EP.15.11 2023-2024 Academic Calendar

The following 2023-2024 Academic Calendar is formulated in accordance with Synopsis of Policies Governing the Academic Calendar at UIUC, adopted December 5, 2005. It is presented for action.

1. Fall Semester 2023
   - Monday August 28: Instruction begins
   - Monday September 4 (no classes): Labor Day
   - Saturday November 18, 1 pm: Thanksgiving Vacation Begins
   - Monday November 27, 7 am: Instruction Resumes
   - Wednesday December 13: Instruction Ends
   - Thursday December 14: Reading Day
   - Friday December 15: Final Examinations Begin
   - Friday December 22: Final Examinations End

2. Spring Semester 2024
   - Monday January 15 (no classes): M. L. King Day
   - Tuesday January 16: Instruction Begins
   - Saturday March 9, 1 pm: Spring Vacation Begins
   - Monday March 18, 7 am: Instruction Resumes
   - Wednesday May 1: Instruction Ends
   - Thursday May 2: Reading Day
   - Friday May 3: Final Examinations Begin
   - Friday May 10: Final Examinations End
   - Saturday May 11: Commencement

3. Summer Sessions 2024
   - SUMMER SESSION 1
     - Monday May 13: Instruction Begins
     - Monday May 27 (no classes): Memorial Day
     - Final Class Day or Following Day: Final Examinations
     - Saturday June 8: Must End
   - SUMMER SESSION 2
     - Monday June 10: Instruction Begins
     - Thursday July 4 (no classes): Independence Day
     - Monday July 8: Beginning of Second 4-Week of Instruction
     - Thursday August 1, 12 noon: Instruction Ends
     - Thursday August 1, 1 pm: Reading Day
     - Friday August 2: Final Examinations Begin
     - Saturday August 3: Final Examinations End

The Senate Educational Policy Committee on September 15, 2014 recommends that the Senate and the Provost consider changing this calendar to offer examinations on Saturday, December 16, and end the examination period on Thursday, December 21, 2023. This will allow for increased time to process grades for the (relatively) early beginning of Spring Semester on January 16, 2024. This action was taken for AY 2013-2014 for the same reason.