

## Fall 2015: Dates to Remember

<b>Thu. 11/26- 11/27</b>	<b>Thanksgiving (School Closed)</b>	Thu. 12/17	Awards Convocation TBA (evening)
Mon. 11/30	Start 2nd 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG	<b>Fri. 12/18</b>	<b>Graduation 10:00am (GR/UG) &amp; 1:30 pm (DC)</b>
Mon. 11/30- 12/22	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC	Fri. 12/18	Academic Grades Due
Mon. 12/7	Last Day to Drop 2nd 5-wk Classes: UG	Sat. 12/19	Last Day for achieving Clinic Qtr. Milestone: DC
Mon. 12/7	Last Day to Withdraw: UG, MS, DC	Sat. 12/19	End of Quarter
Fri. 12/11	Classes End, 10-wk: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 12/21	All Grades Due
Mon. 12/14 - 12/17	Final Exams	<b>Wed. 12/23 - 1/1</b>	<b>Winter Break (School Closed)</b>
Tue. 12/15	Classes End, 2nd 5-wk: UG	Wed. 12/23 - 1/15	Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC
Wed. 12/16 - 12/19	Final Exams, 2nd 5-wk: UG	<b>Thu. 12/24 - 12/25</b>	<b>Christmas (School Closed)</b>
Thu. 12/17	Graduation Rehearsal: 11am - 1pm	Tue. 1/12/16	National Board Parts I, II, III & PT - Application Deadline: DC

## Winter 2016: Dates to Remember

Mon. 11/30-12/22	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC	Tue. 2/16	National Board Part IV - Application Deadline: DC (Projected Date)
Wed. 12/23-1/13	Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC	Wed. 2/17	Registration 2nd 5-wk Ends 1:00 pm: UG
Fri. 1/1	New Year's Day (School Closed)	Wed. 2/17	Classes Begin 2nd 5-wk: UG
Wed. 1/6	Faculty return to Campus	Sat. 2/20	CHPM Capstone I-III: 4th, 8th, 12th qtr: DC (Projected Date)
Thu. 1/7- 1/8	New Student Orientation/Advisement Registration	Mon. 2/22	Start 10-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG, DC
Fri. 1/8	Dr. Riekeman presents "Getting to Well"	Wed. 2/24	Start of 2nd 5-wk Classes Graded "W": UG
Mon. 1/11	Classes Begin: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 2/29 - 3/29	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC
Tue. 1/12	Last Day to Add 1st 5-wk classes: UG	Mon. 2/29	Last Day to Drop 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC
Wed. 1/13	Registration Ends, 10-wk classes: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 3/7	Start 2nd 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG
Thu. 1/14- 1/15	Add/Drop 10-wk classes with fees: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 3/14	Last Day to Withdraw: UG, MS, DC
Thu. 1/14	Welcome Back Party, Club & Market Day 11am-1pm	Mon. 3/14	Last Day to Drop 2nd 5-wk Classes: UG
Fri. 1/15	Last Day to Add 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC	Fri. 3/18	Classes End, 10-wk: UG, MS, DC
Fri. 1/15	Last Day to Drop Classes without Tuition Forfeiture: UG, MS, DC	Fri. 3/18 - 3/20	National Board Exams Part I, II, III, PT: DC (No DCP Classes)
<b>Mon. 1/18</b>	<b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day (School Closed)</b>	Mon. 3/21 - 3/24	Final Exams
Tue. 1/19	Drop or Withdrawn 10-wk & 1st 5-wk Classes start being graded "W": UG, MS, DC	Tue. 3/22	Classes End, 2nd 5-wk: UG
Tue. 1/19	Clinic Gateway Celebration: DC	Wed. 3/23 - 3/24	Final Exams, 2nd 5-wk: UG
Tue. 1/26	National Board Parts I, II, III & PT: Late Application Post Mark Deadline: DC	Wed. 3/23	Graduation Rehearsal: 11am - 1pm
Wed. 1/27	Last Day to change from 5-wk to 10-wk classes: UG	Thu. 3/24	Awards Convocation 11:00 am
Fri. 1/29	Last day to sign up for Written Comprehensive Exam: MS	Thu. 3/24	Graduation Lunch & Four Values Recognition 12:00 pm
Mon. 2/1	Start 1st 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG	Thu. 3/24	Graduation 2:30 pm: DC
Tue. 2/02 - 2/3	Assessment Day - OSCE Exams: DC	<b>Fri. 3/25</b>	<b>Good Friday (School Closed)</b>
Wed. 2/3	Dr. Riekeman presents "Rights and Responsibilities"	Fri. 3/25	Academic Grades Due
Fri. 2/5	Written Comprehensive Final Examination: MS	Sat. 3/26	Last Day for achieving Clinic Qtr. Milestone: DC
Mon. 2/8	Last Day to Drop 1st 5-wk classes: UG	Sat. 3/26	End of Quarter
Fri. 2/12	Classes End 1st 5-wk: UG	Mon. 3/28	All Grades Due
Mon. 2/15- 2/16	Final Exams, 1st 5-wk: UG	Wed. 3/30- 4/6	Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC
Tue. 2/16	Orientation/Registration 2nd 5-wk: UG		

