

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2011/2012

2011

August 1, Monday	Start of the Academic year
August 8, Monday	Departments to submit final schedule including cross-listed courses for Fall Term
August 20, Saturday	Hungarian National Holiday CEU is officially closed
September 3-4, Sat-Sun	Students arrive for short pre-session
September 5, Monday	Short pre-session begins (till Sep 9, Friday) All MA2/2 students may occupy their accommodation in the student dormitories on Kerepesi ut.
September 6, Tuesday	10:00 MA Orientation 12:00 MA2/1 Orientation
September 8, Thursday	Departmental meeting 15:00 MA Welcome Reception
September 9, Friday	Short pre-session ends
September 12, Monday	“Zero week” begins Registration for Fall Term begins (till October 2, Sunday)
September 13, Tuesday	16:00 PhD orientation and welcome reception
September 16, Friday	15:00 Opening ceremony
September 16, Friday	“Zero week” ends
September 19, Monday	Fall Term begins (till December 9, Friday)
September 29, Thursday	Erasmus faculty mobility applications for 2011/12, 1st cycle

Erasmus staff training applications for 2011/12, 1st cycle

September 30, Friday	Submission of study plans for PhD students
October 1, Saturday	Departmental Field Trip
October 2, Sunday	Registration for Fall Term ends
October 6, Thursday	Academic Forum
October 6, Thursday	Departmental meeting
October 21, Friday	SENATE
October 21, Friday	PhD Research and Travel Grant application deadline (1 st round)
October 23, Sunday	Hungarian National Holiday CEU is officially closed
October 28, Friday	CEU Research Support Scheme, Type 2 - First deadline
October 31, Monday	Special day off CEU is officially closed
November 1, Tuesday	National Holiday CEU is officially closed
November 2, Wednesday	Feedback on mentoring
November 2, Wednesday	Deadline for submission of an approximately 8,000-word draft of MA2/2 thesis
November 2, Wednesday	Deadline for signing up for “szakirányú továbbképzés” (further specialization) exam in political science
November 3, Thursday	Departmental meeting
November 5-6, Sat-Sun	Board of Trustees
November 7, Monday	Departments to submit schedule and cross-listed courses for Winter Term
November 10, Thursday	First presentations of probationary PhD candidates (group 1)
November 11, Friday	Town Hall Meeting
November 14, Monday	Winter course syllabi due
November 17, Thursday	First presentations of probationary PhD candidates (group 2)
November 25, Friday	Each MA2/2 draft is evaluated, either as “all right,” or as “problematic”

<i>December 1, Thursday</i>	<i>Academic Forum</i>	
December 5, Monday	Registration for Winter Term begins (till January 15, Sunday)	
December 8, Thursday	Departmental meeting	
December 9, Friday	Winter course reader master copies due	
December 9, Friday	Fall Term ends	
<i>December 9, Friday</i>	<i>SENATE</i>	
WINTER BREAK		
<i>December 24, Saturday</i>	<i>Christmas Eve</i>	<i>CEU is officially closed</i>
<i>December 25, Sunday</i>	<i>Christmas</i>	<i>CEU is officially closed</i>
<i>December 26, Monday</i>	<i>Christmas</i>	<i>CEU is officially closed</i>
<i>December 27, Tuesday</i>	<i>Offices w. skeleton team</i>	<i>Library and Labs: weekend schedule</i>
<i>December 28, Wednesday</i>	<i>Offices w. skeleton team</i>	<i>Library and Labs: weekend schedule</i>
<i>December 29, Thursday</i>	<i>Offices w. skeleton team</i>	<i>Library and Labs: weekend schedule</i>
<i>December 30, Friday</i>	<i>Offices w. skeleton team</i>	<i>Library and Labs: weekend schedule</i>
<i>December 31, Saturday</i>	<i>New Year's Eve</i>	<i>CEU is officially closed</i>

