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Dear President Pascual:

We are respectfully submitting herewith the UPOU Semestral and Trimestral Academic Calendars for AY 2015-2016.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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ACADEMIC YEAR 2015-2016  
Semestral Programs

ACTIVITY	1st Semester	2nd Semester	Mid-Year Term
<b>General Schedule</b>			
Deadline of submission of application for admission documents			
For programs with admission test (MPM and Ph.D. in Education)	15 Apr 2015 (W)	4 Jul 2015 (S)	
For all other programs and transfer students	25 Apr 2015 (S)	5 Sep 2015 (S)	
For Re-admission	9 May 2015 (S)	12 Sep 2015 (S)	
Graduate Admission Test (GAT)	6 Jun 2015 (S)	26 Sep 2015 (S)	
Deadline of submission of application documents for non-degree students	23 Jun 2015 (T)	27 Oct 2015 (T)	
Validation exam for the transfer of credits/Advance Placement Exam	20-25 Jul 2015	7-11 Dec 2015	
<b>Registration Period</b>	<b>8-19 Aug 2015</b>	<b>4-15 Jan 2016</b>	<b>1-7 Jun 2016</b>
<b>Start of Classes</b>	<b>29 Aug 2015 (S)</b>	<b>25 Jan 2016 (M)</b>	<b>11 Jun 2016 (S)</b>
Deadline for submission of application for graduation			
First Semester, AY 2015-2016	5 Sep 2015 (S)		
Second Semester, AY 2015-2016		6 Feb 2016 (S)	
Mid-year Term, AY 2015-2016*			25 Jun 2016 (S)
<b>Midterm Examination</b>	<b>17 Oct 2015 (S)</b>	<b>12 Mar 2016 (S)</b>	<b>9 Jul 2016 (S)</b>
Deadline for filing request for make-up exam/removal exam/completion of requirements	17 Oct 2015 (S)	12 Mar 2016 (S)	9 Jul 2016 (S)
Deadline for filing of dropping and LOA	7 Nov 2015 (S)	2 Apr 2016 (S)	16 Jul 2016 (S)
Removal/Make-up Exam	14 Nov 2015 (S)	16 Apr 2016 (S)	16 Jul 2016 (S)
<b>End of Classes</b>	<b>5 Dec 2015 (S)</b>	<b>30 Apr 2016 (S)</b>	<b>23 Jul 2016 (S)</b>
<b>Final Examination</b>	<b>5 Dec 2015 (S)</b>	<b>30 Apr 2016 (S)</b>	<b>23 Jul 2016 (S)</b>
Deadline for submission of requirements for graduation	12 Dec 2015 (S)	7 May 2016 (S)	1 Aug 2016 (M)
<b>Deadline for submission of grades</b>	<b>19 Dec 2016 (S)</b>	<b>14 May 2016 (S)</b>	<b>6 Aug 2016 (S)</b>
<b>Important Dates for Faculties of Study and UC Standing Committees</b>			
<b>Faculty Council Meetings to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Summer, AY 2014-2015	9-13 Nov 2015		
As of the end of First Semester, AY 2015-2016		14-18 Mar 2016	
As of the end of Second Semester, AY 2015-2016			13-17 Jun 2016
<b>University Council Curriculum Committee Meeting</b>	18 Nov 2015 (W)	21 Mar 2016 (M)	22 Jun 2016 (W)
<b>Deadline of Submission of UC Standing Committees' Proposals for Discussion in the Executive Committee Meeting</b>	18 Nov 2015 (W)	21 Mar 2016 (M)	22 Jun 2016 (W)
<b>University Council Executive Committee Meeting to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Summer, AY 2014-2015	2 Dec 2015 (W)		
As of the end of First Semester, AY 2015-2016		6 Apr 2016 (W)	
As of the end of Second Semester, AY 2015-2016			6 Jul 2016 (W)
<b>University Council Meeting to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Summer, AY 2014-2015	9 Dec 2015 (W)		
As of the end of First Semester, AY 2015-2016		13 Apr 2016 (W)	
As of the end of Second Semester, AY 2015-2016			13 Jul 2016 (W)
<b>UPOU 18th COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES</b>			30 Jul 2016 (S)

Note: \* Applications for graduation for Midyear Term, AY 2015-2016 will be deliberated upon in the next academic year.

