

## Fall 2008 Graduation

### *Academic Calendar Dates & Deadlines Necessary to Complete Certification of Graduation in Fall Semester, 2008*

- August 1 Intent to Graduate Form (Graduation Application) to the College Advising Office by 5:00 p.m.
- August 25 First day of classes
- August 29 Last day for **FALL** registration and drop/add.
- Deadline for College Coordinators to submit requests for waivers of Fall registration to the College of Graduate Studies.
- Scheduled day for College Coordinators to submit **Intent to Graduate Forms** and **degree audits** to the College of Graduate Studies.
- October 10 Doctoral Dissertation Format Review Deadline
- October 17 Last day for College Coordinators to submit late Intent to Graduate Forms & degree audits. For those ITGs received after this date, names will not appear in the Commencement Program
- Deadline for College Coordinators to submit grade changes for previous semesters.
- October 24 Master's Thesis Format Review Deadline
- November 7 Thesis/Dissertation Defense Deadline
- November 14 Last day to notify Graduate Studies of any **Doctoral students** NOT graduating (for the commencement program)
- November 21 Thesis/Dissertation Submission Deadline.
- November 24 Deadline for College Coordinators to submit Graduate Petition Forms to the College of Graduate Studies. No petitions for fall 2008 graduates will be accepted after this date.
- December 8 **Doctoral** Semi-Final SASS degree audits due to the College of Graduate Studies for review
- December 12 Last day to submit a change of address for the diploma mailing address to the College of Graduate Studies.
- December 15-16 Commencement
- December 17 Grades due to Registrar's Office
- December 19 SASS Degree Audits available to the colleges.
- December 23 Masters and Doctoral certified SASS degree audits due to College of Graduate Studies **by 5:00 p.m.**
- December 30 Graduate Certificate Completion forms due to College of Graduate Studies.
- January 20 Deadline for degree certification. Note: Audits must be clean on January 20<sup>th</sup>. All Fall semester grade changes must be turned in with sufficient time to process in order for the audits to be clean on January 20<sup>th</sup>.