

# COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

## Academic Calendar 2022–2023

### Autumn Term 2022

#### August

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| 8-11            | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> Study/Exam Week  |
| 12              | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> End of on-campus classes and exams                                       |
| 15-16           | LL.M. Registration & Orientation   |
| 17              | Start of LL.M. Classes in <i>Introduction to American Law</i> and in <i>LL.M. Legal Research &amp; Writing</i> |
| 22-24           | 1L Registration & Orientation  |
| 25              | Start of 1L classes in <i>Legal Methods I</i> and <i>Legal Practice Workshop I</i>                             |
| 29              | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> Start of final online class  |
| 29-September 12 | Add/Drop Period  |
| 29-September 23 | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> Professional Responsibility  |

#### September

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| 1             | <b>October 2022 Degree Candidates:</b> Deadline to submit outstanding 2021-22 written work granted an extension                                    |
| 1             | <b>October 2022 Degree Candidates:</b> Degree applications due   |
| 2             | Last day of 1L class <i>Legal Methods I</i> and LL.M. class <i>Introduction to American Law</i>  |
| 5             | <b>Labor Day - No classes</b>  |
| 6             | First day of classes in term-long Law School courses. First day of classes at other divisions of the University.                                   |
| 6-12          | Add/Drop continues; action required on wait-list notifications; after this date changes only with permission of the Rules Committee, upon petition |
| 13-October 15 | Withdrawal from classes permitted; the notation of W will be recorded on the transcript  |
| 19            | <b>3Ls:</b> Deadline to register for Major Writing Credit  |
| 19            | <b>All students:</b> Deadline to register for supervised research  |
| 23            | Final exam for LL.M. class <i>Introduction to American Law</i>   |
| 26-27         | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> Professional Responsibility Exam   |
| 27            | <b>Executive LL.M. Class of 2022:</b> Last day of classes  |

#### October

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| 1  | LL.M.s: registration deadline for fall term writing projects  |
| 1  | <b>October 2022 LL.M. Degree Candidates:</b> Last day to file final copy of LL.M. Essay with Office of Graduate Degree Programs               |
| 15 | <b>All students:</b> Deadline to submit outstanding 2021-22 written work that received an extension   |
| 15 | <b>All students:</b> Deadline to withdraw from a Fall 2022 Law School course; the grade of F will be recorded for withdrawals after this date |
| 18 | Conferral of October degrees  |
| 27 | 1L study day  |
| 28 | 1L mid-term exams   |

#### November

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| 8     | <b>Election Day - No Classes</b>  |
| 15    | Grade submission deadline for outstanding 2021-22 written work that received an extension |
| 24-25 | <b>Thanksgiving Holiday - No Classes</b>  |

#### December

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| 1     | <b>May 2023 Degree Candidates:</b> Degree applications due (tentative)                                 |
| 2     | Last day of 1L classes   |
| 3-8   | 1L study period  |
| 9-21  | 1L exams   |
| 9     | Last day of upper-year Law School classes  |
| 10-11 | Upper-year study days  |
| 12    | Last day of classes at other divisions of the University   |
| 12-21 | Upper-year exams   |
| 22    | Fall 2022 term ends; due date for submission of Fall 2022 written work; last day for rescheduled exams |

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31 **February 2023 LL.M. Degree Candidates:** Deadline to submit outstanding written work; last day to file final copy of LL.M. Essay with Office of Graduate Degree Programs

## Spring Term 2023

### January

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2-9 Add/Drop Period for upper year January elective classes  
9 **3Ls:** Register Pro Bono Project  
9-13 **Legal Methods II** and upper year January elective classes  
9-23 Add/Drop Period  
13 Fall 2022 grade submission deadline  
16 **Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Observed - No Classes**  
17 First day of all Law School classes. First day of classes at other divisions of the University  
17-23 Add/Drop continues; action required on wait-list notification; after this date changes only with permission of the Rules Committee, upon petition  
24-February 15 Withdrawal from classes permitted; the notation of W will be recorded on the transcript

### February

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1 **3Ls:** Deadline to submit first draft of Major Writing Credit paper  
1 **LL.M.s:** registration deadline for spring term writing projects  
1 **3Ls:** Deadline to register for Minor Writing Credit  
1 **All students:** Deadline to register for supervised research  
6 **Legal Methods II** and upper year January elective 2023 grade submission deadline  
8 Conferral of February 2023 degrees  
15 **All students:** Deadline to withdraw from a Spring 2023 Law School course; the grade of F will be recorded for withdrawals after this date

### March

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TBD **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** Welcome Webinar  
13-17 **Spring Recess - No Classes**  
21 **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** Start of online classes

### April

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1 **3Ls:** Deadline to submit final draft of Major Writing Credit paper  
1 **All students:** Deadline to submit all outstanding Fall 2022 written work that was granted an extension  
TBD **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** Introduction to American Law Exam  
TBD **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** American Contract Law  
26 **Last day of Law School Classes**  
27-30 Upper-year study period  
27-May 1 1L study period

### May

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1 **May 2023 JD Degree Candidates:** Deadline to submit all outstanding Spring 2023 written work  
1 **May 2023 LL.M. Degree Candidates:** Deadline to submit all outstanding Spring 2023 written work.; Last day to file final copy of LL.M. Essay with Office of Graduate Degree Programs  
1 Last day of classes at other divisions of the University  
1-11 Upper-year exams  
2-10 1L exams  
12 Spring 2023 grade submission deadline for graduating students  
12 **Continuing students:** Due date for submission of Spring 2023 written work  
12 Spring 2023 term ends  
TBD Law School Graduation Ceremony  
17 **University Commencement & Degree Conferral**  
TBD **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** On-campus orientation  
TBD **Executive LL.M. Class of 2023:** First day of on-campus classes

**June**

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- 1** Spring 2023 grade submission deadline, continuing students in classes with enrollment of fewer than 150 students
- 11** Spring 2023 grade submission deadline for continuing students in classes with enrollment of 150 or more students
- TBD** Deadline for students to apply for clerkships

**July**

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- 31** Last date submitted work will be considered for honors for 2022-2023 academic year  
Date upon which outstanding grades will be converted to F

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