GRADUATE COUNCIL (GC) 2018-2019 Calendar for Academic Programs and Courses

	Date	Action
CRF ¹ Deadlines	September 17, 2018 Spring and Summer 2019 implementation January 22, 2019 Fall 2019 implementation	CRFs: Last day to submit all CRFs (new and revised) in Curriculog to the Registrar for inclusion in the upcoming Spring, Summer, and subsequent Fall course schedule (offerings). CRF must be considered "approvable" by the Senate. "Approvable" means that the Graduate Group Chairs must ensure that the CRF is ready to be forwarded by the Registrar to the appropriate Council on or before the deadline. Before submission to the Senate Office, the CRF should reflect all needed corrections and clarifications from the School and Registrar review. Visit for http://senate.ucmerced.edu/curriculoginfo for additional information.
		Concentrations and/ or Designated Emphases: Last day to submit
Other Internal Deadlines	November 1, 2018	proposals for Concentrations and/ or Designated Emphases to the <i>Graduate Council</i> for review and possible approval for the subsequent Fall semester. Proposals will be accepted after this date but cannot be guaranteed approval for Fall implementation.
	December 14, 2018 Last day of fall semester	<u>Catalog</u> : Receive request from <i>Graduate Division</i> for revisions to the AY 19-20 UC Merced Catalog .
	January 15, 2019 First day of spring semester	Bylaws: Last day to submit revised Bylaws to the <i>Graduate Council</i> for internal review and estimated acceptance for the subsequent Fall semester.
	January 15, 2019 First day of spring semester	<u>Policies and Procedures</u> : Last day to submit revised Policies & Procedures to the <i>Graduate Council</i> for internal review and estimated acceptance for the subsequent Fall semester.
CCGA ² Proposal Deadlines	September 17, 2018	Graduate Groups: Last day to submit a proposal for a new graduate program to the Graduate Council for campus review and estimated submission to CCGA before the end of Spring semester.
	January 15, 2019 First day of spring semester	<u>Graduate Groups</u> : Last day to submit a proposal for a new graduate program to the <i>Graduate Council</i> for campus review and estimated submission to CCGA before the end of Fall semester.

Fall Semester ends Friday, December 14, 2018

Spring Semester Instruction begins Tuesday, January 15, 2019

¹ CRF: Course Request Form

² CCGA: Coordinating Committee on Graduate Affairs