South Carolina State University

ACADEMIC CALENDAR – SPRING  2015

Oct 6  – Oct 17  MONDAY-FRIDAY-Advisement, PIN and Registration for Spring 2015

January 1  THURSDAY – Holiday – New Year’s Day

January 6  TUESDAY - The deadline to pay all fees and Validate Enrollment by 1 pm.

January 6  TUESDAY – Class Schedules, Housing and Meal Plans dropped for nonpayment and Validation of Enrollment by 5 pm

January 6  TUESDAY – Faculty Institute

January 7  WEDNESDAY-General Assembly for Faculty and Staff – MLK

January 8  THURSDAY -New Students – Move-in – 9 am – 5pm

January 8-10 THURSDAY-SATURDAY - New Students - Orientation

January 9  FRIDAY – Returning Students – Move-in – 9am-5pm

January 12 MONDAY – Late Registration for all students Late Fee of $200 is charged

January 12 MONDAY-Classes begin. Drop/Add begins

January 16 MONDAY—Holiday-Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. No classes

January 20  TUESDAY – Late Registration and drop/add ends

Jan 20-Feb. 27 TUESDAY – FRIDAY – Regular Period to File for graduation - July 2015 and December 2015

Jan.21-Feb.11 WEDNESDAY-WEDNESDAY- A grade of “W” is awarded for withdrawal from courses. Tuition charges are incurred during this period

January 30  FRIDAY- Last day for all applicants to apply LATE for May 2015 Commencement Convocation (Aug. 26–Sept. 23 was the filing period for May 2015 graduates)

Feb.12- Mar. 19 THURSDAY – THURSDAY - A grade of WP” or “WF” will be awarded if withdrawn during this period

February 14 SATURDAY—Eng. Prof Exam – Graduate Students

February 20 FRIDAY – Last day to submit grade changes for Fall 2014

March 2  MONDAY- Late graduation fee begins for all July 2015 and December 2015 applicants

March 2-6 MONDAY-FRIDAY – The period to clear students for May 2015 graduation

March 4-7 WEDNESDAY-SATURDAY--Mid-Term Exams

March 8-15 SUNDAY- SUNDAY— SPRING VACATION begins after classes (STUDENTS ONLY)

March 16 MONDAY –Classes Resume

March 16 MONDAY—Mid-Term Grades posted by faculty via the Web

March 17-31 TUESDAY-TUESDAY Early Advisement, PIN and Registration begin for Summer and Fall 2015

March 20 FRIDAY—A grade of “WF” will be awarded if withdrawn after this date

March 20-22 FRIDAY-SUNDAY-Founders’ -Weekend

March 21 SATURDAY—English Proficiency Examination – Undergraduates

March 21 SATURDAY – Professional Comprehensive Exam for Graduate Students

April 3 FRIDAY – NO CLASSES – STUDENT RECESS

April 4 SATURDAY–Subject-Matter-Comprehensive Exam for Graduate Students

April 7 TUESDAY – Honors and Awards Convocation

April 6-30 MONDAY–THURSDAY-Student Evaluation of Instructors

April 27 MONDAY-Classes End

April 28 –April 30 TUESDAY-THURSDAY – Final Exam Period for Graduating Seniors

April 28-May 4 TUESDAY– MONDAY–Final Examination Period for All Students

April 30 Last date to apply for July 2015 graduation

May 1 FRIDAY-Faculty post final grades for graduating students by 3 pm

May 4 MONDAY - End of Term

May 8 FRIDAY -Commencement Convocation

May 9 SATURDAY – All Resident Halls Close at 1 pm

May 11 MONDAY – Faculty post final grades by noon

July 31 FRIDAY - Last date to apply for Dec 2015 graduation

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