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University of the Philippines  
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ACADEMIC YEAR 2015-2016  
Trimestral Programs

Activity	1st Trimester	2nd Trimester	3rd Trimester
<b>General Schedule</b>			
<b>Deadline of submission of application documents</b>			
For undergraduate programs*	15 Apr 2015 (W)	10 Jun 2015 (W)	21 Oct 2015 (W)
For MDE, GCDE and PTC programs	9 May 2015 (S)	5 Sep 2015 (S)	16 Jan 2016 (S)
For Re-admission	16 May 2015 (S)	12 Sep 2015 (S)	23 Jan 2016 (S)
Undergraduate Assessment Test (UgAT)	6 Jun 2015 (S)	26 Sep 2015 (S)	30 Jan 2016 (S)
<b>Deadline of submission of application documents for non-degree students</b>	16 Jun 2015 (T)	13 Oct 2015 (T)	23 Feb 2016 (T)
Validation exam for the transfer of credits/Advanced Placement Exam (APE)	27 Jul-1 Aug 2015	21-28 Nov 2015	28 Mar-2 Apr 2016
<b>Registration Period</b>	10-22 Aug 2015	1-12 Dec 2015	11-22 Apr 2016
<b>Start of Classes</b>	5 Sep 2015 (S)	9 Jan 2016 (S)	7 May 2016 (S)
<b>Deadline for submission of application for graduation</b>			
First Trimester, AY 2015-2016	19 Sep 2015 (S)		
Second Trimester, AY 2015-2016		23 Jan 2016 (S)	
Third Trimester, AY 2015-2016**			21 May 2016 (S)
<b>Midterm Examination</b>	10 Oct 2015 (S)	13 Feb 2016 (S)	11 Jun 2016 (S)
Deadline for filing request for make-up exam/removal exam/completion of requirements	10 Oct 2015 (S)	13 Feb 2016 (S)	11 Jun 2016 (S)
Deadline for filing of dropping and LOA	24 Oct 2015 (S)	27 Feb 2016 (S)	25 Jun 2016 (S)
Removal/Make-up Exam	31 Oct 2015 (S)	5 Mar 2016 (S)	30 Jun 2016 (S)
<b>End of Classes</b>	14 Nov 2015 (S)	19 Mar 2016 (S)	16 Jul 2016 (S)
<b>Final Examination</b>	14 Nov 2015 (S)	19 Mar 2016 (S)	16 Jul 2016 (S)
Deadline for submission of requirements for graduation	21 Nov 2015 (S)	28 Mar 2016 (M)	23 Jul 2016 (S)
<b>Deadline for submission of grades</b>	28 Nov 2015 (S)	2 Apr 2016 (S)	30 Jul 2016 (S)
<b>Important Dates for Faculties of Study and UC Standing Committees</b>			
<b>Faculty Council Meetings to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Third Trimester, AY 2014-2015	9-13 Nov 2015		
As of the end of First Trimester, AY 2015-2016		14-18 Mar 2016	
As of the end of Second Trimester, AY 2015-2016			13-17 Jun 2016
<b>University Council Curriculum Committee Meeting</b>	18 Nov 2015 (W)	21 Mar 2016 (M)	22 Jun 2016 (W)
<b>Deadline of Submission of UC Standing Committees' Proposals for Discussion in the Executive Committee Meeting</b>	18 Nov 2015 (W)	21 Mar 2016 (M)	22 Jun 2016 (W)
<b>University Council Executive Committee Meeting to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Third Trimester, AY 2014-2015	2 Dec 2015 (W)		
As of the end of First Trimester, AY 2015-2016		6 Apr 2016 (W)	
As of the end of Second Trimester, AY 2015-2016			6 Jul 2016 (W)
<b>University Council Meeting to Approve Candidates for Graduation</b>			
As of the end of Third Trimester, AY 2014-2015	9 Dec 2015 (W)		
As of the end of First Trimester, AY 2015-2016		13 Apr 2016 (W)	
As of the end of Second Trimester, AY 2015-2016			13 Jul 2016 (W)
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Note:

\* - New high school graduates should take and pass the UP College Admission Test (UPCAT) as part of the admission requirements of the bachelor's program. Visit UPCAT website, <http://upcat.up.edu.ph/index.html>, for the general information of the test and deadlines for filing of applications.

\*\* - Applications for graduation for the Third Trimester, AY 2015-2016 will be deliberated through the next academic year.

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