

SPECIAL REPORT

of the

ACADEMIC MATTERS COUNCIL

concerning the

2013-2014 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Presented at the
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December 14, 2010

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UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AMHERST ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2013-14		Updated	2/6/12
FALL 2013			
First Day of classes	Tuesday	September	3
Last day to add or drop any class with no record - Undergraduate, Graduate, Stockbridge, CPE	Monday	September	16
Holiday - Columbus Day	Monday	October	14
Monday class schedule will be followed	Tuesday	October	15
Last day to Drop with "DR" - Graduate	Tuesday	October	15
Mid-Semester Date (Last day to Drop with 'W' and select 'P/F' - Undergraduate, Stockbridge, CPE)	Thursday	October	17
Holiday – Veterans' Day	Monday	November	11
Registration begins for Spring 2014	Tuesday	November	12
Monday class schedule will be followed	Wednesday	November	13
Thanksgiving recess begins after last class	Wednesday	November	27
Classes resume	Monday	December	2
Last day of classes	Friday	December	6
Reading Period begins	Saturday	December	7
Reading Period ends	Sunday	December	8
Final examinations begin	Monday	December	9
Last day of final examinations	Saturday	December	14
Snow day for Dec. 14 exams, semester ends	Monday	December	16
Final grades due by Midnight	Monday	December	23
Number of class meetings: MTuWThF: 13			
WINTER TERM 2013/2014			
First Day of classes	Monday	December	16
Last day to add/drop	Wednesday	December	18
Holiday Break starts	Tuesday	December	24
Classes resume	Thursday	December	26
Holiday Break starts	Tuesday	December	31
Classes resume	Thursday	January	2
Last day to drop with "W"	Friday	January	3
Last day of classes	Saturday	January	18
Final grades due	Wednesday	January	22
SPRING 2014			
First day of classes	Tuesday	January	21
Last day to add or drop any class with no record - Undergraduate, Graduate, Stockbridge, CPE	Monday	February	3
Holiday - Presidents' Day	Monday	February	17
Monday class schedule will be followed	Tuesday	February	18
Last day to Drop with "DR" – Graduate	Monday	March	3
Mid-Semester Date (Last day to Drop with "W" and select 'P/F'– Undergraduate, Stockbridge, CPE)	Thursday	March	6
Spring recess begins after last class	Saturday	March	15
Classes resume	Monday	March	24
Registration begins for Fall 2014	Monday	March	31
Holiday - Patriot's Day	Monday	April	21
Monday class schedule will be followed	Wednesday	April	23
Founders Day (Classes Meet)	Tuesday	April	29
Last day of classes	Wednesday	April	30
Reading Day	Thursday	May	1
Final examinations begin	Friday	May	2
Second Reading Day	Sunday	May	4
Final examinations resume	Monday	May	5
Last day of final examinations, semester ends	Thursday	May	8
Graduate and Undergraduate Commencements	Friday	May	9
Stockbridge Commencement	Saturday	May	10
Final grades due by Midnight	Tuesday	May	13
Number of class meetings: MTuWThF: 13			
SUMMER SESSION 2014			
First day of classes – Session One	Monday	May	19
Last day to add/drop any Session One class	Friday	May	23
Holiday – Memorial Day	Monday	May	26
Last day to drop with "W" any Session One class	Friday	June	6
Last day of classes – Session One	Friday	June	27
Holiday – Independence Day	Friday	July	4
Session One final grades due	Monday	July	7
First day of classes – Session Two	Monday	July	7
Last day to add/drop any Session Two class	Friday	July	11
Last day to drop with "W" any Session Two class	Friday	July	25
Last day of classes, Summer Session ends	Friday	August	15
Final Summer grades due	Monday	August	25