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Dr. Scott Shamp Executive Committee University Council 403K Journalism Building CAMPUS

Dear Dr. Shamp:

At the last meeting of the Executive Committee, a motion from the Educational Affairs Committee was tabled. That motion proposed that the 2013-2014 Academic Calendar be placed on the agenda for University Council.

On February 6, 2012, the Educational Affairs Committee approved and voted an edit to that proposal. In consultation with the Franklin College, the Registrar proposed condensing Orientation and Advisement into one day at the start of the spring 2014 semester, thereby allowing classes to begin on a Monday. I believe that this edit will allow the Executive Committee to be able to vote on the motion.

Since that motion has been tabled, I do not believe that I need to attend the Executive Committee meeting to make the committee's motion. If there are any questions, I am sure the Registrar will be able to address them.

If you have questions concerning this item, please feel free to contact me by e-mail at mauricio@uga.edu.

Sincerely,

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Rodney Mauricio, PhD Chair, Educational Affairs Committee

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attachments

c. Dr. Jan Hathcote, Registrar

## Academic Calendar for 2013 - 2014

To Be Submitted to Educational Affairs Committee

Fall Semester 2013* Based on 50 minute classes (MWF), 75 minute classes (TTH), 15 weeks of classes, 75 days of classes		
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Orientation	Aug. 7	Wednesday
Advisement	Aug. 8	Thursday
Registration	Aug. 9	Friday
Classes Begin	Aug. 12	Monday
Drop for undergraduate level courses (1000 – 5999)	Aug. 12 – Aug. 15	Monday - Thursday
Add for undergraduate level courses (1000 – 5999)	Aug. 12 – Aug. 16	Monday - Friday
Drop for graduate level courses (6000 – 9999)	Aug. 12 – Aug. 19	Monday – Following Monday
Add for graduate level courses (6000 – 9999)	Aug. 12 – Aug. 20	Monday – Following Tuesday
Holiday: Labor Day – No Classes	Sept. 2	Monday
Midterm	Oct. 3	Thursday
Withdrawal Deadline	Oct. 17	Thursday
Fall Break	Oct. 25	Friday
Last Day of Classes Prior to Thanksgiving Break	Nov. 22	Friday
Holidays: Thanksgiving	Nov. 25 – 29	Monday - Friday
Classes Resume	Dec. 2	Monday
Friday Class Schedule In Effect*	Dec. 3	Tuesday
Classes End	Dec. 3	Tuesday
Reading Day	Dec. 4	Monday
Final Exams	Dec. 5,6, 9,10, 11	Thurs. – Fri., Mon. – Wed.
Commencement	Dec. 13	Friday
Grades Due	Dec. 16, 5 PM	Monday, 5 PM

\*Note: For the Fall Semester 2013, the University will operate a Friday class schedule on Tuesday, Dec. 3. This is done to equalize the class minutes between MWF and TTH classes and to provide an equal number of class meetings for courses which may meet only once per week.

## Spring Semester 2014 Based on 50 minutes classes (MWF), 75 minutes classes (TTH), 15 weeks of classes, 75 days of classes

Orientation, Advisement	Jan. 2	Thursday
Advisement-Registration	Jan. 3	Friday
Registration Classes Begin	Jan. 6	Monday
Classes Begin	Jan. 7	<del>Tuesday</del>
Drop for undergraduate level	Jan <del>. 7 – Jan. 10</del> Jan 6-9	Tuesday - Friday Monday -
courses (1000 – 5999)		Thursday
Add for undergraduate level	<del>Jan. 7 – Jan. 13</del> Jan 6 – 10	Tuesday following Monday
courses (1000 – 5999)		Monday – Friday
Drop for graduate level courses	<del>Jan. 7 – 14 J</del> an 6 – 13	Tuesday – Following Tuesday
(6000 – 9999)		Monday – Following Monday
Add for graduate level courses	<del>Jan. 7 – 15 J</del> an 6 – 14	Tuesday – following Wednesday
(6000 – 9999)		Monday – Following Tuesday
Holiday: Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Jan. 20	Monday
Midterm	Feb. <del>28-</del> 27	Friday-Thursday
Last Day of Classes Prior to Spring	March 7	Friday
Break		
Spring Break	March 10 – 14	Monday – Friday
Classes Resume	March 17	Monday

