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UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024 MAIN DATES (Amended)

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24 July	Closing date submission of final marks for Winter School
26 July	Closing date submission of final marks for Spring Graduation
2 August	Last day of registration for quarters 3 and 4 or semester 2 (No
	student is permitted to register for a module after the first two
	weeks of lectures have passed, with the exception of cases that
	have been approved by the Registrar)
5 August	Friday timetable is followed
9 August	South African Official Public Holiday
17 August	# Choose UP Day
19 August	Closing date for amendments or cancellation of modules
	(quarter 3, 4, and semester 2)
9 September	Lectures end for quarter 3
10 September	Lectures commence for quarter 4
17 September	Friday timetable is followed
18 September	UP Wellness Day (no lecture day)
19-29 September	September recess
24 September	South African Official Public Holiday
4 October	International Students' Day
26 October-7 December	Cooling-off period for all non-academic student activities before
	and during the examination period
7 November	Lectures end for quarter 4, semester 2
*8 November	Timetable of extra lecture day is followed (*Provision for National
	Election Day in semester 2 depending on the day of the election – if no
	election is held in semester 2, this will become an Examination preparation day)
9-27 November	Examination of third-quarter, fourth-quarter, second-semester,
	and year modules
2-7 December	Supplementary examinations of third-quarter, fourth-quarter,
	second-semester and year modules
7 December	Academic year ends
10 December	Last day for submission of supplementary examination marks of
	third-quarter, fourth-quarter, second-semester, and year
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16 December	South African Official Public Holiday
23 December	University closes at 10:00
25 December	South African Official Public Holiday
26 December	South African Official Public Holiday
3 January 2025	Academic year commences

GRADUATION CEREMONIES 2024

15 April-17 May
 2-6 September
 10 December
 Autumn Graduation Ceremonies
 Spring Graduation Ceremonies
 Graduation Ceremony for LLM in Human Rights

School Terms

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South African Official Public Holidays: https://www.gov.za/about-sa/public-holidays

UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024 Explanation of lecture days for 2024

Semester 1: 19 February – 6 (*7) June

Quarter 1: 19 February – 17 April

Mo = 7, Tu = 8, We = 8, Th = 6, Fr = 6 (35 lecture days)

Tuesday 19 March – Thursday timetable is followed Wednesday 20 March - Friday timetable is followed

Quarter 2: 18 April – 6 (*7) June

Mo = 7, Tu = 7, We = 6, Th = 8, Fr = 7 (35 lecture days)

Thursday 2 May – Wednesday timetable is followed

Friday *7 June – Timetable of extra lecture day is followed

* (Provision for National Election Day in semester 1 depending on the day of the election – if no election is held in semester 1, this will become an Examination preparation day)

Semester 2: 22 July – 7 (*8) November

Quarter 3: 22 July – 9 September

Mo = 8, Tu = 7, We = 7, Th = 7, Fr = 6 (35 lecture days)

Monday 5 August – Friday timetable is followed

Quarter 4: 10 September – 7 (*8) November

Mo = 7, Tu = 8, We = 7, Th = 7, Fr = 6 (35 lecture days)

Tuesday 17 September – Friday timetable is followed

*8 November – Timetable of extra lecture day is followed
*(Provision for National Election Day in semester 2 depending on the day of the election – if no election is

held in semester 2, this will become an Examination preparation day)