

Almanac 2009-10

I. Teaching Terms

Postgraduate Programmes (*For all programmes not separately listed below*)

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Theses/Portfolio Submission Deadline

Doctoral students	31 May 2010 (Mon)
Master's students (research programmes)	30 June 2010 (Wed)

- Note: (1) Summer sessions may be offered from June to August 2010 by the MPhil-PhD and MSc Programmes in Systems Engineering and Engineering Management, and the MSc Programme in E-Commerce & Logistics Technologies.
- (2) Summer sessions may be offered by the MA Programme in Cultural Management, MA Programme in Intercultural Studies and MA Programme in Visual Culture Studies.
- (3) Summer session will be offered from 17 May to 3 July 2010 by the MPhil and PhD Programmes in History. Add/Drop: 17-24 May 2010. Course examinations: 5-7 July 2010.

Other Taught Doctoral's Programmes

Doctor of Education

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer Session	1 June 2010 (Tue) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)
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Doctor of Nursing (*Subject to statutory amendment*)

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)

MA Programmes

MA Programme in Chinese Language and Literature

<i>First term</i>	<i>7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 16 September (Wed)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 20 January (Wed)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

MA Programme in Chinese Language Education

MA Programme in English Language Teaching

MA Programme in School Guidance and Counselling

MA Programme in School Improvement and Leadership

MA Programme in Early Childhood Education

<i>First term</i>	<i>7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)
<i>Summer Session</i>	<i>1 June 2010 (Tue) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)</i>

MA Programme in Chinese Linguistics and Language Acquisition

<i>First term</i>	<i>7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)
<i>Third term</i>	<i>10 May 2010 (Mon) – 7 August 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	10 May (Mon) – 24 May (Mon)

MA Programme in Christian Studies

MA Programme in Theological Studies

<i>First term</i>	<i>7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer Session *17 May 2010 (Mon) – 10 July 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 17 May (Mon) – 31 May (Mon)

MA Programme in Comparative and Public History

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer Session *17 May 2010 (Mon) – 3 July 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 17 May (Mon) – 24 May (Mon)
 (by completion of form CS-1)
 Course examinations 5 July (Mon) – 7 July (Wed)

MA Programme in Curriculum Development and Teaching of Liberal Studies

MA Programme in Parent Education

MA Programme in Student Activities in Education

MA Programme in Values Education

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 3 May 2010 (Mon)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)

Summer Session *1 June 2010 (Tue) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)*

MA Programme in Information Technology in Education

(suspend admission)

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2008 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 3 May 2010 (Mon)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)

MA Programme in Linguistics

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 November 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer Session *17 May 2010 (Mon) – 10 July 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 17 May (Mon) – 31 May (Mon)

MA Programme in Putonghua Education

First term	15 July 2009 (Wed) – 14 August 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	15 July (Wed) – 22 July (Wed)
Course examinations	15 August (Sat) – 22 August (Sat)
Second term	14 October 2009 (Wed) – 26 January 2010 (Tue)
Add/Drop	14 October (Wed) – 21 October (Wed)
Course examinations	27 January (Wed) – 3 February (Wed)
Third term	22 February 2010 (Mon) – 19 April 2010 (Mon)
Add/Drop	22 February (Mon) – 1 March (Mon)
Course examinations	20 April (Tue) – 30 June (Wed)

MBA Programmes

Executive MBA Programme

First quarter	28 August 2009 (Fri) – 14 November 2009 (Sat)
Residence Week (1st year students)	17 August (Mon) – 21 August (Fri)
Second quarter	20 November 2009 (Fri) – 6 February 2010 (Sat)
Third quarter	12 February 2010 (Fri) – 15 May 2010 (Sat)
Fourth quarter	22 May 2010 (Sat) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)

Executive MBA (Asia Pacific) Programme

First trimester	3 August 2009 (Mon) – 6 December 2009 (Sun)
Second trimester	7 December 2009 (Mon) – 11 April 2010 (Sun)
Third trimester	12 April 2010 (Mon) – 1 August 2010 (Sun)

Executive MBA (Xian) Programme

First term	17 September 2009 (Thu) – 31 December 2009 (Thu)
Second term	11 March 2010 (Thu) – 22 July 2010 (Thu)

Full-time MBA Programme

MBA Programme (Evening Mode)

MBA Programme (Weekend Mode)

JD/MBA Double Degree Programme (MBA component)

First term (1st year students)	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 6 December 2009 (Sun)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 6 December (Sun)
First term (2nd year students)	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 6 December 2009 (Sun)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 13 September (Sun)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 6 November (Sun)

