:30 – 7:30 PM
*Graduate Theological Studies Student Life Community
event*

November 20 Friday Last day for Fall '09 Oral Comprehensive Exam

November 25-27 Wed – Fri Thanksgiving Holiday

November 30 Monday Financial Clearance due to the Controller
for Spring 2010 Semester

DECEMBER

December 7	Monday	TAK Application & Letter deadline for Theta Alpha Kappa Induction Ceremony
December 10	Thursday	Oral Comprehensive Exam
December 11	Friday	Last day of classes
December 14-18	Monday – Friday	Final Examinations
December 23	Wednesday	Last day for instructors to submit final grades

Spring 2010

**Note Student Account tuition refund deadlines are not available at this time (7/15/09).*

JANUARY

January 18	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (during Winter Break)
January 19	Tuesday	Spring Classes begin
January 25	Monday	Last day to file application to participate in May Graduation Commencement Ceremony
January 25	Monday	Last day to add or drop a class without a grade of “w”
January 27	Wednesday	Graduate Open House (for Prospective Students) Time: 3:00 PM Location: Jen Scott’s Office

FEBRUARY

February 8	Monday	Comprehensive Exam 4 Requirements due
February 17	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday
February 19	Friday	Comprehensive Exam Board will approve the Four Items by this date for students enrolled in Spring '10 Comp Exam
February 24	Wednesday	Graduate Theology Spring Gathering 6:30 – 7:30 PM <i>Graduate Theological Studies Student Life Community event</i>

MARCH

March 1	Monday	Deadline for Fall '10 Applications (Prospective Students)
March 5	Thursday	Last day to submit mid-term deficiency grades
March 18–21	Thurs-Sun	RE Congress (Anaheim Convention Center)
March 25	Thursday	Comprehensive Exam questions distributed to students at 9:00 a.m.
March 26	Friday	Last day to withdraw from classes or apply for credit/No credit grading
March 29	Monday	Comprehensive Exam responses due by 3 p.m.
Mar 29-Apr 2	Mon - Fri	Spring Break
March 31	Wednesday	Cesar Chavez Day (during Spring Break)

APRIL

April 1	Thursday	Holy Thursday (during Spring Break)
April 2	Friday	Good Friday (during Spring Break)
April 12	Monday	Fall Registration begins
April 16	Friday	Last day for Oral Comprehensive Exam
April 29	Thursday	Spring Graduate Dinner (McIntosh Center)
April 30	Friday	Deadline: Department Grant Applications for Fall 2010

MAY

**Note: Student Accounts Financial Clearance deadline for Summer Session I is not available at this time (7/15/09).*

May 3-7	Mon-Fri	Final Examinations
May 9	Sunday	Graduate Commencement
May 12	Wednesday	Last day for instructors to submit final grades

Summer 2010

Session I

**Note: Student Accounts Financial Clearance deadline and the last day to add/drop for Summer Session I - not available at this time (7/15/09).*

May 17	Monday	Classes begin
May 31	Monday	No classes: Memorial Day
June 24	Thursday	Graduate Open House (for Prospective Students) Time: 3:00 PM Location: Jen Scott's Office
June 25	Friday	Summer I classes end
June 30	Wednesday	Last day for instructors to submit Summer I final grades

Session II

**Note: Student Accounts Financial Clearance deadline and the last day to add/drop for Summer Session II - not available at this time (7/15/09).*

June 28	Monday	Summer II classes begin
July 5	Monday	No classes: Independence Day
August 6	Friday	Summer II classes end
August 11	Wednesday	Last day for instructors to submit Summer I final grades

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Events & Deadlines not yet on calendar:

1st Annual Alumni Association: wine & cheese or dinner

Comprehensive Exam, PSP & Thesis Seminar dates for Spring

Graduate Colloquia Roberto Dell 'Oro (Fall and Spring)

Graduate Student Life Community Events:

- *Theology Film Series* (Fall and Spring)
- Colloquia led by *Graduate Theological Studies Student Life Community* (Fall and Spring)
- Reflections led by *Graduate Theological Studies Student Life Community* (Fall and Spring)

Say Something Theological *Four* -Graduate Conference & Theta Alpha

Kappa Induction Location: Theological Studies Village

Serving: Breakfast, Lunch, Wine & Cheese (for Induction Ceremony)

- **Paper Proposal Deadline**
- **Committee Response to Paper Proposals**
- **Event date:** Saturday, April ?

**Note: We are not having a Fall Graduate Dinner*