
CALENDAR FOR ACADEMIC YEAR: 2023

JANUARY 2023

Sunday	1	New Year's Day (Public Holiday)
Monday	2	'New Year's Day' day off
Tuesday	3	UNIVERSITY RE-OPENS Administrative staff and those academic staff required for registration preparations return, as determined by Heads of Departments
Monday	9	All other staff return to work
Wednesday	11	Final date for submission of all outstanding 2022 annual supplementary examination scripts to the Examinations Audit Panel
Thursday	12	Final date for applications for scanning of 2022 annual and second semester main examination scripts
Monday	16	Commencement of registration for all students <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undergraduate: New Students & Returning Students• Postgraduate: Course Work Master's (New and Returning Students)• Postgraduate: Full Research Master's and Doctorates (New and Returning Students) Faculty Board EXCO approval of 2022 annual supplementary examination results Supplementary examinations commence for all 2022 second semester subjects
Tuesday	17	Final date for applications for re-mark of 2022 annual and second main examination scripts Publication of 2022 annual supplementary examination results
Friday	20	Final date for applications for scanning of 2022 annual supplementary examination scripts Supplementary examinations end for all 2022 second semester subjects
Wednesday	25	Final date for applications for re-mark of 2022 annual supplementary examination scripts
Friday	27	Final date for submission of all outstanding 2022 second semester supplementary examination scripts to the Examinations Audit Panel

FEBRUARY 2023

Wednesday	1	Faculty Board EXCO approval of 2022 second semester supplementary examination results
Thursday	2	Publication of 2022 second semester supplementary examination results
Friday	3	Registration Ends <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undergraduate: New Students & Returning Students• Postgraduate: Course Work Master's (New and Returning Students)• Postgraduate: Full Research Master's and Doctorates (Returning Students)
Monday	6	Commencement of late registration <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undergraduate: New Students & Returning Students• Postgraduate: Course Work Master's (New and Returning Students)• Postgraduate: Full Research Master's and Doctorates (Returning Students) Beginning of the first term <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Commencement of lectures for annual and first semester students
Tuesday	7	Final date for student applications for 2022 annual and second semester special examinations Final date for applications for scanning of 2022 second semester supplementary examination scripts
Friday	10	Faculty Office to capture all 2022 annual and second semester special examination applications Final date for applications for re-mark of 2022 second semester supplementary examination scripts
Thursday	16	09:00 Higher Degrees Committee Meeting Typed and moderated examination question papers and marking memorandums for the 2022 annual and second semester special examinations due at the Examinations Department
Friday	17	Late Registration Ends <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undergraduate: New Students & Returning Students• Postgraduate: Course Work Master's (New and Returning Students)• Postgraduate: Full Research Master's and Doctorates (Returning Students)

MARCH 2023

Thursday	2	Conducting of 2022 annual and second semester special examinations
Friday	3	Final date for any <u>changes</u> to first semester modules/ programmes already registered for (except cancellations and de-registrations)
Thursday	9	Final date for submission of all outstanding 2022 annual and second semester special examination scripts to the Examinations Audit Panel
Friday	10	▣ Isaiah Shembe Day
Tuesday	14	Faculty Board EXCO approval of 2022 annual and second semester special examination results
Wednesday	15	Publication of 2022 annual and second semester special examination results
Monday	20	Final date for applications for scanning of 2022 annual and second semester special examination scripts Final date for academic departments to capture the approved examiner's and moderator's details for the 2023 First Semester and Annual subjects onto ITS
Tuesday	21	Human Rights Day (Public Holiday)
Thursday	23	Final date for applications for re-mark of 2022 annual and second semester special examination scripts
Wednesday	29	Last day to cancel first semester modules or to de-register for first semester programmes. A student cancelling or de-registering <u>after</u> this date will be regarded as having failed that module/programme and officially published results will be reflected accordingly. A student cancelling or de-registering from any modules/ programme <u>prior</u> to or <u>as at</u> this date will be recorded as having withdrawn and no result will be published.
Thursday	30	HEMIS Census Dates for Semester I Registrations