Second term	14 December 2009 (Mon) – 14 March 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	14 December (Mon) – 20 December (Sun)
Course examinations	8 March 2010 (Mon) - 14 March 2010 (Sun)

Third term	15 March 2010 (Mon) – 13 June 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 21 March (Sun)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 13 June (Sun)

Summer term

Session I	21 June 2010 (Mon) – 25 July 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	21 June (Mon) – 27 June (Sun)
Course examinations	19 July (Mon) - 25 July (Sun)

Session II	26 July 2010 (Mon) – 29 August 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	21 June (Mon) – 27 June (Sun)
Course examinations	23 August (Mon) – 29 August (Sun)

MBA Programme in Finance (Beijing)**MBA Programme in Finance (Shenzhen)**

First quarter	5 September 2009 (Sat) – 8 November 2009 (Sun)
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Second quarter	21 November 2009 (Sat) – 24 January 2010 (Sun)
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Third quarter	6 March 2010 (Sat) – 9 May 2010 (Sun)
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Fourth quarter	15 May 2010 (Sat) – 18 July 2010 (Sun)
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MBA Programme in Health Care**(1st & 2nd Year Students)**

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 6 December 2009 (Sun)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 13 September (Sun)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 6 December (Sun)

Second term	14 December 2009 (Mon) – 14 March 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	14 December (Mon) – 20 December (Sun)
Course examinations	8 March 2010 (Mon) – 14 March 2010 (Sun)

Third term	15 March 2010 (Mon) – 13 June 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 21 March (Sun)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 13 June (Sun)

Summer term

Session I	21 June 2010 (Mon) – 25 July 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	21 June (Mon) – 27 June (Sun)
Course examinations	19 July (Mon) - 25 July (Sun)

Session II	26 July 2010 (Mon) – 29 August 2010 (Sun)
Add/Drop	21 June (Mon) – 27 June (Sun)
Course examinations	23 August (Mon) – 29 August (Sun)

(3rd Year Students)

First term *1 September 2009 (Tue) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Course examinations 14 December (Mon) – 18 December (Fri)

Second term *4 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)*
 Course examinations 21 June (Mon) - 30 June (Wed)

One MBA, Global Executive MBA Program**(2008 Intake)**

First term *8 November 2009 (Sun) – 22 May 2010 (Sat)*

(2009 Intake)

First term *20 September 2009 (Sun) – 7 March 2010 (Sun)*

Second term *21 March 2010 (Sun) – 10 October 2010 (Sun)*

MSc Programmes**Executive MSc Programme in Logistics and Supply Chain Management**

First term *1 September 2009 (Tue) – 29 January 2010 (Fri)*

Second term *1 March 2010 (Mon) – 30 July 2010 (Fri)*

MSc Programme in Applied Epidemiology (*suspend admission*)

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 14 December (Mon) – 22 December (Tue)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 21 June (Mon) – 29 June (Tue)

MSc Programme in Cardiology

First term *1 September 2009 (Tue) – 20 January 2010 (Wed)*
 Add/Drop 8 February 2010 (Mon) – 12 February 2010 (Fri)

Second term *1 February 2010 (Mon) – 28 April 2010 (Wed)*

Third term *10 May 2010 (Mon) – 14 July 2010 (Wed)*

MSc Programme in Information and Technology Management

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 30 November (Mon) – 5 December (Sat)

Second term *7 December 2009 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 December (Mon) – 21 December (Mon)
 Course examinations 8 March 2010 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)

Third term	15 March 2010 (Sat) – 12 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 29 March (Mon)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 12 June (Sat)

Summer term

Session I	14 June 2010 (Mon) – 17 July 2010 (Sat)
Session II	26 July 2010 (Mon) – 28 August 2010 (Sat)

MSc Programme in Epidemiology and Biostatistics

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 11 December 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 23 December (Wed)

Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 March 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	22 March (Mon) – 26 March (Fri)

Third term	29 March 2010 (Mon) – 18 June 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	29 March (Mon) – 12 April (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

MSc Programme in Endocrinology, Diabetes & Metabolism

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 2 December 2009 (Wed)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Tue)
Course examinations	3 December (Thu) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 March 2010 (Wed)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	25 March (Thu) – 7 April (Wed)

Third term	12 April 2010 (Mon) – 15 June 2010 (Tue)
Add/Drop	12 April (Mon) – 26 April (Mon)
Course examinations	17 June (Thu) – 26 June (Sat)

