

# ACADEMIC CALENDAR

## FALL 2021

### AUGUST

- 9, Monday:** First day of Internships  
**10–11, Tuesday–Wednesday:** Intern Orientation Module II and III (online), 8:30 a.m.  
**12, Thursday:** Lay Teaching Committee Orientation (online), 7:30 p.m.  
**19–20, Thursday–Friday:** Late registration, 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office  
**20, Friday:** New Student Orientation (Dallas)  
**20, Friday:** Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge  
**23, Monday:** First day of classes in Dallas.  
**27, Friday:** Last day to register, add courses or drop a course without grade record or tuition billing  
**27, Friday:** Last day to file for December graduation  
**30, Monday:** New Student Orientation (Houston)  
**30–September 4, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC.  
**31–September 1, Tuesday–Wednesday:** Intern Orientation (Houston)  
**TBD:** Houston Lay School

### SEPTEMBER

- 3, Friday:** Last day to drop a course or withdraw from the university without academic record  
**6, Monday:** Labor Day – University holiday (offices closed)  
**10, Friday:** Faculty conference  
**17, Friday:** Connect with SMU Perkins Dallas (online) - **Tentative**  
**17, Friday:** Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.  
**17, Friday:** Inside Perkins  
**20, Monday:** Internship Applications Deadline for 2022-23 Internships  
**21, Tuesday:** Discern your Call with Current Perkins Students (online) – **Tentative**  
**TBD:** Roy D. Barton Lecture

### OCTOBER

- 4, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.  
**5, Tuesday:** Explore SMU Perkins with Dean Craig Hill (online) - **Tentative**  
**8, Friday:** Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.  
**11–12, Monday–Tuesday:** Perkins fall break  
**14, Thursday:** Connect with the Houston-Galveston Program at SMU Perkins (online) - **Tentative**  
**14, Thursday:** Inside Perkins  
**18, Monday:** Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.  
**18, Monday:** Mentor Pastor Colloquy (online)  
**19, Tuesday:** Explore the Culture of SMU Perkins with Current Students (online) - **Tentative**  
**28, Thursday:** A Discernment Conversation with SMU Perkins (online) - **Tentative**

### NOVEMBER

- 1, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.  
**1–19, Monday–Friday:** Advance registration for Houston spring term and interterm  
**5, Friday:** Last day to drop a class for fall term  
**6–19, Saturday–Friday:** Advance registration for all Perkins spring term and interterm  
**8–13, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC.  
**10, Wednesday:** Connect with SMU Perkins Admission (online) - **Tentative**  
**23, Tuesday:** Last day to withdraw from the University  
**24, Wednesday:** Perkins Thanksgiving recess (no classes)  
**25–26, Thursday–Friday:** Thanksgiving holiday – University holidays (no classes and offices closed)  
**TBD:** Fall Convocation  
**TBD:** Connect with SMU Perkins at Convocation  
**TBD:** Inside Perkins

### DECEMBER

- 2, Thursday:** Advent worship service, 6:00 p.m.  
**2, Thursday:** Connect with the Houston-Galveston Program at SMU Perkins (online) - **Tentative**  
**2, Thursday:** Inside Perkins  
**6, Monday:** Last day of classes in Dallas  
**6, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.  
**7, Tuesday:** Discernment and Decision Making with SMU Perkins (online) - **Tentative**  
**7–8, Tuesday–Wednesday:** Reading and writing period  
**8, Wednesday:** Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.  
**9–15, Thursday–Wednesday:** Final examinations in Dallas  
**15, Wednesday:** Explore the SMU Perkins Community (online) - **Tentative**  
**16, Thursday:** Grades must be posted by noon  
**18, Saturday:** December Commencement Convocation. Official close of term and conferral of degrees.  
**23–January 1, Thursday–Sunday:** Winter break – University holidays (offices closed)

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## INTERTERM 2022

### JANUARY

- 1, Saturday:** New Year's Day – University holiday (offices closed)
- 3–14, Monday–Friday:** Perkins January interterm for masters and doctoral programs
- 4, Tuesday:** Last day to enroll and change classes for January interterm
- 9–14, Sunday–Friday:** Specialized Certification Courses
- 10–14, Monday–Friday:** Perkins School of Youth Ministry
- 12, Wednesday:** Last day to drop a class or withdraw from the University for January interterm
- 12, Wednesday** – Doctor of Ministry Information Session
- TBD:** United Methodist Studies Certification Course