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APRIL 2023

Monday	3	Final date for any <u>changes</u> to annual modules/ programmes already registered for (except cancellations and de-registrations) Last Day for submission of thesis/dissertation (for examination) to the Faculty Office / Faculty Research Office for possible Spring Graduation. Anyone submitting after this date will be considered for graduation in the next academic year Autumn Graduation Ceremony
Thursday	6	End of first term 09:00 Higher Degrees Committee Meeting (Special)
Friday	7	Good Friday (Public Holiday)
Saturday	8	Holy Saturday (Public Holiday)
Sunday	9	Easter Sunday (Public Holiday)
Monday	10	Family Day (Public Holiday)
Friday	14	Final Day for capturing all graduation decisions onto the ITS system for the Autumn graduation (inclusive of undergraduates, postgraduates, students who had outstanding requirements such as applications for exemptions, transfers, completion of all WIL requirements and Special Exams-Last subject outstanding).
Monday	17	Beginning of the second term
Saturday	22	▣ Eid-ul-Fitr
Thursday	27	Freedom Day (Public Holiday)
Friday	28	Typed and moderated examination question papers and marking memorandums for the first semester main and supplementary examinations due at the Examinations Department

MAY 2023

Monday	1	Worker's Day (Public Holiday)
Tuesday	2	▣ Isaiah Shembe Day Publication of final first semester main examination timetable with venues
Thursday	11	09:00 Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
Friday	12	Publication of final first semester supplementary examination timetable with venues
Monday	15	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Midlands)
Tuesday	16	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Midlands)
Wednesday	17	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Midlands)
Thursday	18	▣ Ascension Day
Monday	22	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Tuesday	23	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Wednesday	24	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Thursday	25	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Friday	26	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Saturday	27	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Monday	29	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Tuesday	30	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban) Lectures end for all first semester students Last day to cancel annual modules or to de-register for annual programmes. A student cancelling or de-registering <u>after</u> this date will be regarded as having failed that module/ programme and officially published results will be reflected accordingly. A student cancelling or de-registering from any module/ programme <u>prior</u> to or <u>as at</u> this date will be recorded as having withdrawn and no result will be published
Wednesday	31	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban) Examination study period commences for all first semester students HEMIS Census Dates for Annual Registrations

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JUNE 2023

Thursday	1	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Friday	2	Autumn Graduation Ceremony (Durban)
Sunday	4	Examination study period ends for all first semester students
Monday	5	First semester main examinations commence for all faculties
Monday	12	Publication of final first semester supplementary examination timetable with venues
Friday	16	Youth Day (Public Holiday)
Monday	19	First semester main examinations end for all faculties
Thursday	22	Final date for capturing of marks for first semester subjects assessed by continuous assessment method
Friday	23	End of second term Last day for students to produce their original Senior Certificate / National Senior Certificate (NSC) to the Faculty Office
Tuesday	27	Final date for submission of signed mark sheet for first semester subjects assessed by continuous assessment method to the Examination Department
Thursday	29	▣ Eid-ul-Adha

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JULY 2023

Monday	3	Final date for submission of all outstanding examination scripts for first semester main examinations to the Examinations Audit Panel
Thursday	6	Faculty Board EXCO approval of first semester main examination results
Friday	7	Publication of first semester main examination results
Monday	10	First Semester supplementary examinations commence
Friday	14	First Semester supplementary examinations end
Monday	17	Beginning of the third term Commencement of lectures for second semester students
Wednesday	19	Final date for applications for scanning of the first semester main examination scripts
Friday	21	Final date for submission of all outstanding examination scripts for first semester supplementary examinations to the Examinations Audit Panel
Monday	24	Final date for applications for re-mark of the first semester main examination scripts
Wednesday	26	Faculty Board EXCO approval of first semester supplementary examination results
Thursday	27	Publication of first semester supplementary examination results
Monday	31	Registration Ends for New Postgraduate Students (Full Research Master's and Doctorates)

AUGUST 2023

Tuesday	1	Final date for applications for scanning of the first semester supplementary examination scripts Final date for student applications for first semester special examinations
Friday	4	Final date for applications for re-mark of the first semester supplementary examination scripts Faculty Office to capture all first semester special examination applications
Tuesday	8	09:00 Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
Wednesday	9	National Women's Day (Public Holiday)
Thursday	10	Typed and moderated examination question papers and marking memorandums for the first semester special examinations due at the Examinations Department
Monday	14	Final date for any <u>changes</u> to second semester modules/ programmes already registered for (except cancellations and de-registrations).
Monday	21	Final day for capturing all graduation decisions onto the ITS system for the Spring graduation (inclusive of undergraduates, postgraduates, students who had outstanding requirements such as applications for exemptions, transfers, completion of all WIL requirements and Special Exams-Last subject outstanding).
Thursday	24	Conducting of first semester special examinations
Monday	28	Final date for academic departments to capture the approved examiner's and moderator's details for the second semester subjects onto ITS
Thursday	31	Final date for submission of all outstanding examination scripts for first semester special examinations to the Examinations Audit Panel