2012

January 1, Sunday	New Year's Day	CEU is officially closed
January 9, Monday	Winter Term Begins (till March 30, Friday)	
January 13, Friday	Deadline for the submission of Fall Term grades (for PolSci)	
January 15, Sunday	Registration for Winter Term ends	
January 27, Friday	Deadline for the submission of Fall Term grades (for CEU)	
January 30, Monday	CEU Research Support Scheme, Type 2 – Second deadline	
January 30, Monday	Deadline for submission of MA Thesis Questionnaire Form for MA and MA2/1 students; deadline for choosing thesis topic and supervisor; preliminary decision on supervision	
February 1, Wednesday	Erasmus study grant applications for Fall, Spring 2012/2013, 1 st cycle Erasmus internship applications 2011/2012	
February 2, Thursday	Departmental meeting	
February 6, Monday	Deadline for submission of a 12,000-word draft for MA2/2 students	
February 9, Thursday	<i>Academic Forum</i>	
February 10, Friday	MA Travel Grant application deadline (1 st round) PhD Research and Travel Grants application deadline (2 nd round)	
February 15, Wednesday	Erasmus faculty mobility applications for 2011/12 Erasmus staff training applications for 2011/12	
February 24, Friday	Deadline for choosing a permanent PhD supervisor and submitting the title/topic of the prospectus	
March 1, Thursday	Departmental meeting	
March 2, Friday	<i>SENATE</i>	
March 5, Monday	Departments to submit schedule and cross-listed courses for Spring Session	
March 12, Monday	Deadline for submission of a formal research proposal of at least 2,500 words for MA students	
March 12, Monday	Deadline for submission of the final thesis topic for MA2/1 students	

March 14, Wednesday	MA students receive feedback from supervisor
March 15, Thursday	Hungarian National Holiday CEU is officially closed
March 16, Friday	Special day off/no offices CEU is officially closed
March 19, Monday	Registration for Spring Session begins (till April 8, Sunday)
March 20, Tuesday	Graduate Network Conference, Berlin
March 24-25, Sat-Sun	Board of Trustees
March 30, Friday	Winter Term ends
March 31, Saturday	CEU Research Support Scheme, Type 1 – Final deadline
April 2, Monday	Spring Session begins
April 2-6, Mon-Fri	Thesis Writing Workshops; MA students present the revised version of their 2,500 words; MA2/1 students prepare a 1,000-word draft for the workshop
April 6, Friday	<i>Town Hall Meeting</i>
April 8, Sunday	Easter Sunday CEU is officially closed
April 9, Monday	Easter Monday CEU is officially closed
April 9, Monday	Registration for Spring Session ends
April 16-20, Mon-Fri	PhD comprehensive exams
April 18, Wednesday	Deadline for submission for the Winter Term grades (for PolSci)
April 19, Thursday	<i>Academic Forum</i>
April 23, Monday	Deadline for submission of a 5,000-word first draft of MA thesis
April 23, Monday	Deadline for submission of a 2,500-word draft for MA2/1
April 26-27, Thu-Fri	Seventh Annual Doctoral Conference
April 30, Monday	Each MA first draft is evaluated, either as ‘all right’ or as ‘problematic’
April 30, Monday	CEU Research Support Scheme, Type 2 – Final deadline
April 30, Monday	Special day off/no offices CEU is officially closed
May 1, Tuesday	Hungarian National Holiday CEU is officially closed
May 2, Wednesday	Deadline for submission of a 15,000-word draft for MA2/2 students

May 4, Friday	Deadline for submission for the Winter Term grades (for CEU)
May 4, Friday	SENATE
	MA Travel Grant application deadline
	PhD Research and Travel Grant application deadline
May 7, Monday	Supervisors decide whether MA2/2 students may pass to the June defense phase
May 16, Wednesday	Erasmus study grant applications for spring 2012/2013, 2 nd cycle
May 25, Friday	Deadline for submission of the full draft of MA theses (approximately 15,000 words)
May 25, Friday	Deadline for submission of the full draft of MA2/2 theses (approximately 18,000 words)
May 27, Sunday	Pentecost Sunday CEU is officially closed
May 28, Monday	Pentecost Monday CEU is officially closed
May 29, Tuesday	Supervisors decide whether MA students may pass to the June defense phase
May 29, Tuesday	Final MA and MA2/2 thesis submission
June 2, Saturday	Departmental trip
June 4-8, Monday-Friday	MA defenses
	MA2/2 defenses + oral exams
June 8, Friday	Prospectus submission for PhD students
June 11, Monday	Departmental meeting
June 13, Wednesday	End-of-year reception
June 14, Thursday	GRADUATION
June 15, Friday	Deadline for submission of a 5,000-word draft of MA2/1 thesis
June 18, Monday	Each MA2/1 draft is evaluated, either as “all right” or as “problematic”
June 18-20, Mon-Wed	Prospectus Defense
July 2, Monday	Summer University begins

<i>July 14-15, Sat-Sun</i>	<i>Board of Trustees</i>
July 26, Thursday	Absolute deadline for all courses grades for academic year
July 27, Friday	Summer University ends
July 31, Tuesday	End of the Academic year