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Dr. Richard Leeman
Faculty President
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Dear Rich,

Enclosed is a copy of the Five-Year Academic Calendar. It is time to submit the 2021-2022 academic year to Chancellor Dubois for formal approval. In the Preliminary Approval column, the year 2020-2021 has been added. Please note that the calendar reflects a new proposed change to the start of the academic year, allowing a full five days between the start of the academic year and the start of classes in the fall term. For Fall 2018, this reflects two additional days for the beginning-of-year activities that take place campus-wide (Human Resources Orientation, New Faculty Orientation, University Convocation), as well as college and department-specific meetings and orientations. The Final Exam times have also been adjusted to include 1.5 days of Common Exams for 1xxx and 2xxx-level courses rather than two full days; this change is necessary as a result of our change in class schedule meeting days and times.

The basic template used for the academic year was approved by Chancellor Woodward on November 11, 2002, upon recommendation of a campus-wide calendar committee and extensive consultation.

I would appreciate the review and comments of the Faculty Executive Committee and Faculty Council before submitting the calendar to the Chancellor.

Sincerely,

Joan F. Lorden
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Enclosures

cc: Philip Dubois, Chancellor



UNC Charlotte Five-Year Academic Calendar

	Approved	Preliminary Approval			
	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
FALL SEMESTER					
Academic Year Begins	Aug-15	Aug-13	Aug-12	Aug-17	Aug-16
First Class Day	Aug-21	Aug-20	Aug-19	Aug- 24	Aug-23
Saturday First Class Day	Aug-26	Aug-25	Aug-24	Aug-29	Aug-28
No Saturday Classes	Sep-2	Sep-1	Aug-31	Sep-5	Sep-4
Labor Day-University closed	Sep-4	Sep-3	Sep-2	Sep-7	Sep-6
Student Recess - no classes	Oct 9-10	Oct 8-9	Oct 7-8	Oct 12-13	Oct 11-12
Thanksgiving - no classes	Nov 22-25	Nov 21-24	Nov 27-30	Nov 25-28	Nov 24-27
University closed	Nov 23-24	Nov 22-23	Nov 28-29	Nov 26-27	Nov 25-26
Last Class Day	Dec-6	Dec-5	Dec-4	Dec-9	Dec-8
Reading Day	Dec-7	Dec-6	Dec-5	Dec-10	Dec-9
Final Examinations*	Dec 8-9, 11-15	Dec 7-8, 10-13	Dec 6-7, 9-12	Dec 11-12, 14-17	Dec 10-11, 13-16
Commencement 1:00 pm		Dec-14	Dec-13	Dec-18	Dec-17
Commencement 10:00 am/3:00 pm	Dec-16	Dec-15	Dec-14	Dec-19	Dec-18
SPRING SEMESTER					
First Class Day	Jan-8	Jan-9	Jan-8	Jan-11	Jan-10
No Saturday Classes		Jan-19	Jan-18	Jan-16	Jan-15
M.L. King Day - University closed	Jan-15	Jan-21	Jan-20	Jan-18	Jan-17
Saturday First Class Day	Jan-13	Jan-12	Jan-11	Jan-23	Jan-22
Student Recess - no classes	Mar 5-10	Mar 4-9	Mar 2-7	Mar 1-6	Mar 7-12
Spring Weekend - no classes	Mar 30-31	Apr 19-20	Apr 10-11	Apr 2-3	Apr-15-16
Last Class Day	May-1	Apr-30	Apr-28	May-5	May-3
Reading Day	May-2	May-1	Apr-29	May-6	May-4
Saturday Classes Final Exams	Apr-28	May 4	May 2	May-1	May-7
Final Examinations*	May 3-4, 7-10	May 2-4, 6-9	Apr 30-May 2, May	May 7-8, 10-13	May-5-7, 9-12
Commencement 1:00 pm	May-11	May-10	May 8	May 14	May-13
Commencement 10:00 am/3:00 pm	May-12	May-11	May 9	May 15	May-14
Academic Year Ends	May-14	May-13	May 14	May 17	May-16
FIRST SUMMER TERM					
Class Days Including Exams	May 21-Jun 27	May 20-Jun 26	May 18 -Jun 24	May 24-Jun- 30	May 23- Jun 29
Memorial Day - no-classes	May-28	May-27	May 25	May 31	May-30
Final Examinations				June 29 & June 30	Jun 28-29
SECOND SUMMER TERM					
Class Days Including Exams	Jul 5 - Aug 10	Jul 1-Aug 7	Jun 29-Aug 5	Jul-6-Aug 11	Jul 5- Aug 10
Fourth of July - University closed	Jul-4	Jul-4	Jul 3	Jul 5	Jul-4
No Classes			Jul 3	Jul 5	Jul-4
Final Examinations				Aug 10 & Aug 11	Aug 9-10
EXTENDED SUMMER TERM					
Class Days Including Exams	May 21 - Aug 10	May 20 - Aug 7	May 18- Aug 5	May 24- Aug 11	May 23-Aug 10
Memorial Day - No Classes	May-28	May-27	May 25	May 31	May-30
No Classes	Jun 28 - Jul 4	Jun 27-28	Jun 25-26	Jul 1-3	Jun 30-Jul 2
Fourth of July - University closed	Jul-4	Jul -4	July 3	July 5	Jul-4
No Classes	Jul-4	Jul-4	July 3	July 5	Jul-4
Final Examinations				Aug 10 & Aug 11	Aug 9-10

*Common exams will be held on Friday after noon and Saturday during exam week for Fall.