Withdrawal Deadline	March 21-March 20	<del>Friday</del> Thursday
Monday Class Schedule in Effect*	April 29	<del>Tuesday</del>
Classes End	April <del>29</del> -28	<del>Tuesday </del> Monday
Reading Day	April 30 April 29	<del>Wednesday T</del> uesday
Final Exams	<del>May 1, 2, 5, 6, 7</del> April 30, May 1-6	<del>Thurs – Fri.; Mon. – Wed</del> . Wed –
		Fri; Mon, Tues
Commencement	May 9	Friday
Grades Due	May 12, 5 PM	Monday,5 PM

\*Note: For the Spring Semester 2014, the University will operate a Monday class schedule on Tuesday, *April 29.* This is done to equalize the class minutes between MWF and TTH classes and to provide an equal number of class meetings for courses which may meet only once per week.

## Summer 2014

### May Session, Based on 150 minutes daily, 15 days of classes

Registration	May 12	Monday
Classes Begin	May 13	Tuesday
Drop/Add	May 13 – 14	Tuesday – Wednesday
Midterm	May 22	Thursday
Holiday: Memorial Day	May 26	Monday
Withdrawal Deadline	May 22	Thursday
Classes End	June 3	Tuesday
Final Exams	June 4	Wednesday
Grades Due	June 6, 5 PM	Friday, 5 PM
Commencement	August 1	Friday

# Extended Summer Session: Based on 205 minutes per week for 11 weeks (2250 minutes for a 3 hour course).

Registration	May 12	Monday
Classes Begin	May 13	Tuesday
Drop for undergraduate-level courses (1000 – 5999)	May 13 – 16	Tuesday – Friday
Add for undergraduate level courses (1000 – 5999)	May 13 – 19	Tuesday - Monday
Drop for graduate-level courses (6000 – 9999)	May 13 – 20	Tuesday – following Tuesday
Add for graduate-level courses (6000 – 9999)	May 13 – 21	Tuesday – following Wednesday
Holiday: Memorial Day	May 26	Monday
Midterm	June 19	Thursday
Withdrawal Deadline	June 19	Thursday
Holiday: 4 <sup>th</sup> of July	July 4	Friday
Classes End	July 30	Wednesday
Final Exams	July 30- 31	Wednesday -Thursday
Commencement	Aug. 1	Friday
Grades Due	Aug. 4, 5 PM	Monday, 5 PM

#### Thru Term: Based on 60 minutes daily, 38 days of class

Orientation	June 3	Tuesday
Advisement/Registration	June 4	Wednesday
Classes Begin	June 5	Thursday
Drop	June 5 – 6	Thursday – Monday
Add	June 5 – 9	Thursday – Tuesday
Holiday: 4 <sup>th</sup> of July	July 4	Friday
Midterm	July 1	Tuesday
Withdrawal Deadline	July 1	Tuesday

Classes End	July 29	Tuesday
Final Exams	July 30, July 31	Wednesday, Thursday
Commencement	Aug. 1	Friday
Grades Due	Aug.4, 5 PM	Monday, 5 PM

# Short Session I: Based on 120 minutes daily, 19 days of classes

Orientation	June 3	Tuesday
Advisement/Registration	June 4	Wednesday
Classes Begin	June 5	Thursday
Drop	June 5 –6	Thursday – Friday
Add	June 5 – 9	Thursday – Monday
Midterm	June 18	Wednesday
Withdrawal Deadline	June 18	Wednesday
Classes End	July 1	Tuesday
Final Exams	July 2	Wednesday
Grades Due	July 8, 5 PM	Monday, 5 PM
Commencement	Aug. 1	Friday

# Short Session II: Based on 120 minutes daily, 19 days of classes

Registration	July 2	Wednesday
Classes Begin	July 3	Thursday
Drop	July 3 – 7	Thursday - Monday
Add	July 3 – 8	Thursday - Tuesday
Midterm	July 17	Thursday
Withdrawal Deadline	July 17	Thursday
Classes End	July 30	Wednesday
Final Exams	July 31	Thursday
Commencement	Aug. 1	Friday
Grades Due	Aug. 4, 5 PM	Monday, 5 PM