

HOWARD UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK  
CALENDAR - SPRING 2008 SEMESTER

January 7, Monday & January 8, Tuesday	<b>COURSE REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT OF TUITION/FEES FOR NEW STUDENTS &amp; FORMER STUDENTS RETURNING (FSR)</b>
January 9, Wednesday	<b>FORMAL CLASSES BEGIN</b> in all schools and colleges
<i>January 9, Wednesday</i>	<i>Field Education begins for First and Second Year Students (Field Education II, III or IV)</i>
January 9, Wednesday - January 16, Wednesday	<b>Change of Program Period - Add or drop a course without grade of "W", change from one section to another, change from credit to audit or audit to credit</b>
	<b>LATE REGISTRATION FOR SPRING 2008 BEGINS. LATE FEE EFFECTIVE</b>
<i>January 11, Friday (9:00am-12:00 noon)</i>	<i>Orientation for Faculty Consultants</i>
January 4,5,7,11,12	<b>GRADUATE EXPOSITORY WRITING EXAMINATION</b> (Register online at <a href="http://www.howard.edu">www.howard.edu</a> Graduate School website)
<i>January 14, Monday (9a.m. – 12 pm)</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Seminar for all first year field education students</i>
January 15, Tuesday	<b>Deadline for 100% refund of tuition/fee charges</b>
<i>January 16, Wednesday (9 a.m. – 12 pm)</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Seminar for second year field education students</i>
January 17, Thursday	<b>COURSE WITHDRAWAL FEE EFFECTIVE</b>
January 18, Friday	<b>Deadline for receipt of December 2007 Graduation Recommendations in Office of the Secretary of the University - 5:00 PM</b>
January 21, Monday	<b>MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED- LEGAL HOLIDAY</b>
<i>February 8, Friday</i>	<i>Learning Contracts Due For all Field Education Students</i>
<i>February 11, Monday (9:00 a.m. – 12 noon)</i>	<i>2nd Seminar for first year field education students</i>
<i>February 15, Friday (8:30 am - 5:00 pm)</i>	<i>Seminar for Field Instructors</i>

February 18, Monday	<b>PRESIDENTS' DAY OBSERVED - LEGAL HOLIDAY</b>
<i>February 20, Wednesday (9:00am-12:00 noon)</i>	<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Field Education Seminar for Second-Year Student</i>
February 15, Friday	<b>Deadline for receipt of Applications for Admission for Fall 2008</b>
February 17, Sunday	<b>Deadline for 50% refund of tuition/fee charges</b>
February 29, Friday	<b>CHARTER DAY CONVOCATION</b> Ceremony begins at 11 a.m. in Cramton Auditorium. Classes suspended between 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
<i>March 3, Monday</i>	<i>Mid-Term Evaluations for Field Education Due</i>
March 1-31	<b>SOCIAL WORK MONTH</b>
March 7, Friday	<b>Deadline for faculty to report Unofficial Withdrawal "UW" Grades via the web to Enrollment Management/Records for Spring 2008</b>  <b>Mid-Term Evaluations Due</b>
March 8, Saturday	<b>Deadline for 25% refund of tuition/fee charges. (Last day for refunds)</b>
March 15, Saturday	<b>Second Deferred Tuition Payment due for Spring 2008</b>  <b>Priority deadline for receipt of 2008-2009 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) – for continuing students and Former Students Returning (FSRs)</b>
<i>March 10, Monday 9:00am-12:00 noon</i>	<i>3<sup>rd</sup> Field Education Seminar for First-Year Field Education Students</i>
March 10, Monday 12noon-1:00 pm	<b>First Year Students Meeting with Associate Dean</b>
March 13, Thursday 8:30-9:30pm	<b>First Year Students Meeting with Associate Dean</b> (for those students who could not make the Monday, 3/10/08 meeting)
March 15, Saturday - March 23, Sunday	<b>SPRING RECESS</b>
March 24, Monday to April 4, Friday	<b>GENERAL REGISTRATION (GR)</b> <b>(Course selection for Fall 2008)</b>
March 25, Tuesday 8:30-9:30pm	<b>Second Year Students Meeting with Associate Dean</b>

<i>March 26, Wednesday (9:00am-12:00 noon)</i>	<i>3<sup>rd</sup> Field Education Seminar for Second-Year Field Education Students</i>
<b>March 26, Wednesday 12noon-1:00 pm</b>	<b>Second Year Students Meeting with Associate Dean</b> (for those students who could not make the Tuesday, 3/25/08 meeting)
<b>March 31, Monday</b>	<b>Deadline for receipt of Financial Aid Applications for Summer 2008</b>
<b>April 7, Monday</b>	<b>Last day to withdraw from a course or to Complete a Total Withdrawal from the University</b>
<i>April 7, Monday 9:00am-12:00 noon</i>	<i>4<sup>th</sup> Field Education Seminar for First-Year Field Education Students</i>
<b>April 7, Monday 12:00pm-1:30pm</b>	<b>Cosby Fellow Colloquium</b>
<i>April 11, Friday</i>	<i>Final Field Education Evaluations due for Prospective May 2008 MSW Graduates</i>
<b>April 15, Tuesday</b>	<b>Job Fair for December 2007 &amp; May 2008 M.S.W. Graduates</b>
<i>April 18, Friday</i>	<i><b>LAST DAY OF FIELD EDUCATION for GRADUATING STUDENTS</b></i>  <i>Final evaluations due for first year and non-graduating second year students</i>
<b>April 21, Monday to April 23, Wednesday</b>	<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS FOR PROSPECTIVE GRADUATES</b>
<b>April 24, Thursday</b>	<b>FORMAL CLASSES END</b>  <b>Deadline for students to clear Fall 2007 Incomplete Grades</b>  <i><b>LAST DAY OF FIELD EDUCATION for FIRST YEAR AND NON- GRADUATING SECOND YEAR STUDENTS</b></i>
<b>April 25, Friday</b>	<b>GRADES FOR PROSPECTIVE GRADUATES DUE IN OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT BY 3:00 P.M. via the web</b>
<b>April 25, Friday to April 27, Monday</b>	<b>READING PERIOD</b>
<b>April 30, Wednesday to May 7, Wednesday</b>	<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS</b>  <b>Deadline for Instructors to submit Final Grades is 5 calendar days after the scheduled final examination.</b>
<b>May 7, Wednesday</b>	<b>SECOND SEMESTER ENDS</b>

- May 8, Thursday                      **Deadline for receipt of May 2008 Graduation Recommendations in Office of the Secretary of the University - 5:00 PM**
- May 8, Thursday                      **Rehearsal for Graduate Recognition Ceremony for Social Work Graduates – SSW Auditorium, Room 114**
- May 9, Friday  
10:30am                                  **GRADUATE RECOGNITION CEREMONY FOR SOCIAL WORK GRADUATES, Lower Quadrangle - Main Campus**
- May 10, Saturday                      **COMMENCEMENT - 10:00 a.m., Upper Quadrangle - Main Campus**

## **SUMMER SCHOOL 2008**

### SESSION I:

**May 27 – July 1**  
**Registration: May 21 and 22**  
**Late Registration: May 23 – 27**  
**Classes Begin: Tuesday, May 27**

### SESSION II:

**July 7 – Aug 11**  
**Registration: July 2 and 3**  
**Late Registration: July 7 & 8**  
**Classes Begin: Monday, July 7**

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**NOTE:**                      *Field Education Schedule indicated in italic.*  
**Calendar subject to change - Based on 2007-2008 University Calendar**