

Graduation Deadlines

Graduating in September 2022	Graduating in December 2022	Graduating in May 2023	
Tuesday, June 14, 2022	Saturday, October 15, 2022	Wednesday, February 1, 2023	<p>Deadline to apply for graduation</p> <p>Log into DukeHub and navigate to Academics. Scroll down to Program/Degree Selection and select it to open the application for graduation, which should include a list of degree programs for which you are eligible to apply.</p> <p>If you applied to graduate in the previous term but did not graduate, you will need to apply again for the current term.</p> <p>If you are completing a certificate program, you must apply to graduate for it separately in DukeHub.</p>
Tuesday, July 5, 2022	Monday, November 14, 2022	Wednesday, March 22, 2023	<p>Deadline for initial submission of electronic doctoral dissertation or master's thesis</p> <p>The initial dissertation/thesis submission to ProQuest must take place at least two weeks prior to your defense. NOTE: If you submit your initial dissertation/thesis on the deadline date, you cannot defend until 14 days after that.</p> <p><i>Initial submission of the Dissertation/Thesis means that the document is complete. We will not check the format of an incomplete document.</i></p> <p>After you submit your electronic dissertation/master's thesis to ProQuest, you will receive an email from ProQuest informing you of any formatting problems and providing you a link to request an optional format check meeting with your assigned ETD administrator.</p> <p>We must receive the letter from your advisor confirming that your dissertation is complete and ready to defend and the Departmental Defense Announcement before we can generate and release your Final Examination Certificate. In addition, you will receive instructions for final dissertation submission and a link to complete an <i>Exit Survey</i>.</p>
Tuesday, July 19, 2022	Monday, November 28, 2022	Wednesday, April 5, 2023	<p>Final deadline to defend your dissertation or master's thesis</p> <p>Final day to hold the Ph.D. dissertation or master's thesis defense to receive the degree.</p>
Tuesday, August 2, 2022	Monday, December 12, 2022	Wednesday, April 19, 2023	<p>Deadline for final submission of electronic dissertation or thesis</p> <p>3:00 p.m. All defended, completed Ph.D. dissertations and master's theses must be submitted to ProQuest.</p> <p>5:00 p.m. All signed Ph.D. final exam certificates, master's final exam certificates for thesis master's, and non-thesis master's exam certificates for non-thesis master's candidates (including master's en route to Ph.D.) must be submitted to The Graduate School.</p>

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