# Opportunities, Announcements & Deadlines

## Deadlines

### Fall 2019 Registration and Graduation Deadlines

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<td>Sept 3</td>
<td>4th class day. Last day students may late register online ($25 late fee). Tuition and fee payments due by 5pm. Students must confirm their registration to avoid cancellation.</td>
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<td>Sept 4</td>
<td>5th class day. Students can only late register within THE DEPARTMENT OFFERING THE COURSE ($50 late fee).</td>
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<td>Sept 13</td>
<td>12th class day. Last day to delete drop (full refund) or add a course through the department offering the course. All registration changes should be completed by this day. Add bills due 5pm.</td>
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<td>Sept 16</td>
<td>13th class day. Late registration fee now $200 (MUST PAY SAME DAY). Dean's approval needed to late register. Form and petition letter required to be walked to Dean's office- cannot be dropped off or mailed in(<a href="https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/policies/late-registration">https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/policies/late-registration</a>)</td>
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<td>Sept 25</td>
<td>20th class day. Last day to Q-drop a course without the instructor's approval (no refund). Last day to withdraw from the fall semester with a partial refund. Q/F period begins September 26th.</td>
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<td>Nov 15</td>
<td>Last day to apply for a graduate degree (master's or doctoral).</td>
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<td>Nov 25</td>
<td>Last day to change a course's grading status. Last day to switch research or conference course hours to dissertation hours for students who have advanced to candidacy.</td>
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<td>Dec 6</td>
<td>Fall graduates must complete and submit all requirements by 3:00 pm to graduate. (See &quot;Deadlines and Submission Instructions for Graduation&quot; <a href="https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/graduation/deadlines-and-submission-instructions">https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/graduation/deadlines-and-submission-instructions</a>)</td>
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<td>Dec 9</td>
<td>Last Class Day. Last day to Q/F drop a course (no refund, instructor approval required). Last day to withdraw from the fall semester.</td>
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## Announcements & Opportunities

### Upcoming Workshops from the Graduate School (9/25/2019)

**Templates & Formatting**

Presented by Bob Penman

Tuesday, October 15, 2019

1PM-2PM

PCL Learning Lab 1A

The Graduate School distributes a set of thesis and dissertation templates in Microsoft Word for Apple and Windows computers, which will help you format your paper according to current requirements. This workshop will help you learn to use the templates, and will cover such topics as the use of styles, correct page numbering, and table of contents generation.

No registration is required for this workshop.

For more information, see: [https://calendar.utexas.edu/event/templates_and_formatting_session_1#.XYJ-wShKiUk](https://calendar.utexas.edu/event/templates_and_formatting_session_1#.XYJ-wShKiUk)

For questions, contact Bob Penman at bpenman@austin.utexas.edu
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For more information, see: https://calendar.utexas.edu/event/templates_and_formatting_session_2#.XYJ-VShKiUk

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Common Formatting Errors in Theses and Dissertations
Presented by Renee Babcock
Tuesday, October 29, 2019
1PM – 2PM
POB 2.402

This workshop will cover formatting requirements for theses and dissertations. We will discuss common errors and how to avoid them. This workshop is appropriate for all graduate students who are completing a thesis or dissertation, whether using Word or Latex, since we will not be getting into details of using the templates.

To register for this workshop, click this link: https://utexas.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_eF35QLAJ4Fs4ApT

For more information, see our web site at https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/theses-and-dissertations/digital-submission-requirement#formatting

For questions, contact Renee Babcock at r.babcock@austin.utexas.edu

Master's Degree Candidate Workshop
Presented by Holly Bhasin
Wednesday, November 13, 2019
1PM - 2PM
POB 2.402

At this workshop, we will review the guidelines and deadlines for graduation this semester. Topics will include applying to graduate, how to submit your thesis or report to the Texas Digital Library and your final paperwork submission to the Graduate School. There will be time for Q & A.

To register to attend the workshop, click on this link: https://utexas.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8dpmPj835JbwdA

For more information, see our web site at https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/graduation/deadlines-and-submission-instructions

For questions, contact Holly Bhasin at holly.bhasin@austin.utexas.edu

Open Access Publication & Embargoes
Presented by Renee Babcock
Thursday November 7, 2019
1 PM – 2 PM
POB 2.402

UT requires open access publication of all theses, reports, and dissertations. However, the Graduate School can temporarily delay the publication (embargo) of your thesis or dissertation for up to seven years. This workshop will clarify open access publication, your rights as the copyright owner of your thesis or dissertation, reasons why you might want to embargo your thesis or dissertation, and the procedures for doing so. We will also cover general information on copyright and fair use. There will be opportunity for Q&A.

To register to attend the workshop, click this link: https://utexas.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_cU5IWBcEkD6MJcV

For more information, see our web site at https://gradschool.utexas.edu/academics/graduation/deadlines-and-submission-instructions.

For questions, contact Renee Babcock at r.babcock@austin.utexas.edu

Doctoral Degree Candidate Workshop

Presented by Renee Babcock

Tuesday November 12, 2019

1 PM - 2 PM
POB 2.402

At this workshop, we will review the guidelines and deadlines necessary for graduation this semester. Topics will include applying to graduate, scheduling your defense, submitting your dissertation or treatise to the Texas Digital Library, requesting an embargo, IRB requirements, and reviewing what paperwork you must submit to the Graduate School. There will be time for Q & A.

To register for this workshop, click this link: https://utexas.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6zoAwNTx6UOm7KB

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