

ADLER UNIVERSITY - ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020-2021
CHICAGO CAMPUS (ON CAMPUS AND CMHC ONLINE PROGRAMS)

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Fall 2020: Monday, August 31, 2020 – Sunday, December 20, 2020			
Course Period	Fall 1 2020 8 Week All Campuses (08/31-10/25)	Fall 2020 15 & 16 Week Chicago	Fall 2 2020 8 Week All Campuses (10/26-12/20)
Course Period Begins	Monday, 8/31/2020	Monday, 8/31/2020	Monday, 10/26/2020
Drop Fee Begins:	Monday, 8/31/2020	Monday, 8/31/2020	Monday, 10/26/2020
<i>In order to avoid being assessed the drop fee, courses must be dropped via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the date prior to this date (the day before the course period begins). Mandatory fees are not refundable once the term has begun.</i>			
Add/Drop Period – 100% Refund **ALL CLASSES** :	Monday, 8/31/2020 – Wednesday, 9/9/2020	Monday, 8/31/2020 – Wednesday, 9/9/2020	Monday, 8/31/2020 – Wednesday, 11/04/2020
<i>Registration changes must be completed via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the final date indicated. Mandatory fees are not refundable once the term has begun.</i>			
Labor Day (Holiday)	Monday, September 7, 2020		
Add/Drop Period – FINAL DAY:	Wednesday, 9/9/2020	Wednesday, 9/9/2020	Wednesday, 11/04/2020
<i>Last day to add and drop classes. Registration changes must be completed via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the date indicated. After this date, students can only withdraw from a course. Please see the academic calendar for the deadline and criteria for “W” and “WF” grades. The late registration fee will be assessed to students who wish to add a class or exam after the date indicated.</i>			

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<p>Deadline to Withdraw from a Course with a "W" Grade:</p> <hr/> <p>How to withdraw from a course:</p> <hr/> <p><i>Email requests to withdraw from a course must be submitted to your Advisor or Program Director/Chair via your Adler email account no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on this date. If approved, your Advisor or Program Director/Chair will forward the email to the Office of the Registrar for processing. Students cannot withdraw from a course or exam with a W grade if the course has already ended or if the exam submission date has passed. Students who wish to withdraw from a course after this date will receive a WF grade (a WF grade factors into the GPA as an F). If you wish to withdraw from all of your courses, you must submit a Student Withdrawal form to withdraw completely from the University or a Leave of Absence form to take a leave from your program. Please see both forms for additional information and policies. The Student Withdrawal form and Leave of Absence form are located on the Registrar page on Adler Connect.</i></p>	<p>Sunday, 9/27/2020</p>	<p>Sunday, 10/25/2020</p>	<p>Sunday, 11/22/2020</p>
<p>Advisement Begins – Spring 2021 Term:</p> <hr/> <p><i>Students should begin meeting with their Advisor to discuss their course selections for the Spring 2021 term.</i></p>	<p><i>TBD</i></p> <p><i>*once a date is determined it will be announced via Adler email and Adler Connect*</i></p>		
<p>Indigenous Peoples' Day (Holiday)</p>	<p>Monday, 10/12/2020</p>		
<p>Commencement Ceremony:</p> <hr/> <p><i>Current students and recent alum please see the Student Affairs page on Adler Connect.</i></p>	<p>TBD</p>		

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Course Period Ends	Sunday, 10/25/2020	Sunday, 12/13/2020 – (15 week courses - most lecture courses) Sunday, 12/20/2020 (16 week courses)	Sunday, 12/20/2020
Spring 2021 Registration (on time):	<p><i>TBD</i></p> <p><i>*once a date is determined it will be announced via Adler email and Adler Connect*</i></p>		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Spring 2021 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Sunday, November 1, 2020.</i>			
Spring 2021 Late Registration Begins:	<p>Monday, 11/2/2020</p>		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Spring 2021 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Sunday, November 1, 2020.</i>			

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Course Period	Fall 1 2020 8 Week All Campuses (08/31-10/25)	Fall 2020 15 & 16 Week Chicago	Fall 2 2020 8 Week All Campuses (10/26-12/20)
<p>Degree Completion & Graduation Application Due for Spring 2021 Degree Completers:</p> <hr/> <p><i>Applications are due for students who will complete degree requirements during the Spring 2021 term. Applications submitted after this date will be charged the \$50.00 late fee.</i></p> <p><i>Please see the Graduation Application instructions on the Registrar page on Adler Connect for complete details.</i></p> <p><i>The application is mandatory regardless of whether you attend the commencement ceremony. Failure to submit the application may result in your being withdrawn from the program without your degree being conferred. Details regarding the ceremony are forthcoming from the Student Affairs Department. Please see their page on Adler Connect for details regarding the ceremony at (connect.adler.edu/student-services/studentaffairs).</i></p> <p><i>Commencement participation guidelines are determined at the program level. Please see your Program Director or Advisor for details.</i></p>	<p>Monday, 11/2/2020</p>		
Thanksgiving (Holiday)	Thursday, 11/26/2020		
Day after Thanksgiving (Holiday)	Friday, 11/27/2020		
Course Period Ends	Sunday, 10/25/2020	Sunday, 12/13/2020 – (15 week courses - most lecture courses) <hr/> Sunday, 12/20/2020 (16 week courses)	Sunday, 12/20/2020
Grades Due:	Friday, 10/30/2020	Friday, 12/18/2020 (15 week courses)	Tuesday, 12/29/2020
<i>Students who have questions regarding the status of a grade should connect directly with their instructor.</i>		Tuesday, 12/29/2020 (16 week courses)	

