

ICAHN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT **MOUNT SINAI**  
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES  
2020-2021 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

| 2020      |              |                |   |  |
|-----------|--------------|----------------|---|--|
| June      | 1            | Mon            | All Students  | Fall 2020 Registration Opens                                     |
|           | <del>1</del> | <del>Mon</del> | <del>Summer Undergrad. Research Program (SURP)</del>  | <del>Orientation CANCELLED for 2020-2021</del>                   |
|           | 30           | Fri            | All Students  | Fall 2020 Registration Deadline                                  |
| July      | 1            | Wed            | MD/PhD Students   | 1 <sup>st</sup> Year Orientation and Program begins              |
|           | 1            | Wed            | MD/PhD, PhD Neuro & Biomedical Sci, MS Biomed Sci, Genetic Counseling Students & PREP Scholars                  | Fall 2020 term begins  |
| July      | 3            | Fri            | <b>All Students** (note exceptions)</b>   | <b>Independence Day (July 4<sup>th</sup>) – No Classes</b>       |
| August    | 10-14        | M-F            | MD/PhD, PhD Neuro & Biomedical Sci, MS Biomed Sci, Biomedical Data Science, Genetic Counseling, & PREP Scholars | 1 <sup>st</sup> Year Orientation Week                            |
|           | <del>9</del> | <del>Fri</del> | <del>Summer Undergrad. Research Program (SURP)</del>  | <del>Poster Day &amp; Program ends CANCELLED for 2020-2021</del> |
|           | 17           | Mon            | Year 1 MD/PhD, PhD BSR, MSBS, MSBDS, MSGC, & PREP   | 1 <sup>st</sup> year Classes Begin                               |
|           | 17           | Mon            | All Year 2 MD/PhD, PhD BSR, MSBS, MGC, & PREP students  | Fall Classes Begin   |
| September | 7            | Mon            | <b>All Students** (note exceptions)</b>   | <b>Labor Day – No Classes</b>                                    |
|           | 8            | Tue            | Biostatistics, Clinical Research, Health Administration & Public Health Students                                | 1 <sup>st</sup> year Orientation & Fall Classes Begin            |
|           | 8            | Tue            | Year 1 PhD BSR Students   | Lab Coat Ceremony  |
|           | 9-13         | Tu-Su          | Year 1 MS Healthcare Delivery Students  | Orientation & Gateway Seminar                                    |
|           | 14           | Mon            | Year 1 MD & MD/PhD Students   | White Coat Ceremony  |
|           | 18           | Fri            | Biostatistics, Clinical Research, Health Administration & Public Health Students                                | Fall Add/Drop & Late Registration closes                         |
| October   | TBD          | TBD            | <i>SinalInnovations</i>   |  |
| November  | 2            | Mon            | All Students  | Spring 1 Registration Opens                                      |
|           | 26-27        | Th-F           | <b>All Students</b>   | <b>Thanksgiving Holiday – No Classes</b>                         |
|           | 30           | Mon            | All Students  | Spring 1 Registration Deadline                                   |
| December  | 4            | F              | Biostatistics, Clinical Research, Health Administration & Public Health Courses                                 | Last day of Fall classes   |
|           | 18           | Fri            | MD/PhD, PhD Neuro & Biomedical Sci, MS Biomed Sci, Biomedical Data Science, Genetic Counseling, & PREP Scholars | Last day of Fall classes   |

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| 2021     |          |      |  |  |
|----------|----------|------|--|--|
| January  | 1        | Fri  | All Students   | New Year's Day (Observed) – No Classes                     |
|          | 4        | Mon  | All Students   | Spring and Spring 1 2020 Classes Begin                     |
|          | 15       | Fri  | All Students   | Spring and Spring 1 Add/Drop & Late Registration closes    |
|          | 18       | Mon  | All Students**(note exceptions)  | Martin Luther King Day – No Classes                        |
|          | 22       | Fri  | Clinical Research & Public Health Courses  | Make up Classes: Friday follows Monday schedule of classes |
| February | 1        | Mon  | All Students   | Spring 2 Registration Opens                                |
|          | 15       | Mon  | All Students**(note exceptions)  | Presidents' Day – No Classes                               |
|          | 19       | Fri  | Clinical Research & Public Health Courses  | Make up Classes: Friday follows Monday schedule of classes |
|          | 26       | Fri  | All Students   | Spring 2 Registration Deadline                             |
| March    | TBD      | TBD  | Medical Student Research Day   |  |
|          | 26       | Fri  | All Students, <b>Except Year 1 PhD BSR &amp; MSBS Students</b>   | Last day of Spring 1 Classes                               |
|          | 3/29-4/2 | M-F  | All Students, <b>Except Year 1 PhD BSR &amp; MSBS Students</b>   | Spring Break – No Classes                                  |
| April    | 5        | Mon  | All Students   | Spring 2 Classes Begin                                     |
|          | 16       | Fri  | All Students   | Spring 2 Add/Drop & Late Registration closes               |
|          | 19-23    | M-F  | Year 1 PhD BSR & MSBS Students   | Spring Break – No Classes                                  |
| May      | 14       | Fri  | MD, Dual MD/PhD, MD/MPH, MD/MSCR, & PhD students   | Commencement   |
|          | 31       | Mon  | All Students**(note exceptions)  | Memorial Day – No Classes                                  |
|          | 27       | Thur | Public Health Research Day   |  |
| June     | 1        | Tue  | All Students   | Fall 2021 Registration Opens                               |
|          | 25       |      | Biostatistics, Clinical Research, & Public Health Courses  | Last Day of Spring 2Classes                                |
|          | 25       | Fri  | MD/PhD, PhD Neuro & Biomedical Sci, MS Biomed Sci, Genetic Counseling, Biomedical Data Science, & PREP Scholars                                      | Last Day of Spring 2 & Academic Year                       |
|          | 25       | Fri  | MPH, MS Biomedical Informatics, MS Biomedical Sci, MS Biostatistics, MS Clinical Research, MS Genetic Counseling, MS Healthcare Delivery Leadership, | Commencement   |
|          | 30       | Wed  | All Students   | Fall 2021 Registration Deadline                            |

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