

GUST Academic Calendar for 2016 - 2017

| Dates | | Event |
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| Sun 28-Aug-2016 | | All Faculty Return |
| Tue 30-Aug-2016 | - Thu 1-Sep-2016 | New Faculty Orientation |
| Thu 1-Sep-2016 | | Returning Faculty Orientation |
| Sun 4-Sep-2016 | | Fall Semester Classes Begin (15 Wks instruction) |
| Sat 10-Sep-2016 | | University Holiday/ Day of Arafa |
| Sun 11-Sep-2016 | - Tue 13-Sep-2016 | University Holiday/ Eid Al-Adha |
| Wed 14-Sep-2016 | - Thu 15-Sep-2016 | Instructional Holiday |
| Sun 2-Oct-2016 | | University Holiday/ Al-Hijri New Year's Day |
| Tue 18-Oct-2016 | | Commencement |
| Mon 12-Dec-2016 | | University Holiday/ Prophet's Birthday |
| Thu 22-Dec-2016 | | Fall Semester Classes End |
| Sat 24-Dec-2016 | - Mon 2-Jan-2017 | Fall Final Exams |
| Sun 1-Jan-2017 | | University Holiday/ New Year's Day |
| Thu 5-Jan-2017 | | Last Day to post final grades |
| Sun 8-Jan-2017 | - Sat 14-Jan-2017 | Winter Break |
| Sun 15-Jan-2017 | | Spring Semester Classes Begin (15 Wks instruction) |
| Sat 25-Feb-2017 | | University Holiday/ Independence Day |
| Sun 26-Feb-2017 | | University Holiday/ Liberation Day |
| Mon 27-Feb-2017 | - Thu 2-Mar-2017 | Instructional Holiday |
| Sun 23-Apr-2017 | | University Holiday/ Al-Israa Wal Miraj |
| Thu 4-May-2017 | | Spring Semester Classes End |
| Sat 6-May-2017 | - Thu 11-May-2017 | Spring Final Exams |
| Mon 15-May-2017 | | Last Day to post final grades |
| Sun 21-May-2017 | | Summer-1 Classes Begin (6 Wks instruction) |
| Sat 27-May-2017 | | First Day of Ramadan |
| Sun 25-Jun-2017 | - Thu 29-Jun-2017 | University Holiday/ Eid Al-Fetr |
| Thu 6-Jul-2017 | | Summer-1 Classes End |
| Sat 8-Jul-2017 | - Sun 9-Jul-2017 | Summer-1 Final Exams |
| Sun 16-Jul-2017 | | Summer-2 Classes Begin (6 Wks instruction) |
| Thu 24-Aug-2017 | | Summer-2 Classes End |
| Sat 26-Aug-2017 | - Sun 27-Aug-2017 | Summer-2 Final Exams |
| Thu 31-Aug-2017 | | University Holiday/ Day of Arafa |
| Fri 1-Sep-2017 | - Mon 4-Sep-2017 | University Holiday/ Eid Al-Adha |
| Tue 05-Sep-2017 | | All Faculty Return |
| Tue 05-Sep-2017 | - Thu 7-Sep-2017 | New Faculty Orientation |
| Thu 7-Sep-2017 | | Returning Faculty Orientation |
| Sun 10-Sep-2017 | | Fall Semester Classes Begin |

Note: Observed days for Islamic Holidays will be announced by Human Resources.