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SEPTEMBER 2023

Tuesday	5	Faculty Board EXCO approval of first semester special examination results
Wednesday	6	Publication of first semester special examination results
Thursday	7	Last day to cancel second semester modules or to de-register for second semester programmes. A student cancelling or de-registering <u>after</u> this date will be regarded as having failed that module/programme and officially published results will be reflected accordingly. A student cancelling or de-registering from any modules/ programme <u>prior</u> to or <u>as at</u> this date will be recorded as having withdrawn and no result will be published
Friday	8	HEMIS Census Dates for Semester 2 Registrations
Monday	11	Typed and moderated examination question papers and marking memorandums for the annual main and supplementary examinations due at the Examinations Department
Thursday	14	Final date for applications for scanning of first semester special examination scripts
Friday	15	Final date for applications for re-mark of first semester special examination scripts
Saturday	16	▣ Rosh Hashanah
Sunday	17	▣ Rosh Hashanah
Wednesday	20	▣ Rosh Hashanah
Thursday	21	Spring Graduation
Friday	22	Spring Graduation
Sunday	24	End of third Term
Monday	25	Heritage Day (Public Holiday)
		▣ Yom Kippur
		'Heritage Day' day off
		▣ Yom Kippur

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OCTOBER 2023

Monday	2	Beginning of fourth Term
Tuesday	3	Final date for capturing of semester marks for the second semester subjects
Friday	6	Final date for capturing of year marks for annual subjects
Monday	9	Typed and moderated examination question papers and marking memorandums for the second semester main and supplementary examinations due at the Examinations Department
Tuesday	10	Lectures end for all annual students
Wednesday	11	Examination study period commences for all annual students
Sunday	15	Examination study period ends for all annual students
Monday	16	Annual main examination commence for all faculties
Wednesday	18	09:00 Higher Degrees Committee Meeting

NOVEMBER 2023

Wednesday	1	Last Day for submission of thesis/dissertation (for examination) to the Faculty Office / Faculty Research Office for possible Autumn Graduation. Anyone submitting after this date will be considered for graduation in the Spring Graduation Ceremony.
Friday	3	Annual main examinations end for all faculties Final date for capturing of semester marks for the second semester subjects
Tuesday	7	Lectures end for all second semester students
Wednesday	8	Examination study period commences for all second semester students Final date for capturing of marks for annual subjects assessed by continuous assessment method
Sunday	12	Examination study period ends for all second semester students ■ Deepavali/Diwali
Monday	13	Second semester main examinations commence for all faculties Final date for submission of signed mark sheet for annual subjects assessed by continuous assessment method to the Examination Department
Friday	17	Final date for the submission of all outstanding annual main examination scripts to the Examination Audit Panel
Wednesday	22	Faculty Board EXCO approval of annual main examination results
Thursday	23	Publication of annual main examination results
Friday	24	Second semester main examinations end for all faculties
Monday	27	Supplementary examinations commence for all annual subjects
Tuesday	28	Final date for applications for scanning of annual main examination scripts
Wednesday	29	Final date for capturing of marks for second semester subjects assessed by continuous assessment method

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DECEMBER 2023

Friday	1	Supplementary examinations end for all annual subjects Final date for applications for re-mark of annual main examination scripts
Monday	4	Final date for submission of signed mark sheet for second semester subjects assessed by continuous assessment method to the Examination Department
Friday	8	Final date for the submission of all outstanding second semester main examination scripts to the Examination Audit Panel Final date for the submission of all outstanding annual supplementary examination scripts to the Examination Audit Panel
Wednesday	13	Faculty Board EXCO approval of second semester main examination results
Thursday	14	Publication of second semester main examination results
Friday	15	End of fourth Term / University Closes
Saturday	16	Day of Reconciliation (Public Holiday)
Monday	25	Christmas Day (Public Holiday)
Tuesday	26	Day of Goodwill (Public Holiday)