

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL-NEWARK
and
THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND ADMINISTRATION
FALL 2008 CALENDAR

GRADUATE FACULTY AND STUDENTS: Please note the following dates and information pertinent to the **FALL** term.

August 1: Last day for filing diploma applications for October degree date.

September 2: Fall term begins (NJIT - starting day for the Fall'08 term is **September 2, 2008**). Accurate rosters are available on the web. (Instructors: ask your Program Director). Registration for Matriculation Continued is subject to late fees as of **September 2, 2008**.

Approval of the Dean of the Graduate School is required for credit overload (17 credits or more, including teaching assistantships).

September 2 - 9 : Students have the first 8 days of class to change their registration via the **Web Registration** or the **Rutgers Touchtone Registration System (RTTRS)** with no extra fees or penalty.

Adding and Dropping via WEB/RTTRS:	September 2 - 8
Adding only via WEB/RTTRS:	September 9

September 2 - Oct. 13 : A complete withdrawal from the University from **September 2** through the sixth week of the term is subject to a partial refund. See the Graduate School-Newark catalog for the General Refund Policy.

September 9: Last day to register for non-degree courses.

September 9 - Nov. 24 : Students may drop courses without academic penalty but will receive a "W" grade. After **November 24** , it is no longer possible to drop a course.

To add a class after the add period, special permission is needed from the program director and when necessary, the permission and signature of the Dean of the Graduate School-Newark. The effective date of a change of registration is the date on which the Change of Course form with appropriate signatures is filed with the Registrar.

October 1: Last day for filing candidacy applications for both master's and doctoral students for the October degree date, and for submitting completed theses and dissertations.

November 1: Last day for filing diploma applications for January degree date

November 10 - 14 : Advisement and registration period for the **spring 2009** term for continuing students.

November 24 : Last day to withdraw from school (all courses) with a "W". No refund.

November 27: Thanksgiving recess.

December 1: Classes resume.

December 10: Last day of classes.

December 15: Fall term examinations begin.

December 22: Fall term examinations end. Change of incomplete grades for **fall 2007** term must be filed with the dean's office by this date.

December 23: Winter recess begins.

January 4, 2009: Last day for filing candidacy applications for both master's and doctoral students for January degree date, and for submitting completed theses and dissertations.

January 20: Spring 2009 term begins.