## Spring 2016: Dates to Remember

Mon. 02/29- 3/29	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC	Wed. 5/11	Registration 2nd 5-wk Ends 1:00 pm: UG
Wed. 03/30 - 4/6	Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC	Fri. 05/13 - 5/15	National Board Part IV Exam: DC (Projected Date)
Wed. 3/30	Faculty return to Campus	Mon. 5/16	10-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG, DC
Thu. 3/31 - 4/1	New Student Orientation/Advisement Registration	Wed. 5/18	Start of 2nd 5-wk Classes Graded "W": UG
Fri. 4/1	Dr. Riekeman presents "Getting to Well"	Sat. 5/21	CHPM Capstone I-III: 4th, 8th, 12th qtr: DC (Projected Date)
Mon. 4/4	Classes Begin: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 5/23	Last Day to Drop 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC
Tue. 4/5	Last Day to Add 1st 5-wk classes: UG	Mon. 5/23 - 6/21	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC
Wed. 4/6/	Registration Ends, 10-wk classes: UG, MS, DC	<b>Mon. 5/30</b>	<b>Memorial Day (School Closed)</b>
Thu. 04/07- 4/8	Add/Drop 10-wk classes with fees: UG, MS, DC	Tue. 5/31	Start 2nd 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG
Thu. 4/7	Welcome Back Party, Club & Market Day 11am-1pm	Mon. 6/6	Last Day to Drop 2nd 5-wk Classes: UG
Fri. 4/8	Last Day to Add 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC	Mon. 6/6	Last Day to Withdraw: UG, MS, DC
Fri. 4/8	Last Day to Drop Classes without Tuition Forfeiture: UG, MS, DC	Fr. 6/10	Classes End, 10-wk: UG, MS, DC
Mon. 4/11	Drop or Withdrawn 10-wk & 1st 5-wk Classes start being graded "W": UG, MS, DC	Mon. 06/13 - 6/16	Final Exams
Tue. 4/12	Clinic Gateway Celebration: DC	Tue. 6/14	Classes End, 2nd 5-wk: UG
Wed. 4/20	Last Day to change from 5-wk to 10-wk classes: UG	Wed. 06/15 - 6/17	Final Exams, 2nd 5-wk: UG
Fri. 4/22	Last day to sign up for Written Comprehensive Exam: MS	Thu. 6/16	Graduation Rehearsal: 11am - 1pm
Sat. 4/23	Passover	Thu. 6/16	Awards Convocation TBA (evening)
Mon. 4/25	Start 1st 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG	Fri. 6/17	Graduation 1:00 pm
Tue. 04/26 - 4/27	Assessment Day - OSCE Exams: DC	Fri. 6/17	Academic Grades Due
Wed. 4/27	Dr. Riekeman presents "Rights and Responsibilities"	Sat. 6/18	Last Day for achieving Clinic Qtr. Milestone: DC
Fri. 4/29	Written Comprehensive Final Examination: MS	Sat. 6/18	End of Quarter
Mon. 5/2	Last Day to Drop 1st 5-wk classes: UG	Mon. 6/20	All Grades Due
Fri. 5/6	Classes End 1st 5-wk: UG	Wed. 06/22 - 7/13	Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC
Mon. 05/09 - 5/10	Final Exams, 1st 5-wk: UG	Tue. 7/12	National Board Parts I, II, III & PT - Application Deadline: DC
Tue. 5/10	Orientation/Registration 2nd 5-wk: UG		
Wed. 5/11	Classes Begin 2nd 5-wk: UG		

