

School of Medicine

Graduate Education Academic Calendar

Summer 2024

Month	Day	Date	Item
May	M	20	Summer semester start
	T	21	Summer graduation applications now available in eServices
	T	21	Add/Drop deadline for most courses. See eServices for additional information.
	M	27	University closed
June	W	19	University closed
	T	18	30 th day of semester
	F	28	Last day to submit graduation applications for August degrees. Students are encouraged to submit graduation applications prior to this date.
July	R	4	University closed
	F	15	DegreeWorks: Program Preliminary Freezes due (anticipated)
	M	15	MS and PhD defense deadline for input of approved defense schedule into SOM GradTrak system.
August	F	2	Last day to hold final defense exam
	M	5	Electronic Thesis and Dissertation (ETD) approval form - Last day to initiate. Do not follow other deadlines.
	R	8	SOM Deadline for completed ETD approval forms, ETD uploads to VCU Scholars Compass and completion of Survey of Earned Doctorates (PhD). Do not follow other deadlines.
	F	9	Summer semester end
	T	13	Final grades are due by noon using Faculty eServices
	S	17	Official date for certifying August diplomas

NOTES:

1. Unanticipated events might necessitate changes to the calendar.
2. SOM students entering other SOM programs (M.S., Ph.D., and M.D.) and the VCU D.D.S. program must successfully complete their current program prior to starting the new program.
3. Reasonable accommodations for completion of work missed should be made for students observing religious holidays.

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