



2015-2016 Academic Calendar

Date	Announcement
Monday, August 3, 2015	Last Day to submit an Undergraduate Application for Candidacy for February Graduation.
2015 Fall Semester	
Monday, August 31, 2015	First Day of Classes – 2015 Fall. Last Day for 100% Refund.
Monday, September 7, 2015	Labor Day – No Classes; Offices Closed.
Wednesday, September 9, 2015	Convocation – 1:30pm in the Canavan Arena.
Sunday, September 13, 2015- Tuesday, September 15, 2015	Rosh Hashanah (Starts at sundown the evening of ... ends at sundown of the evening of).
Monday, September 14, 2015	Last Day to Add/Drop. Last Day for 90% Refund. W will be entered on the record for all withdrawals after this date. All students require instructor permission to add after this date. Undergraduates require the signature of the Dean of Undergraduate Academics to add or drop after this date.
Tuesday, September 22, 2015- Wednesday, September 23, 2015	Yom Kippur (Starts at sundown the evening of ... ends at sundown of the evening of).
Monday, September 28, 2015	Last Day for 50% Refund.
Wednesday, October 1, 2015	Last Day to submit an Undergraduate Application for Candidacy for May Graduation. Last Day to submit a Graduate Application for Candidacy for February Graduation.
Monday, October 12, 2015	Fall Recess – No Classes.
Tuesday, October 13, 2015	Monday Class Schedule. Midpoint of the semester. Last day for Undergraduates to opt for Pass/Fail grade in applicable courses. Last Day for 25% Refund.
Monday, October 26, 2015	Graduate Registration for 2016 Spring begins.
Monday, November 2, 2015	Undergraduate Registration for 2016 Winter Intersession and 2016 Spring begins.



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Tuesday, November 10, 2015	Last Day for Undergraduates to Withdraw from a course without the Instructor's signature; Dean of Undergraduate Academics' signature required. Last day for Graduates to Withdraw from a course without Instructor's, Advisor's and Dean of Graduate Academics' signatures.
Tuesday, November 24, 2015	Last Day to Schedule a Ph.D. Defense.
Wednesday, November 25, 2015- Sunday, November 29, 2015	Thanksgiving Recess – No Classes; Offices Closed.
Friday, December 4, 2015	Last Day to Withdraw from a course.
Friday, December 11, 2015	Last Day of Classes – 2015 Fall. Last Day to submit an Incomplete (INC) Petition. Graduate Students: Last Day to defend and submit a Thesis/Dissertation to the Library.
Saturday, December 12, 2015- Tuesday, December 22, 2015	Final Exam and Review Period.
Wednesday, December 23, 2015- Friday, January 1, 2016	Winter Recess – No Classes; Offices Closed.
2016 Winter Intersession	
Monday, January 4, 2016- Saturday January 16, 2016	2016 Winter Intersession.
Monday, January 18, 2016	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No Classes; Offices Closed.
2016 Spring Semester	
Tuesday, January 19, 2016	First Day of Classes – 2016 Spring. Last Day for 100% Refund.
Monday, February 1, 2016	Last Day to Add/Drop. Last Day for 90% Refund. W will be entered on the record for all withdrawals after this date. All students require instructor permission to add after this date. Undergraduates require the signature of the Dean of Undergraduate Academics to add or drop after this date.
Wednesday, February 3, 2016	February 2016 Graduation. (Commencement Ceremony is May 25, 2016)
Monday, February 15, 2016	Presidents' Day – No Classes; Offices Closed.



