

SINGAPORE MANAGEMENT UNIVERSITY

Academic Calendar AY2027-28 for Postgraduate by Research Programmes*

Term	Week	Dates (Mon- Sun)	Academic Activity	Public Holidays
Academic Term 1 (August Term) 16 August 2027 to 09 January 2028 (21 Weeks)	1	16-Aug-27 - 22-Aug-27		Please refer to Ministry of Manpower website for an updated public holidays in Singapore. Deepavali: 28 Oct 2027 Christmas Day: 25 Dec 2027 New Year's Day: 1 Jan 2028 Chinese New Year: (TBC) Hari Raya Puasa: (TBC) Good Friday: (TBC) Labour Day: 1 May 2028 Vesak Day: (TBC) National Day: 9 Aug 2028
	2	23-Aug-27 - 29-Aug-27		
	3	30-Aug-27 - 05-Sep-27		
	4	06-Sep-27 - 12-Sep-27		
	5	13-Sep-27 - 19-Sep-27		
	6	20-Sep-27 - 26-Sep-27		
	7	27-Sep-27 - 03-Oct-27		
	8	04-Oct-27 - 10-Oct-27	Recess	
	9	11-Oct-27 - 17-Oct-27		
	10	18-Oct-27 - 24-Oct-27		
	11	25-Oct-27 - 31-Oct-27		
	12	01-Nov-27 - 07-Nov-27		
	13	08-Nov-27 - 14-Nov-27		
	14	15-Nov-27 - 21-Nov-27		
	15	22-Nov-27 - 28-Nov-27	Examination	
	16	29-Nov-27 - 05-Dec-27	Examination	
	17	06-Dec-27 - 12-Dec-27		
	18	13-Dec-27 - 19-Dec-27		
	19	20-Dec-27 - 26-Dec-27		
	20	27-Dec-27 - 02-Jan-28		
	21	03-Jan-28 - 09-Jan-28		
Academic Term 2 (January Term) 10 January 2028 to 30 April 2028 (16 Weeks)	1	10-Jan-28 - 16-Jan-28		
	2	17-Jan-28 - 23-Jan-28		
	3	24-Jan-28 - 30-Jan-28		
	4	31-Jan-28 - 06-Feb-28		
	5	07-Feb-28 - 13-Feb-28		
	6	14-Feb-28 - 20-Feb-28		
	7	21-Feb-28 - 27-Feb-28		
	8	28-Feb-28 - 05-Mar-28	Recess	
	9	06-Mar-28 - 12-Mar-28		
	10	13-Mar-28 - 19-Mar-28		
	11	20-Mar-28 - 26-Mar-28		
	12	27-Mar-28 - 02-Apr-28		
	13	03-Apr-28 - 09-Apr-28		
	14	10-Apr-28 - 16-Apr-28		
	15	17-Apr-28 - 23-Apr-28	Examination	
	16	24-Apr-28 - 30-Apr-28	Examination	
Academic Term 3 (May Term) 01 May 2028 to 13 August 2028 (15 Weeks)	1	01-May-28 - 07-May-28		
	2	08-May-28 - 14-May-28		
	3	15-May-28 - 21-May-28		
	4	22-May-28 - 28-May-28		
	5	29-May-28 - 04-Jun-28		
	6	05-Jun-28 - 11-Jun-28		
	7	12-Jun-28 - 18-Jun-28		
	8	19-Jun-28 - 25-Jun-28		
	9	26-Jun-28 - 02-Jul-28		
	10	03-Jul-28 - 09-Jul-28		
	11	10-Jul-28 - 16-Jul-28		
	12	17-Jul-28 - 23-Jul-28		
	13	24-Jul-28 - 30-Jul-28	Commencement (TBC)	
	14	31-Jul-28 - 06-Aug-28		
	15	07-Aug-28 - 13-Aug-28	**AYO (TBC)	

**AYO - Academic Year Opening

Important Notes:

**The above calendar is applicable to the following PGR programmes:*

School	Programme
SOA	PhD/MPhil in Accounting
LKCSB	PhD/MPhil in Business (Finance)
	PhD/MPhil in Business (Marketing)
	PhD/MPhil in Business (Operations Management)
	PhD/MPhil in Business (Organisational Behaviour & Human Resources)
	PhD/MPhil in Business (Strategy and Entrepreneurship)
SCIS	PhD/MPhil in Information Systems & PhD in Computer Science
	Doctor of Engineering
	Master of Science in Computing
SOE	PhD/MPhil in Economics
SOSS	PhD/MPhil in Psychology
YPHSL	PhD in Law, Commerce and Technology
CIS	PhD/MPhil in Asian Urbanisms

For the following PGR programmes, please refer to the academic calendar provided by the respective programme offices.

School	Programme
SOA	Doctor of Professional Accounting
	SMU-ZJU Doctor of Business Administration (Accounting & Finance)
	SMU-CUHK (SZ) Doctor of Business Administration
LKCSB	SMU Doctor of Business Administration
	SMU-CKGSB/SJTU Doctor of Business Administration
	PhD in Business (General Management)
SCIS	SMU-Fudan Doctor of Business Administration (Technology)
SOE	SMU-PHBS Doctor of Business Administration
	SMU-NSD Doctor of Business & Economics Management