## SPRING 2022

### JANUARY

- 13–14, Thursday–Friday:** Late registration, 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office
- 14, Friday:** New Student Orientation (Dallas)
- 17, Monday:** Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – University holiday (offices closed)
- 17, Monday:** Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge
- 18, Tuesday:** First day of classes in Dallas.
- 24, Monday:** Last day to add courses or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing
- 24, Monday:** Last day to file for May graduation
- 24–29, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC.
- 25, Tuesday:** New Student Orientation (Houston), 1:00p.m.
- 31, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
- 31, Monday:** Last day to drop a course or withdraw from the university without academic record

### FEBRUARY

- 7, Monday:** Mentor Pastor Colloquy (online)
- 11, Friday:** Inside Perkins in Dallas
- 11, Friday:** Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
- 28, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m. - **Tentative**

### MARCH

- 7–13, Monday–Sunday:** Perkins and SMU spring break - **Tentative**
- 11, Friday:** Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
- TBD:** Perkins Summit for Faith and Learning (online)
- TBD:** Inside Perkins

### APRIL

- 4, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
- 4–22, Monday–Friday:** Advance registration for Houston summer and fall terms
- 6, Wednesday:** Last day to drop a class for spring term
- 7, Thursday:** Inside Perkins in Dallas
- 8, Friday:** Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
- 9–22, Saturday–Friday:** Advance registration for all summer and fall terms
- 11, Monday:** Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.
- 14, Thursday:** Easter recess (no classes)
- 15, Friday:** Good Friday – University holiday (no classes and offices closed)
- 18–23, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC. -**Tentative**
- 25, Monday:** Last day to withdraw from the University

### MAY

- 2, Monday:** Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
- 2, Monday:** Last day of Monday classes in Dallas
- 3–4, Tuesday –Wednesday:** Reading and writing period (no classes)
- 3–4, Tuesday–Wednesday:** New Mentor Pastor Institute (online)
- 4, Wednesday:** Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.
- 5, Thursday:** Last day of Thursday classes in Dallas
- 6, Friday:** Last day of Wednesday classes in Dallas
- 8, Sunday:** Last day of Internship
- 9–11, Monday –Wednesday:** Final examinations in Dallas
- 13, Friday:** Grades must be posted by noon
- 14, Saturday:** Commencement, 9:30 a.m., Moody Coliseum  
A Celebration of Degrees and Academic Achievements, 2:00 p.m., Highland Park United Methodist Church  
Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees

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## SUMMER 2022

### MAY

**23–August 3, Monday–Wednesday:** Perkins full summer session (Houston only)

**26, Thursday:** Last day to add courses or drop courses without grade record for Summer (Houston only)

**30, Monday:** Memorial Day – University holiday (offices closed)

**31–August 3, Tuesday–Wednesday:** Perkins full summer session (Main Campus and Immersion Courses)

### JUNE

**3, Friday:** Last day to add courses or drop courses without grade record for Summer (Main Campus and Immersion Courses)

**6, Monday:** Last day to file for August graduation

**6–11, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC.

**6–17, Monday–Friday:** Doctor of Ministry and Doctor of Pastoral Music classes meet (Dallas)

**16, Tuesday:** Doctor of Ministry Information Session

### JULY

**4, Monday:** Independence Day – University holiday (offices closed)

**11–16, Monday–Saturday:** Houston hybrid classes meet face to face at Houston Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's UMC.

**15, Friday:** Last day to drop a class for session (Houston only)

**21, Thursday:** Last day to withdraw from the University for Summer (Houston only)

**22, Friday:** Last day to drop a class for session (Dallas only)

**28, Thursday:** Last day to withdraw from the University for Summer (Dallas only)

**TBD:** Course of Study School

### AUGUST

**3, Wednesday:** Official close of summer term and date for conferral of degrees

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More information about the academic calendar for the Houston-Galveston program is available from the program's office in Houston and online at <http://www.smu.edu/Perkins/FacultyAcademics/housgal/schedules>.

Tuition and fees payment due dates are set for each term by the [Office of the University Bursar](#).