

**AUTONOMOUS ORGANIZATION OF EDUCATION  
“NAZARBAYEV UNIVERSITY”**

**ACADEMIC CALENDAR  
FOR THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
GRADUATE PROGRAMS  
2017 - 2018 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Approved by the resolution of the Academic Council of  
the autonomous organization of education “Nazarbayev University”  
Minutes # 77 of 19.04.17



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## Academic Calendar 2017 – 2018

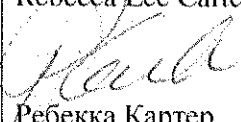
### School of Science and Technology Graduate Programs

| <b>Fall Semester<br/>2017</b>                                       |                               |                                   |  |
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| <b>EVENT</b>  |                               | <b>DATES</b>                      | <b>DAYS</b>                                |
| Orientation   |                               | 28 August - 1<br>September 2017   | Monday - Friday                            |
| FIRST DAY of Classes  |                               | 4 September                       | Monday                                     |
| Last day to ADD   |                               | 11 September                      | Monday                                     |
| Last day to DROP  |                               | 15 September                      | Friday                                     |
| Mid Term Report due to OR   |                               | 18 October                        | Wednesday                                  |
| WITHDRAWAL Deadline   |                               | 20 October                        | Friday                                     |
| LAST DAY of class   |                               | 24 November                       | Friday                                     |
| Reading period  |                               | 27-29 November                    | Monday - Wednesday                         |
| Final Examinations  |                               | 30 November - 9<br>December       | Thursday - Saturday                        |
| Grades due to OR  |                               | 13 December                       | Wednesday                                  |
| Grades available to students  |                               | 14 December                       | Thursday                                   |
| End of Semester (Reports &<br>Decisions)                            |                               | 14-20 December                    | Thursday -<br>Wednesday                    |
| End of Semester (the date when<br>students should leave the campus) |                               | 20 December                       | Wednesday                                  |
| Fall Degree Conferral   |                               | 15 January 2018                   | Monday                                     |
| Winter Break  |                               | 15 December 2017 – 7 January 2018 |  |
| <b>HOLIDAYS</b>   |                               |                                   |  |
| 30 August   | Constitution Day              | September 1                       | Kurban Eid                                 |
| 1 December  | Day of the First<br>President | 16-19 December                    | Independence Day<br>and Monday<br>observed |
| <b>Spring Semester<br/>2018</b>                                     |                               |                                   |  |
| <b>EVENT</b>  |                               | <b>DATES</b>                      | <b>DAYS</b>                                |
| FIRST DAY of Classes  |                               | 8 January                         | Monday                                     |
| Last Day to ADD   |                               | 15 January                        | Monday                                     |
| Last Day to DROP  |                               | 19 January                        | Friday                                     |
| Mid Term Report due to OR   |                               | 2 March                           | Friday                                     |
| WITHDRAWAL Deadline   |                               | 7 March                           | Wednesday                                  |
| Spring Break  |                               | 19-23 March                       | Monday-Friday                              |
| LAST DAY of Classes   |                               | 20 April                          | Friday                                     |
| Final Examinations  |                               | 23-30 April & 2-4<br>May          | Monday-Friday                              |
| Grades due to OR  |                               | 10 May                            | Thursday                                   |

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| Grades available to students                                     | 11 May                                | Friday                              |
| End of Semester (Reports & Decisions)                            | 14-18 May                             | Monday-Friday                       |
| End of Semester (the date when students should leave the campus) | 18 May                                | Friday                              |
| Degree Conferral   | 26-27 May                             | Saturday - Sunday                   |
| Graduation   | 26-27 May<br>TBC                      | Saturday - Sunday                   |
| <b>HOLIDAYS</b>  |                                       |                                     |
| 1-2 January  | New Year's Day and Monday observation | 7 January<br>Christmas              |
| 8 March  | International Women's Day             | 21-23 March<br>Nauryz               |
| 1 May  | Unity Day                             | 7 May<br>Defender of the Fatherland |
| 9 May  | Victory Day                           | 6 July<br>Day of the Capital        |
| <b>Summer Semester<br/>2018</b>                                  |                                       |                                     |
| <b>EVENT</b>   | <b>DATE</b>                           | <b>DAY</b>                          |
| FIRST DAY of Summer Classes                                      | 28 May                                | Monday                              |
| Last Day to ADD  | 30 May                                | Wednesday                           |
| Last Day to DROP   | 1 June                                | Friday                              |
| Mid Term Report due to OR  | 27 June                               | Wednesday                           |
| WITHDRAWAL Deadline  | 4 July                                | Wednesday                           |
| LAST DAY of classes  | 20 July                               | Friday                              |
| Final Exams  | 23-25 July                            | Monday-Wednesday                    |
| Final Grades due to OR   | 27 July                               | Friday                              |
| Grades available to students                                     | 30 July                               | Monday                              |
| End of Term (Reports & Decisions)                                | 31 July-3 August                      | Tuesday-Friday                      |
| End of Term (the date when students should leave the campus)     | 3 August                              | Friday                              |
| Summer Conferral of Degrees                                      | 17 September                          | Monday                              |

**APPROVAL SHEET/ КЕЛІСУ ПАРАҒЫ/ЛИСТ СОГЛАСОВАНИЯ**

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PROGRAMS FOR 2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR/  
ҒЫЛЫМ ЖӘНЕ ТЕХНОЛОГИЯЛАР МЕКТЕБІНІҢ МАГИСТРЛІК БАҒДАРМАЛАРЫ 2017-2018  
ОҚУ ЖЫЛЫНА АРНАЛҒАН АКАДЕМИЯЛЫҚ КҮНТІЗБЕСІ/  
АКАДЕМИЧЕСКИЙ КАЛЕНДАРЬ МАГИСТЕРСКИХ ПРОГРАММ ШКОЛЫ НАУК И  
ТЕХНОЛОГИЙ НА 2017-2018 УЧЕБНЫЙ ГОД

| Item/<br>Атауы/<br>Наименование        | Structural subdivision/<br>Құрылымдық бөлімшенің атауы/<br>Наименование структурного<br>подразделения                                 | Name and signature<br>of a responsible<br>person, date of<br>approval/<br>Т.А.Ә., жауапты<br>тұлғаның қолы,<br>визаның қойылған<br>күні<br>Ф.И.О., подпись<br>ответственного<br>лица, дата<br>визирования | Position, name and<br>signature of a resp.,<br>date of approval /<br>Лауазымы, Т.А.Ә.,<br>нақты<br>орындаушының<br>қолы, визаның<br>қойылған күні/<br>Должность, Ф.И.О.,<br>подпись<br>конкретного<br>исполнителя, дата<br>визирования |
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| DEVELOPMENT/<br>ӘЗІРЛЕУ/<br>РАЗРАБОТКА | School of Science and Technology/<br>Ғылым және технологиялар мектебі/<br>Школа наук и технологий                                     | Michael Lewis<br>  | Mirat Akshalov<br>  |
| REVIEW/<br>КЕЛІСУ/<br>СОГЛАСОВАНИЕ     | Office of the Registrar/<br>Регистратор офісі/<br>Офис Регистратора   | Rebecca Lee Carter<br><br>Ребекка Картер  |  |
|  | Department of Documentational Support/<br>Құжаттармен қамтамасыз ету<br>Департаменті/<br>Департамент документационного<br>обеспечения | L. Nurgaziyeva<br><br>Л. Нургазиева  | 13.08.2017   |