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Course Period	Fall 1 2020 8 Week All Campuses (08/31-10/25)	Fall 2020 15 & 16 Week Chicago	Fall 2 2020 8 Week All Campuses (10/26-12/20)
Christmas Eve (Holiday)	Thursday, 12/24/2020		
Christmas (Holiday)	Friday, 12/25/2020		
New Year's Day (Holiday)	Friday, 1/1/2021		

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Spring 2021: Monday, January 4, 2021 – Sunday, April 25, 2021			
Course Period	Spring 1 2021 8 Week All Campuses (01/04 - 02/28)	Spring 2021 15 & 16 Week Chicago & Vancouver	Spring 2 2021 8 Week All Campuses (03/01 - 04/25)
Course Period Begins	Monday, 1/4/2021	Monday, 1/4/2021	Monday, 3/1/2021
Drop Fee Begins:	Monday, 1/4/2021	Monday, 1/4/2021	Monday, 3/1/2021
<i>In order to avoid being assessed the drop fee, courses must be dropped via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the date prior (the day before the course period begins). Mandatory fees are not refundable once the term has begun.</i>			
Add/Drop Period – 100% Refund **ALL CLASSES** :	Monday, 1/4/2021 – Wednesday, 1/13/2021	Monday, 1/4/2021 – Wednesday, 1/13/2021	Monday, 1/4/2021 – Wednesday, 3/10/2021
<i>Registration changes must be completed via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the final date indicated. Mandatory fees are not refundable once the term has begun.</i>			
Add/Drop Period – FINAL DAY:	Wednesday, 1/13/2021	Wednesday, 1/13/2021	Wednesday, 3/10/2021
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Course Period	Spring 1 2021 8 Week All Campuses (01/04 - 02/28)	Spring 2021 15 & 16 Week Chicago & Vancouver	Spring 2 2021 8 Week All Campuses (03/01 - 04/25)
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Holiday)	Monday, 1/18/2021		
Deadline to Withdraw from a Course with a "W" Grade:	Sunday, 1/31/2021	Sunday, 2/28/2021	Sunday, 3/28/2021
<p>How to withdraw from a course:</p> <p><i>Email requests to withdraw from a course must be submitted to your Advisor or Program Director/Chair via your Adler email account no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the date indicated. If approved, your Advisor or Program Director/Chair will forward the email to the Office of the Registrar for processing. Students cannot withdraw from a course or exam with a W grade if the course has already ended or if the exam submission date has passed. Students who wish to withdraw from a course after this date will receive a WF grade (a WF grade factors into the GPA as an F). If you wish to withdraw from all of your courses, you must submit a Student Withdrawal form to withdraw completely from the University or a Leave of Absence form to take a leave from your program. Please see both forms for additional information and policies. The Student Withdrawal form and Leave of Absence form are located on the Registrar page on Adler Connect.</i></p>			
Advisement Begins – Summer 2021 Term:	Monday, 2/8/2021		
<i>Students should begin meeting with their Advisor to discuss their course selections for the Summer 2021 term.</i>			
President's Day (Holiday)	Monday, 2/15/2021		
Summer 2021 Registration (on time):	Monday, 2/22/2021 – Sunday, 3/7/2021		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Summer 2021 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Sunday, March 7, 2021.</i>			

