



# UIWRSO 2022-2023 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

## Fall 2022

August 17-19	First Year Orientation
August 22	Academic Instruction/Internal Clinics/Externships Begin
August 29	Last day for Registration by RSO Student Affairs
August 29	Last day for Withdrawal with 100% refund
September 2	Last day to submit UIW Health Insurance waiver
September 5	<b>Labor Day (UIWRSO CLOSED)</b>
Sept 23, Sept 26- 30	Mid-Term Exam Week 1 (1 <sup>st</sup> year students only, Reading Day 3/28)
October 3	Last day to APPLY for MAY 2023 Graduation
October 27-28	Fall Break Optometry Professional Program (No instruction/No internal clinical rotations- UIWRSO OPEN) American Academy of Optometry Annual Meeting.
November 4, Nov. 7-11	Mid-Term Exam Week 2 (1 <sup>st</sup> year students only, Reading Day 11/9)
November 11	Spring 2022 block registration begins by Students Affairs
November 18	Last day to Withdraw with a 'W'
November 23-25	Thanksgiving Break (No Instruction/No Internal Clinic Rotations)
November 24-25	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
December 2	Residency Day
December 6 or 8	NBEO Part II (PAM)
December 5-9	Final Exams 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> year students
December 10-17	Clinical Coverage (Residents)
December 10 -January 1	Academic Semester Break (No Instruction 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Years) Academic
December 11- January 1	Semester Break (No Instruction 3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
December 17	End of Fall Internal Clinic Rotations & Externships (4th yr)
December 16	Fall grades available on Bannerweb for students after 2 p.m.
December 19–January 1	Clinic Closed (No Internal Clinic Rotations)

**December 24 – January 1    Holiday Break (UIWRSO Closed)**

## Spring 2023

January 3	Internal Clinic Rotations & Externships Begin (4th yrs)
TBD	Board Review ( <b>Mandatory for 3<sup>rd</sup> Year</b> )
January 3	Academic Instruction/Internal Clinic Rotations Begin (1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
January 16	<b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
January 17	Last day for Registration by RSO Student Affairs
January 17	Last day for Withdrawal with 100% refund
February 3, 6-10	Mid-Term Exam Week 1 (1st year students only)
February 17	No Academic Instruction for TOA Summit (UIWRSO Open)
February 22	Ash Wednesday (Classes/Labs/Clinics meet on regular schedule)
March 10,13-17	Mid-Term Exam Week 2 (1st year students only, Reading Day 3/15)



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## Spring 2023 cont'd

March 20/21/22/23	NBEO Part I (ABS) (3rd year students)
March 20-24	Student Semester Break (No Academic Instruction/No Internal Clinic Rotations – UIWRSO Open)
March 27	Academic Instruction & Clinic Rotations Resume (1st, 2nd, and 4th Years) Spring
April 1	Awards Banquet and Eyeball
<b>April 7</b>	<b>Good Friday (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
<b>April 10</b>	<b>Easter Break (No Academic Instruction/No Internal Clinic – UIWRSO Open)</b>
<b>April 14</b>	<b>Fall 2022 Block registration begins by student affairs</b>
April 13&14	Clinical Proficiency (AM only)- 2nd years. (all faculty and students) No classes/labs
<b>April 21</b>	<b>Last day to Withdraw with a 'W'</b>
April 21, 24-27	Final Exams (2nd year students ONLY)
<b>April 28</b>	<b>Battle of Flowers (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
April 29	End of Spring Internal Clinic Rotations & Externships (4th years- <i>OPT 2022</i> ) End of
May 6	Clinic Rotations (3rd years- <i>OPT 2023</i> )
May 1-5	Final Exams (1st and 3rd years students)
May 1-10	Semester Break (Rising 3rd Years- <i>OPT 2024</i> )
<b>May 5</b>	<b><i>Baccalaureate Mass</i></b>
May 6	UIWRSO Commencement Ceremony
<b>May 12</b>	<b>Spring Grades Available to students on Bannerweb by 2:00 p.m.</b>

## Summer 2023

May 8-13	Semester Break (4 <sup>th</sup> Years on Externship)
May 8	Internal Clinic Rotation Begins (4 <sup>th</sup> Years)
May 11	Clinic Orientation (3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
May 12	Clinical Induction Ceremony (3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
May 15	Classes/Labs/Internal Clinical Rotations Begin (3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
May 15	Externship Begins (4 <sup>th</sup> Years)
<b>May 29</b>	<b>Memorial Day (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
June 22-23	Internal Clinic Rotation Semester Break (4 <sup>th</sup> Years In-House Only – UIWRSO Open)
<b>July 4</b>	<b>Independence Day (UIWRSO Closed)</b>
<b>July 21</b>	<b>Last day to Withdraw with a 'W'</b>
August 7-11	Final Exams (3 <sup>rd</sup> Years)
August 12	End of Summer Internal Clinic Rotations & Externships (3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Years)
August 14-18	Semester Break (No Instruction, Internal Clinic or Externships – UIWRSO Open)
August 17-18	First Year orientation
August 18	First Year workshop

**\*\*August dates based on a Fall 2023 semester start date of August 21, 2023.**