

### Important Dates - 2023

16 August	<b>Academic Board Meeting (10:00 a.m.)</b>
17 August	<b>Induction of New Staff (3:00 p.m.)</b>
18 August	<b>Orientation: All New Students (9:00 a.m) UG Campus</b>
19 August	a) Inauguration Ceremony for the 2023-2024 Academic Year in the UG Auditorium (3:00 p.m.) b) The Official Inauguration of HUC@40 c) Mass: Hekima Chapel (5:00pm)
21 August	<b>Classes begin:</b> 21 August – 1 December
26 August	<b>HUC Academic Staff Dinner (Welcoming new Faculty) – Postgraduate Campus</b>
28 August	<b>Language Electives</b> begin for <b>14 Weeks</b> , Mondays, 28 August- 27 November
30 August	<b>Electives</b> begin for <b>7 Weeks</b> , Wednesdays, 30 August – 18 October <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i>
1 September	a) <b>HIPSIR</b> Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 pm) b) <b>Seminars</b> begin for <b>10 Weeks</b> Fridays, 1 September – 10 November <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i>
2 September	Certificate in Retreat Direction (2 September – 11 November) Mass at 8:15 am
5 September	Lecture: "Ecology and the Bible, Odd Bedfellows? An Invitation to Eco-Biblical Rendezvous" by <b>IRUDAYARAJ Sundararaj Dominic SJ</b>
7 September	<b>Management Board Meeting (3:00 p.m.)</b>
8 September	HIPSIR Public Lecturer
13 September	Supplementary & Special Examinations
14 September	HUC@40 Meeting
20 September	HUC Council Meeting
22 September	FTJAM Academic Board Meeting (3:00pm)
23 September	International Conference on Refugees and Migrants
24 September	The Celebration of the 109th World Day of Refugees and Migrants
28 September	JST Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
3 October	FTJAM Council Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
9 October	<b>Mid-term Break (9 - 13 October)</b>
10 October	<b>HUDUMA DAY</b>
12 October	Lecture: "‘Strangers no longer’ (Eph. 2:19): Welcoming migrants and refugees." by <b>Prof. William O’Neill, SJ</b>
16 October	Field Research for HIPSIR 2 <sup>nd</sup> Yr. (MA II Jan 2023), 16 October – 17 November
17 October	Submission of Thesis Proposal Draft for Mock defenses- HIPSIR
18 October	Final Elective Class <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i>
20 October	<b>MASHUJAA DAY</b>
23 October	Hekima Research Week (23 – 27)
26 October	a) Graduation Mass and Rehearsal, CUEA b) HIPSIR Research Seminar
27 October	Graduation at CUEA
1 November	Non-Teaching Staff Recollection (1-2 November)
1 November	<b>Elective Examinations</b> <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i> ( <b>Turning-in grades 15 November</b> )
2 November	A conference on Laurenti Magesa

4 November	Conferment of Ministries of Lector and Acolyte
8 November	Thesis Defenses (Final, Proposal, and Mock)- <i>HIPSIR</i> , November 8-9
10 November	a) End of Seminars and the deadline for presenting papers— Jesuit School of Theology <i>(Turning-in grades 4 December)</i> b) <i>HIPSIR</i> Monthly Public Forum
16 November	JST Academic Staff Meeting (3.00 p.m)
21 November	The JCAM Research Network (21 – 25 November ) HUC premises
24 November	<i>HIPSIR</i> Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
30 November	a) End of Classes b) External Formators' Meeting
1 December	College Feast/ Cultural Day
4 December	Study Week: (4-8 December)
11 December	<b>First Semester Examinations (11 – 19 December)</b> <i>(turning-in grades 8 January 2024)</i>
12 December	<b>JAMHURI DAY</b>
13 December	Certificate in HHSSP & Certificate in Theological Formation of Laity closes
20 December	<b>College closes for Christmas Break</b>