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Course Period Ends	Sunday, 2/28/2021	Sunday, 4/18/2021 (15 week courses - most lecture courses)	Sunday, 4/25/2021
		Sunday, 4/25/2021 (16 week courses)	
Summer 2021 Late Registration Begins:	Monday, 3/8/2021		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Summer 2020 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Sunday, March 7, 2021.</i>			
Degree Completion & Graduation Application Due for Summer 2021 and Fall 2021 Degree Completers:	Monday, 3/8/2021		
<i>Applications are due for students who will complete degree requirements during the Summer 2021 term and Fall 2021 term. Applications submitted after this date will be charged the \$50.00 late fee.</i>			
<i>Please see the Graduation Application instructions on the Registrar page on Adler Connect for complete details.</i>			
<i>The application is mandatory regardless of whether you attend the commencement ceremony. Failure to submit the application may result in your being withdrawn from the program without your degree being conferred. Details regarding the ceremony are forthcoming from the Student Affairs Department. Please see their page on Adler Connect for details regarding the ceremony at (connect.adler.edu/student-services/studentaffairs).</i>			
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Spring Holiday	Friday, 4/2/2021		
Course Period Ends	Sunday, 2/28/2021	Sunday, 4/18/2021 (15 week courses - most lecture courses)	Sunday, 4/25/2021
		Sunday, 4/25/2021 (16 week courses)	
Grades Due:	Friday, 3/5/2021	Friday, 4/23/2021 (15 week courses)	Friday, 4/30/2021
<i>Students who have questions regarding the status of a grade should connect directly with their instructor.</i>		Friday, 4/30/2021 (16 week courses)	

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Course Period	Summer 1 2021 8 Week All Campuses (05/03 – 06/27)	Summer 2021 16 Week Chicago & Vancouver	Summer 2 2021 8 Week All Campuses (06/28 – 08/22)
Course Period Begins	Monday, 5/3/2021	Monday, 5/3/2021	Monday, 6/28/2021
Drop Fee Begins:	Monday, 5/3/2021	Monday, 5/3/2021	Monday, 6/28/2021
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Add/Drop Period – 100% Refund **ALL CLASSES** :	Monday, 5/3/2021 – Wednesday, 5/12/2021	Monday, 5/3/2021 – Wednesday, 5/12/2021	Monday, 5/3/2021 – Wednesday, 7/7/2021
<i>Registration changes must be completed via Student Planner no later than 11:59 p.m. CST on the final date indicated. Mandatory fees are not refundable once the term has begun.</i>			
Add/Drop Period – FINAL DAY:	Wednesday, 5/12/2021	Wednesday, 5/12/2021	Wednesday, 7/7/2021
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Course Period	Summer 1 2021 8 Week All Campuses (05/03 – 06/27)	Summer 2021 16 Week Chicago & Vancouver	Summer 2 2021 8 Week All Campuses (06/28 – 08/22)
<p>Advisement Begins – Fall 2021 Registration – CURRENT STUDENTS</p> <p><i>Students should begin meeting with their Advisor to discuss their course selections for the Fall 2021 term.</i></p>	Monday, 5/17/2021		
<p>Fall 2021 Registration Begins – NEW STUDENTS</p>	Monday, 5/24/2021		
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Course Period	Summer 1 2021 8 Week All Campuses (05/03 – 06/27)	Summer 2021 16 Week Chicago & Vancouver	Summer 2 2021 8 Week All Campuses (06/28 – 08/22)
Memorial Day (Holiday)	Monday, 5/31/2021		
Fall 2021 Registration (on time) – CURRENT STUDENTS	Tuesday, 6/1/2021 – Monday, 6/14/2021		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Fall 2021 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Monday, June 14, 2021.</i>			
Fall 2021 Late Registration Begins – CURRENT STUDENTS	Tuesday, 6/15/2021		
<i>The late registration fee will be assessed to students who have not registered for any Fall 2021 courses and are registering for the first time after 11:59 p.m. CST on Monday, June 14, 2021.</i>			
Juneteenth (Observed)	Friday, June 18, 2021		
Independence Day (Observed)	Monday, 7/5/2021		
Classes End	Sunday, 6/27/2021	Sunday, 8/22/2021	Sunday, 8/22/2021
Grades Due	Monday, 7/2/2021	Friday, 8/27/2021	Friday, 8/27/2021

2021 – 2022 Term Start and End Dates
Fall 2021: Monday, August 30, 2021 – Monday, December 19, 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16 week courses: Monday, 8/30/2021 – Sunday, 12/19/2021 • 15 week courses: Monday, 8/30/2021 – Sunday, 12/12/2021 • Fall 1 8 week courses: Monday, 8/30/2021 – Sunday, 10/24/2021 • Fall 2 8 week courses: Monday, 10/25/2021 – Sunday, 12/19/2021
Spring 2022: Monday, January 3, 2022 – Monday, April 24, 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16 week courses: Monday, 1/3/2022 – Sunday, 4/24/2022 • 15 week courses: Monday, 1/3/2022 – Sunday, 4/17/2022 • Spring 1 8 week courses: Monday, 1/3/2022 – Sunday, 2/27/2022 • Spring 2 8 week courses: Monday, 2/28/2022 – Sunday, 4/24/2022
Summer 2022: Monday, May 2, 2022 – Sunday, August 21, 2022

- 16 week courses: Monday, 5/2/2022 – Sunday, 8/21/2022
- Summer 1 8 week courses: Monday, 5/2/2022 – Sunday, 6/26/2022
- Summer 2 8 week courses: Monday, 6/27/2022 – Sunday, 8/21/2022