



## ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2017 - 2018

### 2017

#### August 2017

1 - 4	1st Lab Rotation for the 2016 incoming DVM graduate students
1, 8, 15, 22, & 29	600B Scientific Writing core course for the 2016 incoming graduate students
7 - 31	2nd Lab Rotation for the 2016 incoming DVM graduate students
11	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2016 incoming DVM graduate students to submit via email the 1st Lab Rotation reports to the registrar
14	1st day of enrollment for the 2017 fourteen (16) incoming graduate students
14 - 17	1st week of Responsible Conduct of Research core course
14 - 18	Orientation week for the 2017 incoming graduate students
17, 18, 22, 24, & 29	Faculty research presentations
21 - 24	2nd week of Responsible Conduct of Research core course
21, 23, 25, 28, & 30	Lab Techniques and Concepts in Molecular Biology and Genetics core course
30	Advanced Cancer Metabolism elective course

#### September 2017

1	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2016 incoming graduate students doing the 4th lab rotations to provide the original Petition for Selection of Advisor for Dissertation Research forms to the registrar
1	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to provide via email the list of three (3) potential faculty members for lab rotations to Kate Sleeth, PhD, Associate Dean of Administration and Student Development
1, 5, & 7	Lab Techniques and Concepts in Molecular Biology and Genetics core course
1 - 15	2nd Lab Rotation for the 2016 incoming DVM graduate students

4	Labor Day holiday
5, 12, 19, & 26	600B Scientific Writing core course for the 2015 incoming graduate students
5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, & 28	Advanced DNA Repair, Epigenetics, and Cancer elective course
6, 13, 20, & 27	Advanced Cancer Metabolism elective course
8 - 29	Biochemistry and Structural Biology core course
8 - 29	Principles of Gene Expression core course
11 - 29	1st laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
15	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2016 DVM incoming graduate students to hand-deliver the completed Petition for Selection of Advisor for Dissertation Research forms to the registrar
22	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2016 incoming DVM graduate students to submit the 2nd Lab Rotation reports to the registrar
30	Deadline for the 2015 incoming graduate students to pass Qualifying Exam II (QE II) oral presentations and written reports

### October 2017

1	2016 incoming students transitioning to second year
3	600B Scientific Writing core course for the 2016 incoming graduate students
2 - 30	Principles of Gene Expression core course
2 - 31	Biochemistry and Structural Biology core course
2 - 31	1st laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26, & 31	Advanced DNA Repair, Epigenetics, and Cancer elective course
4, 11, 18, & 25	Advanced Cancer Metabolism elective course
5, 12, 19, & 26	Advanced Immunology elective course
31	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to provide via email the faculty names for the 2nd lab rotations to the registrar

### November 2017

1 - 3	1st laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
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1 - 29	Biochemistry and Structural Biology core course
1 - 29	Principles of Gene Expression core course
1, 8, 15, 22, & 29	Advanced Cancer Metabolism elective course
2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, & 30	Advanced DNA Repair, Epigenetics, and Cancer elective course
2, 9, 16, & 30	Advanced Immunology elective course
7	1st laboratory rotation presentations for the 2017 incoming students and 2016 DVM students - Beckman Center 5th Floor Conference Room # 5201, 2pm - 5pm
10	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to submit via email the 1st laboratory rotation reports to the registrar
13 - 30	2nd laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
15	Deadline for the 2016 incoming graduate students to pass the Qualifying Exam I oral presentation and written report
23 - 24* * Nov. 24 is the day off for only the 2017 incoming students.	Thanksgiving holiday

## December 2017

1	Beckman Symposium
1 - 22	2nd laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
1 - 15	Principles of Gene Expression core course
1 - 18	Biochemistry and Structural Biology core course
5, 7	Advanced DNA Repair, Epigenetics, and Cancer elective course
7, 14, 21, & 28	Advanced Immunology elective course
25 - 31 * Dec. 25 - 31 are the days off for only the 2017 incoming students.	Christmas holiday

# 2018

## January 2018

1	New Year holiday
2 - 19	2nd laboratory rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
4, 11, 18, & 25	Advanced Immunology elective course
8 - 31	Cell Biology core course
8 - 31	Biostatistics and Computational Biology core course
15	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to provide via email the faculty names for the 3rd lab rotations to the registrar
23	2nd laboratory rotation presentations for the 2017 incoming students and 2016 DVM students, Argyros Auditorium, 2pm - 5pm
26	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to submit via email the 2nd laboratory rotation reports to the registrar
29 - 31	3rd lab rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students

## February 2018

1	Advanced Immunology elective course
1 - 28	Cell Biology core course
1 - 28	3rd lab rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
2	1st Recruiting Weekend
2 - 28	Biostatistics and Computational Biology core course
6, 13, 20, & 27	600A Scientific Writing core course
9	2nd Recruiting Weekend
23	3rd Recruiting Weekend

## March 2018

1 - 23	3rd lab rotation for the 2017 incoming graduate students
1 - 30	Cell Biology core course
2 - 30	Biostatistics and Computational Biology core course
6, 13, & 20	600A Scientific Writing core course
10	Due by <b>noon</b> - the prospective graduates to confirm via email with the registrar if they plan to participate in the 2018 Graduation after receiving the approvals from their dissertation committees

20 - 22	Rigor and Reproducibility core course
27	3rd laboratory rotation presentations for the 2017 incoming graduate students, Argyros Auditorium, 2pm - 5pm
30	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to submit via email the 3rd laboratory rotation reports to the registrar
30 in pm *Only for the 2017 incoming students	Spring break

### April 2018

1	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2018 prospective graduates to submit to the registrar the Graduation Guidelines Checklists signed by their mentors
2 - 4 *Only for the 2017 incoming students	Spring break
5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, & 26	Fundamentals of Scientific Research Core Course
29 & 30	Research Staff Organization Event in Lake Arrowhead, CA

### May 2018

1	Research Staff Organization event in Lake Arrowhead, CA
1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, & 31	Fundamentals of Scientific Research core course
15	Due by <b>noon</b> - if applicable, the 2017 incoming graduate students to provide via email the faculty names for the optional 4th lab rotations to the registrar
28	Memorial Day observed

### June 2018

5, 7, & 12	Fundamentals of Scientific Research core course
8	Graduation

### July 2018

1	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students to hand-deliver the completed Petition for Selection of Advisor for Dissertation Research forms to the registrar
4	Independence Day
12	Due by <b>noon</b> - the 2017 incoming graduate students doing 4th lab rotation to provide the Petition for Selection of Advisor for Dissertation Research forms to the registrar