MSc Programme in Finance

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 5 November (Sat)

Second term	7 December 2009 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 December (Mon) – 21 December (Mon)
Course examinations	8 March 2010 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)

Third term	15 March 2010 (Mon) – 12 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 29 March (Mon)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 12 June (Sat)

Summer term

Session I	21 June 2010 (Mon) – 24 July 2010 (Sat)
Course examinations	19 July (Mon) - 14 July (Sat)

Session II	26 July 2010 (Mon) – 28 August 2010 (Sat)
Course examinations	23 August (Mon) – 28 August (Sat)

MSc Programme in Earth System Science

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Sat)

Summer term	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 30 July 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	3 May (Mon) – 17 May (Mon)

MSc Programme in GeoInformation Science

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 30 April (Fri)

Third term	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	3 May (Mon) – 17 May (Mon)
Course examinations	2 August (Mon) – 7 August (Sat)

MSc Programme in Health Education

First term	1 September 2009 (Tue) – 19 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 18 December (Fri)

Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 26 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

MSc Programme in Information Engineering

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)

Second term	9 January 2010 (Sat) – 17 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	19 April (Mon) – 24 April (Sat)

Third term	10 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 May (Mon) – 24 May (Mon)
Course examinations	9 August (Mon) – 14 August (Sat)

MSc Programme in Marketing

First trimester	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 5 November (Sat)
Second trimester	7 December 2009 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 December (Mon) – 21 December (Mon)
Course examinations	8 March 2010 (Sat) - 13 March 2010 (Sat)
Third trimester	15 March 2010 (Mon) – 12 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 29 March (Mon)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 12 June (Sat)

MSc Programme in Mathematics Education

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Tue)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Sat)
Summer Session	1 June 2010 (Mon) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)

MSc Programme in Musculoskeletal Medicine and Rehabilitation

First trimester	1 September 2009 (Tue) – 16 December 2009 (Wed)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)
Second trimester	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 21 April 2010 (Wed)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)
Third trimester	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 10 May 2010 (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)

MSc Programme in Nutrition, Food Science and Technology

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	3 May (Mon) – 8 May (Sat)

MSc Programme in Occupational Hygiene

First term	28 August 2009 (Fri) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)

Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 26 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	30 June (Wed)

MSc Programme in Sports Medicine and Health Science

First term	1 September 2009 (Tue) – 31 December 2009 (Thu)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	29 December (Tue)

Second term	5 January 2010 (Tue) – 20 May 2010 (Thu)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	20 May (Thu)

Third term	1 June 2010 (Tue) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	1 June (Tue) – 14 June (Mon)
Course examinations	13 July (Tue) – 22 July (Thu)

MSc Programme in Stroke and Clinical Neurosciences

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 11 December 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	12 December (Sat) – 24 December (Thu)

Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 1 April 2010 (Thu)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	10 April (Sat) – 23 April (Fri)

Third term	7 April 2010 (Wed) – 9 July 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 April (Wed) – 19 April (Mon)
Course examinations	10 July (Sat) – 24 July (Sat)

MSc Programme in Women's Health Studies

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 4 December 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 23 December (Wed)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 11 June 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	14 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

MSSc Programme

MSSc Programme in General Education

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 30 April (Fri)

Summer term

Session I	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 26 June (Sat)
Session II	5 July 2010 (Mon) – 21 August 2010 (Sat)
Course examinations	23 August (Mon) – 28 August (Sat)

MSSc Programme in Social Work

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)
Third term	24 May 2010 (Mon) – 30 August 2010 (Mon)
Add/Drop	24 May (Mon) – 31 May (Mon)

MSSc Programme in Sustainable Tourism

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 30 April (Fri)
Third term	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	3 May (Mon) – 17 May (Mon)
Course examinations	2 August (Mon) – 7 August (Sat)

Other Taught Master's Programmes**Executive Master of Professional Accountancy Programme**
(offered in Shanghai)

First trimester	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Second trimester	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 30 April 2010 (Fri)
Third trimester	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 30 July 2010 (Fri)

Juris Doctor Programme**JD/MBA Double Degree Programme (JD component)**

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 14 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 18 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 8 May (Sat)

Summer term	17 May 2010 (Mon) - 3 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	17 May (Mon) – 24 May (Mon)
Course examinations	5 July (Mon) – 10 July (Sat)

Master of Accountancy Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	30 November (Mon) – 5 December (Sat)

