**Spring 2020 Graduate School Calendar**

Note: The Graduate School reserves the right to make any necessary changes in the academic calendar.

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| Thursday, January 9 | New Graduate Student Orientation, UC Annex, 4 p.m. |
| **Monday, January 13** | **Spring Semester Classes Begin** |
| **Monday, January 20** | **MLK Jr. Day (University Closed)** |
| Friday, February 7 | Last day to withdraw from first 8-week session courses – [form](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/forms-resources)or [online](https://uncp.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_509OHFJBrhBGNWR) |
| Wednesday, February 12 | Deadline for RDS Residency Decision Effective Date |
| Monday, March 2 | Summer/Fall 2020 [Graduation Application](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/forms-resources) Due |
| Friday, March 6 | Last day of 1st 8-week session |
| Monday-Friday, March 9-13 | Spring break (no classes) |
| Monday, March 16 | 2nd 8-week session courses begin |
| Monday-Tuesday, March 16-17 | Grad Finale |
| Wednesday, March 18 | Last day to add/drop 2nd 8-week session courses |
| Monday-Friday, March 23-27 | Advising Week |
| Monday, March 30 | [Registration](https://braveweb.uncp.edu/) begins for currently enrolled graduate students |
| Monday, April 6 | [Graduate Research Symposium](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/professional-development/graduate-research-symposium), UC Annex, 5:30 p.m. |
| Friday, April 10 | Good Friday Holiday (University closed) |
| Friday, April 17 | Last day to withdraw from 15-week graduate courses – [form](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/forms-resources)or [online](https://uncp.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_509OHFJBrhBGNWR)  Last day to withdraw from 2nd session 8-week courses – [form](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/forms-resources)or [online](https://uncp.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_509OHFJBrhBGNWR) |
| Thursday, April 30 | Last day of classes |
| Monday-Friday, May 4-8 | Final Exams |
| Friday, May 8 | [Commencement](https://www.uncp.edu/academics/colleges-schools/graduate-school/graduate-students/graduate-school-commencement) for the Graduate School – 7:00 p.m. in GPAC (door closes at 6:45 p.m. for guests). Graduates line up at 6:00 p.m. in Auxiliary Gym |

**Graduate Students in the Accelerated MBA program will have different registration, drop/add and withdrawal dates. Please see The MBA Accelerated Online Program Calendar (above).**