

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2021 – 2022

Including Departmental Deadlines for both MA and PhD students, all times are CET

MA

PhD

BLUE = MA DATES

WHITE = CENTRAL DATES

GREEN = PHD DATES

AUGUST 2021	
August 1, Thursday	Academic Year begins
August 15, Sunday	Assumption Day, CEU Vienna is officially closed
August 20, Friday	Hungarian National Holiday, CEU Budapest is officially closed
August 30, Monday	Doctoral Candidates: Progress Report submission 2nd and 3rd Year Doctoral Candidates: End-of-the-year written-work submission
SEPTEMBER 2021	
September 4 – 5, Saturday-Sunday	First-year master's and doctoral students arrive
September 6-17, Monday-Friday	Orientation week for first-year master's and doctoral students
September 6, Monday	3.00 PM - Departmental orientation by the Head and Coordinator, for first-year master's and doctoral students
September 11-12, Saturday-Sunday	Continuing master's students arrive
September 13, Monday	Zero-week begins (till September 17, Friday)
	10.50 AM – MA and PhD Directors orientation for first-year master's and doctoral students
September 16, Thursday	5.00 p.m. Opening Ceremony
September 20, Monday	Fall Term begins (till December 10, Friday)
September 24, Friday	Departmental Doctoral Committee evaluates the students' progress
September 24, Friday	Reminder to MA students to start to prepare an application package in case they want to apply to grad school
September 20-28, Monday-Tuesday	Student Union elections in departments and schools
September 27, Monday	Registration for fall term ends
September 29, Wednesday	University Town Hall meeting
OCTOBER 2021	
October 7, Thursday	Research and Travel Grants application deadline (students)
October 23, Saturday	Hungarian National Holiday / CEU Budapest is officially closed
October 22, Friday	2nd and 3rd year Doctoral Candidates: Study plan submission Doctoral Committee assigns advisors to 1st year Probationary Doctoral Candidates
October 26, Tuesday	Austrian National Holiday / CEU Vienna is officially closed
October 28, Thursday	University Town Hall meeting

NOVEMBER 2021	
November 1, Monday	All Saints' Day / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed Submission of MA thesis title and abstract (0.5–1 page) and list of three potential MA supervisors
November 5-6, Friday-Saturday	In-House Doctoral Conference
November 8, Monday	MA Thesis planning meeting with MA program director
November 24, Wednesday	University Town Hall meeting
DECEMBER 2021	
December 8, Wednesday	Immaculate Conception Day, CEU Vienna is officially closed
December 10, Friday	Fall Term ends
December 13, Monday	Registration for winter term begins (till January 12, Sunday)
December 20–23 Monday-Thursday	Offices w. skeleton team Library and Labs: weekend schedule
December 24–26 Friday-Sunday	Christmas / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed
December 27–30 Monday-Thursday	Offices w. skeleton team, Library and Labs: weekend schedule
December 31, Friday	New Year's Eve / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed
JANUARY 2022	
January 1, Saturday	New Year's Day / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed
January 5, Wednesday	Research and Travel Grants application deadline (students)
January 6, Thursday	Epiphany Day, CEU Vienna is officially closed
January 10, Monday	Winter Term begins in CEU Vienna and CEU Budapest (till April 1, Friday)
	Submission of revised thesis abstract (0.5-1 page), including 5-15 core reference to be used
	Departmental deadline for submitting coursework for Philosophy courses, unless a different deadline is specified in the syllabus
January 11, Tuesday	First MA thesis seminar meeting
January 17, Monday	1 grade penalty (eg. B + to B) for late coursework submission Registration for winter term ends Deadline for the submission of fall term grades
	1st year Probationary Doctoral Candidates: Deadline for submitting the title and topic of First-Year Paper
January 24, Monday	9.00 a.m. Deadline for submitting a formal research proposal of at least 2500 words for MA students' theses
January 31, Monday	Deadline to meet and discuss the MA research proposal with the supervisor
FEBRUARY 2022	
February 23, Wednesday	University Town Hall meeting
MARCH 2022	

March 3, Thursday	Research and Travel Grants application deadline (students)
March 15, Tuesday	Hungarian National holiday, CEU Budapest is officially closed
March 21, Monday	Registration for Spring term begins (till April 11, Monday)
	Spring Term begins in CEU Vienna and CEU Budapest (till June 17, Friday)

APRIL 2022	
April 1, Friday	Winter term ends
April 4, Monday	Spring term begins
April 8, Friday	Meeting with probationary PhD students on Thesis Plans
April 11, Monday	Registration for Spring term ends
	Departments/schools submit the final list of courses including cross-listed courses for the AY 2022-23 to the Student Records Office and upload on the Course Hub
	Submission of the at least 4000-word long partial draft of the MA thesis (midnight)
April 15, Friday	Good Friday/CEU Budapest is officially closed Submission deadline for Winter term coursework unless otherwise specified in the syllabus
April 17-18, Sunday-Monday	Easter Sunday and Monday/CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed
April 19, Tuesday	Evaluation of the at least 4000-word long MA thesis draft as either "all right" or "problematic"
MAY 2022	
May 1, Sunday	Labor Day / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed
May 9, Monday	Deadline for the submission of winter term grades
	1.00 p.m. Submission of a full draft of MA theses
May 16, Monday	1.00 p.m. Submission of a full draft of PhD First-Year Paper (ca.10.000 words) and Thesis Plan (2–3 pp.) due only to coordinator and advisors
	Supervisors decide whether an MA student may pass to the June defense phase
May 20 – June 17	Deadline for MA students to send core course exam papers to the departmental coordinator -details via e-mail
May 26, Thursday	Ascension Day, CEU Vienna is officially closed
May 30, Monday	1.00 p.m. Final MA theses submission
JUNE 2022	
June 2, Tuesday	1.00 p.m. Final version of First-Year Paper and Thesis Plan (due to coordinator and advisors and to be sent out to readers)
June 5-6, Sunday-Monday	Pentecost Sunday and Monday / CEU Budapest and CEU Vienna are officially closed

June 10, Friday	Deadline for submission of spring term grades for graduating students
June 13–17, Monday–Friday	MA defenses
June 17, Friday	Spring Term ends
June 20, Monday	Probationary Doctoral Candidates' comprehensive exam
June 24, Friday	Commencement

JULY 2022	
July 8, Friday	Final deadline for all course grades for academic year 2021–22
July 31, Sunday	Academic Year ends
AUGUST 2022	
August 31, Wednesday	Doctoral Candidates: Progress Report submission
	2nd and 3rd Year Doctoral Candidates: End-of-the-year written work submission