Second term	7 December 2009 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 December (Mon) – 21 December (Mon)
Course examinations	8 March 2010 (Mon) - 13 March 2010 (Sat)

Third term	15 March 2010 (Mon) – 12 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	15 March (Mon) – 29 March (Mon)
Course examinations	7 June (Mon) – 12 June (Sat)

Master of Clinical Pharmacy Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer term	17 May 2010 (Mon) – 7 August 2010 (Sat)
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Master of Divinity Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer term	17 May 2010 (Mon) – 30 July 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	17 May (Mon) – 31 May (Mon)

Master of Education Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)

Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Summer Session	1 June 2010 (Tue) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)
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Master of Family Medicine Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 26 June (Sat)

Master of Health Science Programme

First term	1 September 2009 (Tue) – 19 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 18 December (Fri)
Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 26 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

Master of Laws Programme in Chinese Business Law

Master of Laws Programme in Common Law

Master of Laws Programme in International Economic Law

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 14 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 18 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 8 May (Sat)

Master of Nursing Programme

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Second term	21 December 2009 (Mon) – 27 March 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	21 December 2009 (Mon) - 4 January 2010 (Mon)
Third term	12 April 2010 (Mon) – 10 July 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	12 April (Mon) – 26 April (Mon)

Master of Nursing Science (Pre-registration) Programme

(subject to statutory amendment)

First term	3 August 2009 (Mon) – 17 October 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	3 August (Mon) – 17 August (Mon)
Second term	2 November 2009 (Mon) – 16 January 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	2 November 2009 (Mon) -16 November 2009 (Mon)
Third term	1 February 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	1 February (Mon) – 17 February (Wed)

Fourth term *10 May 2010 (Mon) – 17 July 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 10 May (Mon) – 24 May (Mon)

Master of Occupational Medicine Programme

First term *28 August 2009 (Fri) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)

Second term *4 January 2010 (Mon) – 26 June 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 30 June (Wed)

Master of Public Health Programme

First term *1 September 2009 (Tue) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Tue)
 Course examinations 14 December (Mon) – 18 December (Fri)

Second term *4 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 21 June (Mon) – 30 June (Wed)

Postgraduate Diploma Programmes

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Professional Accountancy

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Course examinations 30 November (Mon) – 5 December (Sat)

Second term *7 December 2009 (Mon) – 13 March 2010 (Sat)*
 Course examinations 8 March 2010 (Mon) - 13 March 2010 (Sat)

Third term *15 March 2010 (Sat) – 12 June 2010 (Sat)*
 Course examinations 7 June (Mon) – 12 June (Sat)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Applied Geoinformatics *(suspend admission)*

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Ecotourism *(suspend admission)*

First term *7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
 Course examinations 7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)

Second term *11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
 Course examinations 26 April (Mon) – 30 April (Fri)

Third term *3 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)*
 Add/Drop 3 May (Mon) – 17 May (Mon)
 Course examinations 2 August (Mon) – 7 August (Sat)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Clinical Pharmacy

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)
Summer Session	17 May 2010 (Mon) – 7 August 2010 (Sat)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Education

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Education (Primary)

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 5 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 20 September (Sun)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 12 December (Sat)
Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 24 April 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	4 January (Mon) – 17 January (Sun)
Course examinations	26 April (Mon) – 3 May (Mon)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in End-of-Life Care

First term	5 September 2009 (Sat) – 19 December 2009 (Sat)
Course examinations	2 January 2010 (Sat) – 16 January 2010 (Sat)
Second term	9 January 2010 (Sat) – 5 June 2010 (Sat)
Course examinations	12 June (Sat) – 26 June (Sat)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Epidemiology and Biostatistics

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 11 December 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 23 December (Wed)
Second term	4 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 March 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	22 March (Mon) – 26 March (Fri)
Third term	29 March 2010 (Mon) – 18 June 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	29 March (Mon) – 12 April (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Family Medicine

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 26 June (Sat)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Global Finance

<i>First term</i>	<i>1 August 2009 (Sat) – 31 October 2009 (Sat)</i>
<i>Second term</i>	<i>1 November 2009 (Sun) – 31 January 2010 (Sun)</i>
<i>Third term</i>	<i>1 February 2010 (Mon) – 30 April 2010 (Fri)</i>
<i>Fourth term</i>	<i>1 May 2010 (Sat) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)</i>

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Health Services Management and Public Health

<i>First term</i>	<i>1 September 2009 (Tue) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 18 December (Fri)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>4 January 2010 (Mon) – 19 June 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	21 June (Mon) – 30 June (Wed)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Musculoskeletal Medicine and Rehabilitation