## Tentative Summer 2016: Dates to Remember

Mon. 05/23 - 6/21 Wed. 06/22 - 7/13 <b>Mon. 7/4</b> Wed. 7/6 Thu. 7/7/16 - 7/8 Fri. 7/8 Mon. 7/11 Tue. 7/12  Tue. 7/12 Wed. 7/13 Thu. 7/14 Thu. 7/14 - 7/15 Fri. 7/15 Fri. 7/15  Mon. 7/18  Mon. 7/19 Tue. 7/26  Wed. 7/27 Fri. 7/29 Mon. 8/1  Tue. 08/02 - 8/3 Wed. 8/3 Fri. 8/5 Mon. 8/8 Fri. 8/12 Mon. 08/15 - 8/16	Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC <b>July 4 Independence Day (School Closed)</b> Faculty return to Campus New Student Orientation/Advisement Registration Dr. Riekeman presents "Getting to Well" Classes Begin: UG, MS, DC National Board Parts I, II, III & PT - Application Deadline: DC Last Day to Add 1st 5-wk classes: UG, MS Registration Ends, 10-wk classes: UG, MS, DC Welcome Back Party, Club & Market Day 11am-1pm Add/Drop 10-wk classes with fees: UG, MS, DC Last Day to Add 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC Last Day to Drop Classes without Tuition Forfeiture: UG, MS, DC Drop or Withdrawn 10-wk & 1st 5-wk Classes start being graded "W": UG, MS, DC Clinic Gateway Celebration: DC National Board Parts I, II, III & PT - Late Application Post Mark Deadline: DC Last Day to change from 5-wk to 10-wk classes: UG, MS Last day to sign up for Written Comprehensive Exam: MS Start 1st 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG Assessment Day - OSCE Exams: DC Dr. Riekeman presents "Rights and Responsibilities" Written Comprehensive Final Examination: MS Last Day to Drop 1st 5-wk classes: UG, MS Classes End 1st 5-wk: UG, MS Final Exams, 1st 5-wk: UG, MS	Tue. 8/16 Tue. 8/16 Wed. 8/17 Wed. 8/17 Sat. 8/20  Mon. 8/22  Wed. 8/24 Mon. 8/29 Mon. 8/29 - 9/27 Mon. 9/5 Tue. 9/6  Mon. 9/12 Mon. 9/12 Fri. 9/16 Fri. 9/16 - 9/18  Mon. 09/19 - 9/22 Tue. 9/20 Wed. 09/21 - 9/23 Thu. 9/22 Thu. 9/22 Fri. 9/23 Fri. 9/23 Sat. 9/24 Sat. 9/24 Mon. 9/26 Wed. 09/28 - 10/5	National Board Part IV - Application Deadline: DC (Projected Date) Orientation/Registration 2nd 5-wk: UG, MS Registration 2nd 5-wk Ends 1:00 pm: UG, MS Classes Begin 2nd 5-wk: UG, MS CHPM Capstone I-III: 4th, 8th, 12th qtr: DC (Projected Date) Start 10-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG, DC Start of 2nd 5-wk Classes Graded "W": UG, MS Last Day to Drop 10-wk Classes: UG, MS, DC Pre-Registration: UG, MS, DC Labor Day (School Closed) Start 2nd 5-wk Drop & Withdrawn Classes graded "WF" or "WNP": UG, MS Last Day to Drop 2nd 5-wk Classes: UG, MS Last Day to Withdraw: UG, MS, DC Classes End, 10-wk: UG, MS, DC National Board Exams Part I, II, III, PT: DC (No DC Classes) Final Exams Classes End, 2nd 5-wk: UG, MS Final Exams, 2nd 5-wk: UG, MS Graduation Rehearsal: 11am - 1pm Awards Convocation TBA (evening) Graduation 1:00 pm Academic Grades Due Last Day for achieving Clinic Qtr. Milestone: DC End of Quarter All Grades Due Registration begins, returning students: UG, MS, DC
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**Please note:** dates may be tentative and subject to change.

Life University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097; Telephone number 404-679-4501) to award the Doctor of Chiropractic, Master of Science, Bachelor of Science and Associate of Science degrees.

