

**Spring 2019 Graduate Institute Academic Calendar**  
**St. John's College | Annapolis, MD**

DATE	EVENT
January 7	<p><b>Graduate Institute New Student Orientation</b> New Student Seminar on Plato's <i>Meno</i> (70a-86d) and Stringfellow Barr's "Notes on Dialogue" (11:00am, BBC Hartle Room)</p> <p>New Student Lunch, hosted by the Graduate Council (12:30pm, BBC Nelson Room)</p> <p>Graduate Student Registration (1:30pm, BBC Hartle Room) <i>Any remainder on your student account balance must be paid in full in order to access student services, benefits, and your official class schedule. REQUIRED for new students, useful for returning.</i></p> <p>Campus Tour, Issuance of ID Cards (2:30pm, BBC Lobby)</p> <p>Library Tour and Introduction to Resources (3:15pm)</p> <p>Spring Convocation Ceremony (4:15pm, King William Room, BBC)</p> <p>First Tutorial Class (5:15pm – see your class schedule for location)</p> <p>Student Life &amp; Career Services Dinner (6:30pm, BBC Hartle Room)</p> <p>First Seminar Class (7:30pm – see your class schedule for location)</p> <p>First After-Seminar Gather (ASG) (9:30pm – BBC Hartle Room) <i>Refreshments provided by the Graduate Student Council. Open to all students and tutors in the Graduate Institute.</i></p>
January 10	<p>Title IX Training (6:30pm, King William Room, BBC – Dinner Provided – Required for new students)</p> <p>First Preceptorial Class (7:30pm – see your class schedule for location)</p>
January 24	<p>Monthly Pre-Preceptorial Dinner (6:30pm, BBC Hartle Room) <i>All students and tutors are invited to attend and socialize.</i></p>
February 4	<p>Special requests for conferences due to the Graduate Institute office</p>
February 18	<p>Spring 2019 conferences begin (organized by the Registrar – check SJC email for your schedule)</p>

- February 28 Monthly Pre-Preceptorial Dinner (6:30pm, BBC Hartle Room)  
*All students and tutors are invited to attend and socialize.*
- March 1 Priority deadline to apply for financial aid for summer 2019.
- March 1-17 Spring Break. No classes on March 4, 7, 11, and 14
- March 18 Classes resume. Conferences resume.
- March 18 Master's Essays Due to the Graduate Institute Office  
*Completed Master's essays are due today in order to have an oral exam, complete degree requirements, and/or be recognized at commencement.*
- March 28 Monthly Pre-Preceptorial Dinner (6:30pm, BBC Hartle Room)  
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- April 4 Proposals due to enroll in Master's Essay Writing Period for Summer 2019
- April 8 Seminar oral examinations begin (scheduled by your tutor)
- April 12 Deadline to apply for intercampus transfer to Santa Fe for summer 2019 without financial penalty
- April 25 Monthly Pre-Preceptorial Dinner (6:30pm, BBC Hartle Room)  
*All students and tutors are invited to attend and socialize.*
- April 25 Graduating student's preceptorial papers due in class
- April 27 "Annapolis Cup" croquet match with the Naval Academy and Graduate Institute  
Croquet Reception (BBC Hartle Room)
- Apr 29 Graduate Institute Faculty Meeting (6:30pm, BBC 304 - Nelson Room)
- May 1 Deadline to deposit for fall 2019 semester. Priority deadline to apply for fall 2019 financial aid.
- May 2 Continuing students' preceptorial papers are due in class
- May 6 Associate Dean's Reception for Degree Candidates (6:30pm - Hodson Boathouse)
- May 9 Final class meetings and end of spring 2019 semester
- May 11 Capstone *Meno* Seminar for Graduating Students (11:00am - Hartle Room, BBC)  
Graduate Institute Bocce and BBQ on the BBC Lawn (12:00pm)
- May 12 Spring 2019 Commencement Ceremony on the Front Lawn (10:30am)