<i>First term</i>	<i>1 September 2009 (Tue) – 16 December 2009 (Wed)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>4 January 2010 (Mon) – 21 April 2010 (Wed)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)
<i>Third term</i>	<i>3 May 2010 (Mon) – 31 July 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	3 May 2010 (Mon) – 10 May 2010 (Mon)
Course examinations	(To be confirmed)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Occupational Health Practice

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Occupational Hygiene

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Occupational Medicine

<i>First term</i>	<i>28 August 2009 (Fri) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	14 December (Mon) – 19 December (Sat)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>4 January 2010 (Mon) – 26 June 2010 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	30 June (Wed)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Parent Education

<i>First term</i>	<i>7 September 2009 (Mon) – 12 December 2009 (Sat)</i>
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
<i>Second term</i>	<i>11 January 2010 (Mon) – 3 May 2010 (Mon)</i>
Add/drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)

Summer Session **1 June 2010 (Tue) – 9 August 2010 (Mon)**

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Sports Medicine and Health Science

First term	1 September 2009 (Tue) – 31 December 2009 (Thu)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	29 December (Tue)
Second term	5 January 2010 (Tue) – 20 May 2010 (Thu)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	20 May (Thu)

Postgraduate Diploma Programme in Women's Health Studies

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 4 December 2009 (Fri)
Add/Drop	7 September (Mon) – 21 September (Mon)
Course examinations	7 December (Mon) – 23 December (Wed)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 11 June 2010 (Fri)
Add/Drop	11 January (Mon) – 25 January (Mon)
Course examinations	14 June (Mon) – 25 June (Fri)

Postgraduate Certificate Programmes

Postgraduate Certificate Programmes in Laws (PCLL)

First term	7 September 2009 (Mon) – 19 December 2009 (Sat)
Second term	11 January 2010 (Mon) – 15 May 2010 (Sat)

(PCLL term dates are tentative and subject to changes.)

II. Course Selection, Grade Submission, Congregation Dates and Holidays

2009

August	11-14	Tue-Fri	Course registration for full-time undergraduates (current students) and most postgraduate programmes
	18-19	Tue-Wed	Course registration for full-time undergraduates (new students)
September	7	Mon	Inauguration Ceremony for Undergraduates 2009 (full-time undergraduate classes suspended in the morning until 1:30 p.m.)
October	1	Thu	Public holiday – National Day
	3	Sat	Public holiday – Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival
	10	Sat	Orientation Day for Undergraduate Admissions [full-time undergraduate classes (<i>except Medical Years 3-5</i>) suspended]
	26	Mon	Public holiday – Chung Yeung Festival

December	10	Thu	67th Congregation for the Conferment of Degrees [Medicine (Years 1 & 2) classes and first term course examinations for full-time undergraduate programmes and postgraduate programmes suspended]
	15	Tue	Submission of first term course grades closes for part-time undergraduate programmes
	24- 2 Jan, 2010	Thu- Sat	Christmas Vacation
	25	Fri	Public holiday – Christmas Day
	26	Sat	Public holiday – The first weekday after Christmas Day
2010			
January	1	Fri	Public holiday – The first day of January
	6	Wed	Submission of first term course grades closes for full-time undergraduate programmes (<i>except MB ChB Programme</i>) and most postgraduate programmes with two terms
February	13-20	Sat-Sat	Lunar New Year Vacation
	13 & 15-16	Sat & Mon-Tue	Public holiday – Lunar New Year
April	2-3 & 5	Fri-Sat & Mon	Public holiday – Easter
	6	Tue	Public holiday – The day following Ching Ming Festival
	12	Mon	Submission of second term course grades closes for part-time undergraduate programmes
May	1	Sat	Public holiday – Labour Day
	21	Fri	Public holiday – The Buddha's Birthday
	27	Thu	Submission of second term course grades closes for full-time undergraduate programmes (<i>except MB ChB Programme</i>) and most postgraduate programmes with two terms
June	16	Wed	Public holiday – Tuen Ng Festival
	28	Mon	Submission of third term course grades closes for part-time undergraduate programmes
July	1	Thu	Public holiday – Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Establishment Day
	9	Fri	Submission of course grades closes for university summer session of full-time undergraduate programmes

- Note: 1 All public holidays will also be University holidays (except some postgraduate programmes, please observe the term dates of the programmes concerned).
- 2 Some postgraduate programmes may have different grade submission dates, please refer to the homepage of the Graduate School for details.