

# Calendar of Deadlines for *Spring Semester 2023* SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY—GRADUATE

<b><u>Spring Classes begin</u></b>	January 17
<b>ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS:</b> Last day to initiate Candidacy procedures and complete the <u>APPLICATION FOR DEGREE</u> for May 2023 Commencement	January 29
<i>February Break-No Classes</i>	<i>February 10</i>
<i>Spring Break-No Classes</i>	<i>March 13-17</i>
<b>Spring Mid-Term Conferral Date***</b>	March 18
<b><u>Master and Specialist in Education degree students:</u></b> Last day to return to the Candidacy Specialist the completed and signed <u>DEGREE AUDIT</u> form if degree conferral is anticipated at May 2023 Commencement. <b><u>Thesis students</u></b> will also need to submit the <u>THESIS PROPOSAL</u> form.	<b>March 24</b>
<i>Easter Break-No Classes</i>	<i>April 06-10</i>
Last day to withdraw from academic work in progress	TBD*
<b><u>Ph.D. degree Candidates:</u></b> Notification of Readiness* form for scheduling of the PUBLIC, ORAL PRESENTATION of the dissertation due to the Doctoral Candidacy Specialist. <i>The last day to hold the defense is <b>May 5.</b></i>	April 21
<b><u>Ed.D. degree Students:</u></b> Doctoral Oral Examination form for scheduling the doctoral oral due to the Doctoral Candidacy Specialist. <i>The last day to hold the oral is <b>May 5.</b></i>	April 21
<b>ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS:</b> Last day to complete the <u>FINAL ORAL EXAMINATION/ THESIS/DISSERTATION DEFENSE/Ed.D. PROJECT</u> & all other degree requirements. <i>Missing this deadline will delay conferral date.</i>	<b>May 05</b>
Last day of classes	May 08
Final course examinations	May 10-16
<b>ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS:</b> Last day for a format review with Candidacy Specialist and to submit FINAL COPY of Abstract and Thesis/Dissertation/ Ed.D. Project to PROQUEST. <i>Missing this deadline will delay conferral date.</i>	<b>May 12</b>
<b>ADMINISTRATORS:</b> Last day to submit ORAL/THESIS/DISSERTATION/Ed.D. PROJECT result forms	<b>May 15</b>
<i>Pre-Commencement Ceremonies (refer to sl.u.edu/Dept. for details)</i>	<i>May 18-19</i>
<b>Spring Degree Conferral Date</b>	<b>May 20, 2023</b>
<small>*Ph.D. degree students who expect to graduate at the end of this semester must be advanced to doctoral candidate status prior to the Public Defense of the Dissertation</small>	

**\*\* The format review appointment is to be held after all corrections are made that are required by the committee**

**\*\*\* ALL requirements for graduation including final grades, must be completed by March 10, 2023 to receive this conferral date. If any requirements are missing, the degree will automatically be moved to the May conferral date.**

**TBD\*** Please refer to the Registrar's Office [Academic Calendar](#) as these dates are not determined by Graduate Education.