

SPRING 2023 - Important Dates for Graduate Students

- Friday, Feb 3^d** Last day to submit the application for the comprehensive exam, Master's project, thesis, and/or dissertation defense form to the College of Graduate Studies. Persons writing and defending a thesis/dissertation this semester should have submitted their topic forms the semester prior to defending.
- Friday, Feb 17th** Last day to submit FINAL Program Data Card and Curriculum Audit to the College of Graduate Studies.
- Friday, Feb 17th** Last day to submit the Graduate/Doctoral Application for Graduation to the College of Graduate Studies [Portal](#) for the Dean's signature. Applications will be submitted from our office to the Registrar's Office on Friday, February 24th. If you think there is a possibility that you will graduate, please submit an application for graduation.
- Friday, Apr 21st** Last day on which oral defense of thesis, dissertation, Master's project or departmental oral/writing comprehensive exam can be given.
- Tuesday, May 2nd** University Classes End; Last day to pay the Graduation Fee and clear unpaid balances for Fall Commencement.
- Friday, May 5th** Completed and approved thesis or dissertations and results of oral/written comprehensive exams and defenses are due to College of Graduate Studies **via ProQuest** (email will be sent with directions and details). **Please schedule thesis or dissertation defenses early enough to allow time for corrections and formatting reviews. The final document MUST be submitted with required signatures.**
- Saturday, May 20th** **Fall Commencement**