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Tuesday, February 16, 2016	<p>Monday Class Schedule. Last Day for 50% Refund. Last Day to submit a Graduate Application for Candidacy for May Graduation.</p>
Tuesday, March 8, 2016	<p>Midpoint of the semester. Last day for Undergraduates to opt for Pass/Fail grade in applicable courses. Last Day for 25% Refund.</p>
Sunday, March 20, 2016 - Sunday, March 27, 2016	Spring Break – No Classes; Offices Open.
Friday, March 25, 2016	Good Friday – No Classes; Offices Open.
Sunday, March 27, 2016	Easter
Monday, March 28, 2016	Graduate Registration for 2016 Summer and Fall begins.
Monday, April 4, 2016	Undergraduate Registration for 2016 Summer and Fall begins.
Tuesday, April 5, 2016	<p>Last Day for Undergraduates to Withdraw from a course without the Instructor's signature; Dean of Undergraduate Academics' signature required. Last day for Graduates to Withdraw from a course without Instructor's, Advisor's and Dean of Graduate Academics' signatures.</p>
Tuesday, April 19, 2016	Last Day to Schedule a Ph.D. Defense.
Friday, April 22, 2016- Saturday, April 30, 2016	Passover (Starts at sundown the evening of ... ends at sundown of the evening of).
Tuesday, April 26, 2016	Last Day to Withdraw from a course.
Tuesday, May 3, 2016	<p>Last Day of Classes – 2016 Spring. Last Day to submit an Incomplete (INC) Petition. Graduate Students: Last Day to defend and submit a Thesis/Dissertation to the Library.</p>
Wednesday, May 4, 2016- Tuesday, May 17, 2016	Final Exam and Review Period.
2016 Summer Session I	
Wednesday, May 18, 2016	<p>First Day of Classes – 2016 Summer I. Last Day for 100% Refund.</p>



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Wednesday, May 25, 2016	<p>May 2016 Graduation and Commencement. No Classes.</p>
Monday, May 30, 2016	<p>Memorial Day – No Classes; Offices Closed.</p>
Wednesday, June 1, 2016	<p>Last Day to submit an Undergraduate Application for Candidacy for August Graduation.</p>
Thursday, June 2, 2016	<p>Monday Class Schedule. Last Day for 50% Refund.</p>
Thursday, June 9, 2016	<p>Last Day for 25% Refund.</p>
Thursday, June 16, 2016	<p>Last Day for Undergraduates to Withdraw from a course without the Instructor's signature; Dean of Undergraduate Academics' signature required. Last day for Graduates to Withdraw from a course without Instructor's, Advisor's and Dean of Graduate Academics' signatures.</p>
Thursday, June 23, 2016	<p>Last Day to Withdraw from a course.</p>
Thursday, June 30, 2016	<p>Last Day of Classes – 2016 Summer I. Last Day to submit an Incomplete (INC) Petition.</p>
Monday, July 4, 2015	<p>Independence Day – No Classes; Offices Closed.</p>
Tuesday, July 5, 2016- Friday, July 8, 2016	<p>Final Exam and Review Period.</p>
2016 Summer Session II	
Monday, July 11, 2016	<p>First Day of Classes – 2016 Summer II. Last Day for 100% Refund.</p>
Friday, July 15, 2016	<p>Last Day to Add/Drop. Last Day for 90% Refund. W will be entered on the record for all withdrawals after this date. All students require instructor permission to add after this date. Undergraduates require the signature of the Dean of Undergraduate Academics to add or drop after this date.</p>



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Friday, July 29, 2016	Last Day for 25% Refund.
Friday, August 5, 2016	<p>Last Day for Undergraduates to Withdraw from a course without the Instructor's signature; Dean of Undergraduate Academics' signature required.</p> <p>Last day for Graduates to Withdraw from a course without Instructor's, Advisor's and Dean of Graduate Academics' signatures.</p> <p>Last Day to Schedule a Ph.D. Defense.</p>
Friday, August 12, 2016	Last Day to Withdraw from a course.
Friday, August 19, 2016	<p>Last Day of Classes – 2016 Summer II.</p> <p>Last Day to submit an Incomplete (INC) Petition.</p> <p>Graduate Students: Last Day to defend and submit a Thesis/Dissertation to the Library.</p>
Saturday, August 20, 2016- Wednesday, August 24, 2016	Final Exam and Review Period.

Stevens is a very diverse community in which many different religious and ethnic groups are represented. Given the diversity of students, faculty and staff, scheduling university, school and department events and meetings on every religious observance cannot always be avoided. However, students will be excused from being present in class and having to meet other course related obligations, for observance of religious holidays. In addition, there are several holidays, such as Passover, Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, that affect a greater number of people in the community. Every effort will be made to prevent scheduling major events that conflict with these holidays.