Research Doctoral Program Calendar for 2021-2022

Fall Semester (August-December 2021)

Research Doctoral Last Day to Drop-Add for Fall 2021	July 15, 2021
PhD Preresidency Application Deadline for Fall 2021	July 16, 2021
Qualifying Exams (1:00-4:00 PM)	July 28-30, 2021
PhD Language Proficiency Testing Deadline for Fall 2021 Entrance	July 30, 2021
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for September ReDOC	August 9, 2021
Qualifying Exam Results Due (by noon)	August 12, 2021
Final Day for Tuition Payment for Fall 2021	August 13, 2021
Fall Semester Classes Begin	August 16, 2021
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	August 18, 2021
ThM Last Day to Apply for December Graduation	August 27, 2021
Research Doctoral Application Deadline for Spring 2022 Entrance	September 1, 2021
Labor Day: No Classes; Offices Closed	September 6, 2021
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	September 8, 2021
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for October ReDOC	September 13, 2021
Research Doctoral Entrance Examinations for Local Applicants	September 27, 2021
Research Doctoral Entrance Examinations for Nonnlocal Applicants	September 30, 2021
PhD Last Day to Apply for December Graduation	October 1, 2021
Dissertation Submission Deadline for December Graduation	October 1, 2021
Research Doctoral Applicant Division Interviews (11:00 AM)	October 1, 2021
Fall Break (Offices Open)	October 4-8, 2021
Directed Study Proposal Deadline for Spring 2022	October 6, 2021
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for November ReDOC	October 6, 2021
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	October 11, 2021
Research Doctoral Admissions Committee (9:00-11:00 AM)	October 13, 2021
Research Doctoral Notification of Admission for Spring 2022	October 25, 2021
ThM Application Deadline for Spring 2022 Entrance Last Day to Apply for Qualifying Exams in January 2022 ThM Thesis Submission Deadline for December 2021 Graduation Research Proposal Submission Deadline (to Guidance Committee) Prospectus Approval Deadline for May 2022 Graduation ThM, Research Doctoral Registration (January, Spring 2022) Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for December ReDOC Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM) Thanksgiving Break: No Classes; Offices Close at Noon Wednesday Dissertation Final pdf Due	November 1, 2021 November 1, 2021 November 1, 2021 November 1, 2021 November 1, 2021 November 1, 2021 November 1-15, 2021 November 8, 2021 November 10, 2021 November 22-26, 2021 November 29, 2021
Last Day to Drop-Add for January 2022 Workshops	December 1, 2021
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	December 8, 2021
Language Proficiency Testing Application Deadline	December 15, 2021
Research Proposal Approval Deadline	December 10, 2021
PhD Preresidency Application Deadline for Spring 2022	December 17, 2021
Offices Closed for Christmas, New Year's (close at 12:00 noon on December 23,	December 23, 2021-
reopen January 3)	January 2, 2022

Fall Graduation Activities

Graduation Rehearsal (3:00 PM) President's Reception (3:30 PM) Fall Semester Graduation (2:00 PM) Friday, December 10, 2021 Friday, December 10, 2021 Saturday, December 11, 2021

January 2022 Doctoral Miniterm

Last Day to Apply for Qualifying Exam in January 2022	November 1, 2021
ThM, Research Doctoral Registration for January 2022 Miniterms	November 1-15, 2021
Last Day to Drop-Add for January 2022 workshops	December 1, 2021
Research Doctoral January Miniterm 1	January 3-7, 2022
Qualifying Examinations	January 5-7, 2022
PhD Language Proficiency Testing Deadline for Spring 2022 Entrance	January 7, 2022
Research Doctoral January Miniterm 2	January 10-14, 2022

Spring Semester (January-May 2022)

Research Doctoral Last Day to Drop-Add for Spring 2022	December 10, 2021
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for February ReDOC	January 10, 2022
Qualifying Exam Results Due (by noon)	January 13, 2022
Final Day for Tuition Payment for Spring 2022	January 14, 2022
Martin Luther King Day (No Classes; Offices Closed)	January 17, 2022
Spring Semester Classes Begin	January 18, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	January 19, 2022
ThM Last Day to Apply for May Graduation	January 28, 2022
Research Doctoral Application Deadline for Fall 2022 Entrance	February 1, 2022
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for March ReDOC	February 9, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	February 9, 2022
Mardi Gras: Offices Closed; No Classes on Main Campus	March 1, 2022
Dissertation Submission Deadline for May Graduation	March 2, 2022
PhD Last Day to Apply for May Graduation	March 2, 2022
Directed Study Proposal Deadline for Summer 2022	March 2, 2022
Research Doctoral Entrance Examinations for Local Applicants	March 7, 2022
Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for April ReDOC	March 7, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	March 9, 2022
Research Doctoral Entrance Examinations for Nonlocal Applicants	March 10, 2022
Research Doctoral Applicant Division Interviews (11:00 AM)	March 11, 2022
Spring Break (Offices Open)	March 14-18, 2022
Research Doctoral Admissions Committee (9:00-11:00 AM)	March 28, 2022
Research Doctoral Notification of Admission for Fall 2022 Entrance	March 30, 2022
Last Day to Apply for Qualifying Exams in August 2022 Research Proposal Submission Deadline (to Guidance Committee) ThM Application Deadline for Fall 2022 ThM Thesis Submission Deadline for May 2022 Graduation Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM) Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for May ReDOC Good Friday (No Classes; Offices Closed)	April 1, 2022 April 1, 2022 April 1, 2022 April 1, 2022 April 1, 2022 April 6, 2022 April 11, 2022 April 15, 2022

Institutional Review Board Request Deadline for June ReDOC	May 2, 2022
Directed Study Proposal Deadline for Fall 2022	May 4, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	May 11, 2022
Research Proposal Approval Deadline	May 13, 2022
Prospectus Approval Deadline for December 2022 Graduation	June 1, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (11:30 AM)	June 1, 2022

Spring Graduation Activities

Graduation Rehearsal (3:00 PM)	Friday, May 13, 2022
President's Reception (3:30 PM)	Friday, May 13, 2022
Spring Graduation (2:00 PM)	Saturday, May 14, 2022

Summer (June-August 2022)

Directed Study Proposal Deadline for Summer 2022	March 2, 2022
Last Day to Apply for Qualifying Exam in August 2022	April 1, 2022
ThM, Research Doctoral Registration (Summer, Fall 2022)	April 18-May 2, 2022
Research Proposal Approval Deadline	May 13, 2022
Research Doctoral Summer 1 Miniterm	June 6-10, 2022
Southern Baptist Convention	June 14-15, 2022
Research Doctoral Last Day to Drop-Add for Fall 2022	July 8, 2022
Language Proficiency Testing Application Deadline	July 15, 2022
PhD Preresidency Application Deadline for Fall 2022	July 15, 2022
Research Doctoral Summer 2 Miniterm	July 25-29, 2022
Qualifying Exams (1:00-4:00 PM)	July 27-29, 2022
Language Proficiency Testing Deadline for Fall 2022 Entrance	July 29, 2022
Qualifying Exam Results Due (by noon)	August 11, 2022
Classes Begin	August 15, 2022
Research Doctoral Committee Meeting (2:00 PM)	August 17, 2022