

Fall 2023 | GSD Academic and Faculty Calendar

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	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday	sunday
august	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	ARCH CORE/MAUD/MLAUD/MDE/MLA (LA Core I only) Pre-Term Workshop						
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	ARCH CORE/MAUD/MLAUD/MUP/MDE/MLA (LA Cores I & III) Pre-Term Workshop						
	28	29Option Studio Lottery (Full term and M1) EC 10AM-12:30PM	30MDes Advanced Course Selection	31Limited Enrollment Course Lottery	1Open Enrollment Period Begins	2	3
	New Student Orientation						
september	4 Labor Day No Classes, Offices Closed	5 Fall Classes Begin (Monday Schedule) My Harvard Student Check-In Deadline	6 SFC // DP	7 Dean's Welcome Back Event, 5-7pm	8	9	10
	11 M2 Option Studio Lottery	12 EC Fall Class Selections Due	13 DDES // MDES // PhD // MRE	14	15 Rosh Hashanah (Begins at Sundown)	16 Rosh Hashanah	17 Rosh Hashanah Ends (Evening)
	18 Last Day to Add/ Drop F1 and Full Term Classes	19	20 DP-SF // FF	21	22	23	24 Yom Kippur (Begins at Sundown)
	25 Yom Kippur Ends (Evening)	26 EC	27 SFC	28	29 Alumni Council Meeting	30 Alumni Council Meeting	1
october	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Preferred Studio Trips Week						
	9 Indigenous Peoples' Day No Classes, Offices Closed	10 EC	11 DP-SF // DP-DV	12 M1 Option Studios End	13	14	15
	16	17	18 F1 Classes End DDES-DV // MDES-DV // PhD	19 F2 Classes Begin M1 Option Studio Reviews	20	21	22
	23	24 EC MDE Open House	25 SFC // FF-DV	26MDes/DDes Open House M2 Option Studios Begin	27MAUD/MLAUD/MUP Open House	28	29
	30	31 MRE Open House	1Last Day to Add/Drop F2 Classes Deadline to Submit a Leave of Absence Petition for Spring 2024 DP-SF // DP // SAAC	2 MLA Open House	3 MArch Open House	4	5
november	6	7 EC	8 DDES // MDES // PhD // MRE	9	10 Veterans Day Observed Classes Meet No Studio Reviews Offices Closed	11	12
	13	14	15 SFC	16	17	18	19
	20	21 EC	22	23 Offices Closed	24 Offices Closed	25	26
		Thanksgiving Recess					
	27	28	29 SFC // FF	30	1	2	3
december	4	5 EC FAS Classes End	6 Full Term and F2 Classes End	7	8	9	10
		Core Studio Reviews (7-8, 11)					
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Core Reviews (7-8, 11)	Full-term and M2 Option Reviews (11-13)			Final Exams (14-15, 18)		
	18	19	20 Thesis Grading	21 GSD Closes for students at 11:59 PM	22 Offices Close at Noon	23	24
	Final Exams (14-15, 18)	Thesis Reviews (19-20)		Winter Recess			
	25 Christmas Day Offices Closed	26 Offices Closed	27 Offices Closed	28 Offices Closed	29 Offices Closed	30	31
	Winter Recess						

key DDES/9–10 AM DP = Dept./ 12:30–2 PM DP-SF = Dept./ Sr. Faculty/ 8:30–10 AM DV = Degree Vote EC = Executive Committee/ 12–1:30 PM F1 = Fall Module 1 F2 = Fall Module 2 FF = Full Faculty/ 12:30–2 PM MRE = 12:30-2PM

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	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday	sunday
january	1 Winter Recess New Year's Day (observed), Offices Closed	2 Fall Grades Due MRE January Class Begins	3	4	5	6	7
	J Term						
	8	9 GSD Reopens at 8 AM	10	11	12	13	14
	J Term						
	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Offices Closed	16 MDes Open Projects Lottery	17 Option Studio Lottery	18 MDes Advanced Course Selection	19 Limited Enrollment Course Lottery	20 Open Enrollment Period Begins	21
	MLA Pre-Term Workshop						
	22 Spring Classes Begin	23 EC	24 DP-SF SFC // FF	25	26 Spring Class Selections Due	27	28
	29	30	31 DP-SF // DP-DV	1	2 Last Day to Add/Drop S1 and Full Term Classes	3	4
february	5	6 EC	7 DDES-DV // MDES-DV // PhD // MRE	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14 SFC // FF-DV	15	16	17	18
	19 Presidents' Day No Classes, Offices Closed	20 EC	21 DP-SF // DP	22	23	24	25
	Preferred Studio Trips Week						
	26	27 MRE	28 DDES // MDES // PhD	29	1 Job and Internship Fair	2	3
march	4 S1 Classes End	5 EC S2 Classes Begin	6 SFC // SAAC // FF	7	8	9	10 Ramadan Begins
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Spring Break/ Preferred Studio Trip Week						
	18	19 EC	20 DP-SF // DP	21	22 Alumni Council Meeting	23 Alumni Council Meeting	24
	25	26 Last Day to Add/Drop S2 Classes	27 DDES // MDES // PhD	28	29 Good Friday	30	31 Easter
april	1	2 EC	3	4 Open House for Admitted DDes, and MDE students	5 Open House for Admitted Arch, LA, UPD, MRE, and MDes Students	6	7
	8 Ramadan Ends	9	10 SFC // FF	11	12	13	14
	15	16 EC	17 DP-SF // DP	18	19	20	21
	22 Full Term and S2 Classes End	23 SFC	24 FAS Classes End	25	26	27	28
	Passover (Begins at Sundown)	GSD Community BBQ		Core Studio Reviews (24-26)		Option Studio Reviews (26-30)	
may	29	30 Passover Ends (Evening)	1	2	3 Option Studio Grades Due	4	5
	Option Studio Reviews (26-30)		Final Exams (1-3, 6)				
	6 SFC // FF // EC	7	8 Spring Grades Due	9	10	11	12
	Final Exams (1-3, 6)	MDes Open Projects & MDE IDEP Reviews		Arch & UPD Thesis Reviews	Arch & LA Thesis Reviews		
	13 MRE May Classes Begin Thesis Grades Due by 6 PM	14	15	16 DDES-DV (9AM–10 AM) MDES-DV (10AM–12 PM) MDE-DV (12:30 PM–1:30 PM) LA-DV (12:30 PM–3 PM)	17 Arch-DV (9 AM–3PM) UPD-DV (12:30 PM–3 PM)	18	19
	20 FF-DV // EC	21	22 GSD Class Day	23 Commencement	24 MRE May Classes End	25	26
	27 MRE Practicum through August 30 Memorial Day - Offices Closed	MDES/12:30–2 PM PD-Admin = Program Directors Admin/10–11 AM		PhD/3–4 PM SAAC = Student Academic Affairs Committee/ Fall 10:15–11:45 AM/Spring 10–11:30 AM		SFC = Senior Faculty Council/ 8:30–10 AM	S1 = Spring Module 1 S2 = Spring- Module 2