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## FALL SEMESTER 2016

April 1	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Registration begins for Fall 2016 Full, Short I, and Short II sessions
April 1	Final deadline for EdD Educational Leadership applicants for Fall 2016 admission
April 1	Priority deadline for freshman students to apply for Fall 2016 admission
April 1	Final deadline for undergraduate students to apply for Summer 2016 admission
May 1	Final deadline for freshman students to apply for Fall 2016 admission
June 1	Final deadline for international graduate students to apply for Fall 2016 admission
July 1	Final deadline MEd Higher Education Administration applicants for Fall 2016 admission
July 1	Final deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Fall 2016 admission, unless otherwise specified by the program
July 31	Final deadline for WebMBA (Web Master Business Administration) applicants for Fall 2016 admission
August 1	Final deadline for transfer, transient, post-baccalaureate, MOWR, and mature students to apply for Fall 2016 admission
August 4	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 1:00 p.m.
August 4-5	New Faculty Orientation
August 8	Academic Year begins
August 10	Employee Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) registration for Fall 2016, via the web beginning at 8:30 a.m.
August 10	University Fall Convocation (for Faculty and Staff)
August 10	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 2:00 p.m.
August 12	Operation Move-In at the RAC, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. in the residence halls
August 12	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Final deadline for applicants for Fall 2016 admission
August 13	New Student Orientation and Registration for Undergraduate Students, Russell Union, 8:00 a.m. – NOTE: Enrolled and former students should refer to WINGS ( <a href="http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/resources/registrationtimes/">http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/resources/registrationtimes/</a> ) for specific registration times.
August 14	Conversations with Professors for all new first-year students, 3:30-4:45 p.m.
August 15	Fee payment deadline for Fall 2016, (First Day of University Classes)
August 15	Classes Begin, Attendance Verification must be completed on the first class meeting day
August 15	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology) Full and Short I sessions, Classes Begin
August 15	Faculty may begin entering early alerts for freshmen (due September 30)
August 15	Final date for graduate students to apply for Fall 2016 graduation
August 15	MBA, Ten week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Classes Begin, Attendance Verification must be completed on the first class meeting day
August 15	WebMBA (Web Master Business Administration), classes begin, Fall 2016, fee payment deadline
August 15-17	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Full and Short I sessions, Late Registration/Add period
August 15-18	Drop/Add, Fall Semester
August 15-18	MBA, Ten week session, Drop/Add, Coastal Georgia Center
August 15-19	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Full and Short I sessions, Drop period
August 16	\$75 Late fee in effect for graduate students who missed the August 15 deadline to apply for Fall 2016 Graduation
August 18-24	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Attendance Verification must be completed for Full and Short I sessions
August 19	\$100 Late Registration Fee begins
September 5	Labor Day Holiday – Administrative offices closed – No classes
September 9	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, Short I session

September 16-17	Fall Family Weekend
September 20	MBA, ten-week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Last day to withdraw without academic penalty; See the Policy for Limiting Individual Course Withdrawals for additional information ( <a href="http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/">http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/</a> )
September 30	Last day to submit required early alerts for freshmen
October 5	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Classes end for Short I session
October 5	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, Full session
October 7	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Final Exams for Short I session
October 10	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty; See the Policy for Limiting Individual Course Withdrawals for additional information ( <a href="http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/">http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/</a> )
October 10	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Classes begin, Short II session
October 10-12	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE) WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Late Registration/Add period for Short II session
October 10-14	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Drop period for Short II Session
October 13-19	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Attendance Verification must be completed for Short II session
October 19	MBA, Ten week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Last day of classes
October 20-21	MBA, Ten week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Final Exams
October 24	MBA, Five week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Classes begin; Attendance Verification must be completed on August 15
October 24-26	MBA, Five week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Drop/Add
October 28	Final date for undergraduate students to apply for Fall 2016 graduation
October 31	Early Registration for Spring 2017 and Summer 2017 begins (Students should view WINGS for individual date and time)
November 1	Final deadline for international graduate students to apply for Spring 2017 admission
November 1	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Early Registration, for Spring 2017 Full, Short I, and Short II sessions
November 1	Deadline for submission and acceptance of \$75 Late Graduation Application Fee for Fall 2016 graduation for graduate students
November 3	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Last day to withdraw without academic penalty for Short II session
November 9	MBA, Five-week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Last day to withdraw without academic penalty; See the Policy for Limiting Individual Course Withdrawals for additional information ( <a href="http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/">http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/students/withdrawal/</a> )
November 10	Homecoming, Homecoming Parade at 4:00 p.m. - classes will not be cancelled
November 11	Final date to hold terminal or comprehensive examination, theses and dissertation defenses
November 11	WebMBA (Web Master Business Administration), last day of classes
November 12-15	WebMBA (Web Master Business Administration), Final Exams
November 15	Final deadline MEd Higher Education Administration applicants for Spring 2017 admission
November 15	Final deadline for University System of Georgia full-time employees to apply for the Employee Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) for Spring 2017
November 15	Final deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Spring 2017 admission
November 18	Deadline to submit electronic theses and dissertations to College of Graduate Studies for final format review
November 21-25	Thanksgiving Holidays for students, Residence halls open – Administrative offices open November 21-23, closed November 24-25 for Thanksgiving Holidays
November 30	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Classes end for Full session
December 1	Final Deadline for Undergraduate Students to apply for Spring 2017 admission

December 1	Final deadline for WebMBA (Web Master Business Administration) applicants for Spring 2017
December 1-3	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Final Exams for Full session
December 2	Last day of classes
December 2	MBA, Five week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Last day of classes
December 2	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Classes end for Short II session
December 5-7	MBA, Five week session, Coastal Georgia Center, Final Exams
December 5-8	Final exams
December 6	ECORE, GOML (Georgia ONmyLINE), WebBSIT (Web Bachelor of Science Information Technology), Final Exams for Short II session
December 9	Deadline to submit final verified (approved) electronic theses or dissertations to College of Graduate Studies
December 9	Residence halls close at 12:00 noon (with the exception of students living in Centennial Place, University Villas and Freedom's Landing)
December 9	Commencement for Graduate and Undergraduate students at Paulson Stadium, 1:00 p.m.
December 10	Residence halls close at 12:00 noon for students participating in Commencement activities (permission required)
December 10	Winter Break for students begins
December 14	Employee Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) registration for Spring 2017, via the web beginning at 8:30 a.m.
Dec 26-Jan 2	Winter Break – Administrative offices closed

***Note:** Though the University will try to adhere to dates published here, it may become necessary to make changes to the published calendar. The Office of the Registrar will maintain updates to the calendar and any updates may be viewed on our web site, <http://em.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar/resources/calendars>.*