"The Doctor of Chiropractic degree program of Life University's College of Chiropractic is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of the Council on Chiropractic Education, 8049 North 85th Way, Scottsdale, AZ 85258-4321. Tel : 480-443-8877." Any questions or complaints regarding Life University's compliance with CCE's accrediting criteria should be addressed, telephoned and/or faxed as above.



## The Core Life Proficiencies

*In conjunction with providing health care degree programs, Life University is committed to delivering an education designed around a set of core proficiencies that advance personal integrity and provide the foundation for professional success, social contribution and cultural change. These proficiencies distinguish a Life University education.*

### **Belief Systems and Performance**

Life University will expose its students to a range of contemporary intellectual approaches and technologies that will help them reach higher levels of performance and success. Students will learn criteria by which to judge the usefulness of certain technologies and their applicability to their learning styles.

### **Communication and Relationship Theory/Skills**

An ability to communicate effectively and the capacity for building relationships with others are critical factors in personal, business and life success. These skills can be developed. Life University will challenge its students to develop and utilize the skills of effective listening, empathy, interpersonal skills and public speaking to create clear communications and foster meaningful professional relationships with members of the public, patients, colleagues and key opinion leaders.

### **Contemporary Scientific Paradigms**

For thousands of years and especially since Sir Isaac Newton, humankind's scientific understanding of the functioning of the universe has been based largely on a mechanistic model. Contemporary quantum physics opens the door to a much more vitalistic understanding of human dynamics. Life University will expose our students to the implications of these models especially as they apply to research in health care.

### **Integrative Change**

Because change is one of the few constants in today's professional environments, an educated person must learn how to evaluate, plan for and effectively use the element of change to impact controlled differences in the world. Life University will expose students to tested theories and concepts and help them evaluate their usefulness. Students will also learn how people integrate and accept new philosophies and skills for communicating new concepts of health care.

### **Integrity and Citizenship**

Integrity provides the underpinning for the responsible exercise of our rights and responsibilities as human beings. Integrity leads to empowerment and excellence, while a lack of integrity results in mediocrity. Life University teaches students how to manage personal integrity and function as valued citizens within the academic, health care and larger communities.

### **Leadership and Entrepreneurship**

Extensive research available today outlines the hallmarks of effective leadership. Life University draws on this body of knowledge and teaches students how to apply it in an entrepreneurial setting to build a successful business or organization.

### **Learning Theory/Critical Thinking**

Life University engages students in critical thinking by teaching them how to gather meaningful data, synthesize new information with existing knowledge, think independently and search for practical application of their knowledge in professional practice and daily life. We exhort our students to not only learn skills, but to become innovators who contribute positively to their communities.

### **Philosophy of Human Existence and Health Care Policy**

Health care systems evolve from health care philosophies. Although our most institutionalized systems today revolve around a mechanistic view of health, Life University sees value in a vitalistic view of human function. With a growing body of evidence to support vitalistic concepts in the health care milieu, Life University will help spearhead changes that will revolutionize our nation's approach to health care. Our faculty will clearly identify these key issues for students and teach them how to evaluate new information and direct professional dialogues that will lead to new health care policy.

## **LIFE UNIVERSITY HONOR CODE**

All members of the Life University community are entrusted with the responsibility of upholding ethical goals and values. Essential to the fundamental purpose of Life University is a personal commitment to the principles of citizenship and integrity.

Integrity provides the underpinning for the responsible exercise of our rights and responsibilities as civil human beings within our community. Integrity leads to empowerment and excellence, while a lack of integrity results in mediocrity. Life University teaches students how to achieve and maintain personal integrity and function as valued citizens within the academic, health care and larger communities.

As individuals and members of the Life University community, we commit ourselves to act with civility, honesty, and responsibility, and above all, with integrity and honor. We are accountable for all that we say, write and do. We are responsible for the academic integrity of our work. We pledge that we will not misrepresent our work, nor give or receive unauthorized aid. We commit ourselves to behave in a manner which demonstrates concern for the personal dignity, rights and freedoms of all members of the community. We are respectful of Life University property and the property of others. We will not tolerate a lack of respect for these values by anyone.

**“INTEGRITY; CARRY IT WITH YOU”**