#### Important Dates – 2024

4 January	<b>HUC Staff Resume Offices/Work.</b>
8 January	a) <b>Classes Begin: 8 January - 19 April</b> b) <b>Distribution of the Comprehensive Examinations Syllabus</b> <i>(Third Year, Jesuit School of Theology)</i> c) <b>Grades due for First Semester Examinations</b> d) Orientation: All New Students (Postgraduate Campus, 3:00 p.m.)
12 January	a) FTJAM Academic Board (3:00 p.m.) b) <i>HIPSIR</i> Research Seminar
13 January	HUC Academic Staff New Year Dinner – Postgraduate Campus
15 January	<b>Language Electives</b> begin for <b>14 Weeks</b> Mondays, 15 January – 15 April
17 January	<b>Electives</b> begin for <b>7 weeks</b> , on Wednesdays, 17 January - 6 March <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i>
19 January	<b>(a) Seminars</b> begin for <b>10 weeks</b> , on Fridays, 19 January – 19 April <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i> <b>(b) Academic Board Meeting: Scrutiny of First Semester Results (3:00 p.m.)</b>
20 January	Certificate in Retreat Direction Continues: 20 January– 13 April
25 January	<b>Management Board Meeting (3:00p.m.)</b>
26 January	<i>HIPSIR</i> Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
29 January	<i>HIPSIR</i> Students' Theses Proposals and Final Theses Defenses (29 January - 2 February)
7 February	a) <b>Supplementary &amp; Special Examinations</b> b) Field Research for 2nd Year Students— <i>HIPSIR</i>
9 February	a) Submission of corrected Thesis Proposal ( <i>HIPSIR</i> ) b) HUC Council Meeting c) <i>HIPSIR</i> Monthly Public Forum
10 February	Diaconate Ordination
12 February	Board of Trustees Meetings (12 -14 February)
14 February	Faculty Research Seminar (3:00 p.m.)

19 February	Final Defense of Thesis Proposals (MA II Jan) HIPSIR 19-23 February
21 February	Conference of HUC Pioneers
26 February	<b>Mid-term Break (26 February – 1 March)</b>
2 March	Students' Excursion-HUCSA
6 March	Final Elective Class – <i>Jesuit School of Theology</i>
7 March	HIPSIR Meet the Dean and Principal (3.00 – 4.00 p.m) - Postgraduate Campus
8 March	A Conference on Women Theologians
9 March	Faculty Rekindling and Excursion
13 March	Data Analysis Induction at 10.00 a.m. <i>Second Year, HIPSIR (13-15 March)</i>
15 March	JST Meet the Dean and Principal (3:00 – 4:00 p.m). Undergraduate Campus
18 March	HIPSIR Students' Theses Proposals and Final Theses Defenses (18-22 March)
20 March	Elective Examinations, <b><i>JST (turning-in grades 8 April)</i></b>
21 March	Management Board Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
22 March	a) End of Classes, Third Year, JST b) HIPSIR Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
25 March	<b>Study Week, 25-29 March, Third Year, JST</b>
27 March	a) FTJAM Council Meeting b) Data Analysis Induction at 10.00 a.m. for HIPSIR students preparing for data analysis
28 March	Easter Break (28 March - 1 April)
3 April	<b>a) Hekima Theological &amp; Peace-building Symposium, 3-5 March</b> <b>b) Book Launch</b> <b>c) Launch of Students' CD/Video</b>
5 April	a) Final date for submission of MTh / STL theses, <i>JST &amp; FTJAM</i> c) <b>End of Seminars and the deadline for presenting papers</b> <i>Jesuit School of Theology (turning-in grades 22 April)</i>
8 April	<b>Second Semester Examinations, 8 – 17 April</b> <i>Third Year, Jesuit School of Theology (turning-in grades 25 April)</i>
13 April	Certificate in Retreat Direction Graduation
23 April	The Inauguration of the African Chair
24 April	HUCSA General Assembly
25 April	A Virtual Conference of HUC Alumni
26 April	a) JST Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.) b) End of Classes c) End of Academic Year Mass
29 April	Study Week, 29 - 3 May ( <i>First and Second Year JST</i> )
1 May	LABOUR DAY
2 May	Written Comprehensive Examinations <i>Third Year, JST (turning-in grades 8 May)</i>
6 May	a) Second Semester Examinations -First and Second Years, <i>JST &amp; HIPSIR 6 - 15 May (turning-in grades 20 May)</i> b) <i>HIPSIR</i> Students' Theses Proposals and Final Theses Defenses (6-13 May)
13 May	Oral Comprehensive Examinations: 13 – 14 <i>Third Year, JST</i>
24 May	HIPSIR Academic Staff Meeting (3:00 p.m.)
30 May	FTJAM Academic Board (3:00 p.m.)
31 May	<b>a) Academic Board Meeting: Scrutiny of Results (10:00 a.m.)</b> <b>b) College Closes</b>
3 June	Leadership & Management course (3 – 28)

**The Principal reserves the right to add or cancel an item as circumstances will oblige.**