

<b><u>Required</u> Dissertation and Thesis Deadlines for 2020-2021</b> <b>(Thursday is Weekly Deadline)</b>				
<b>Defense date</b>	8 weeks before graduation (doctoral level)	November 5	March 11	June 10
	<i>5 weeks before graduation (master's level)</i>	<i>November 26</i>	<i>April 1</i>	<i>July 1</i>
<b>Completely edited draft to Chair/ Committee</b>	6 weeks before graduation (doctoral level)	November 19	March 25	June 24
	<i>4 weeks before graduation (master's level)</i>	<i>November 26</i>	<i>April 8</i>	<i>July 8</i>
<b>Dissertation Office receives e-copy and all sign-offs</b>	4 weeks before graduation (doctoral level)	December 3	April 8	July 8
	<i>3 weeks before graduation (master's level)</i>	<i>December 10</i>	<i>April 15</i>	<i>July 15</i>
<b>Academic Records receives Final Dissertation or Thesis Approval Form</b>	2 weeks before graduation	December 17	April 22	July 22
<b>Graduation</b>		<b>December 31</b>	<b>May 9</b>	<b>August 8</b>