



Semester 1 (Tuesday, 4 September 2012 – Sunday, 20 January 2013 inclusive)		
First Year Orientation	Tuesday, 4 September – Friday, 7 September	No. of days varies depending on course
Teaching term 1	Monday, 10 September – Friday, 30 November ¹	12 weeks
Revision	Saturday, 1 December – Friday, 7 December	1 week
Exams	Monday, 10 December – Friday, 21 December	11 working days
Christmas break	Saturday, 22 December 2012 – Thursday, 3 January 2013 inclusive	
Semester 1 Exam process ²	https://intranet.ucd.ie/registry/assessment/gap.html	
Semester 2 (Monday, 21 January – Sunday, 19 May 2013 inclusive)		
Teaching term 2a	Monday, 21 January – Friday, 8 March	7 weeks
Fieldwork/Study period	Monday, 11 March – Sunday, 24 March ³	2 weeks
Teaching term 2b	Monday, 25 March – Friday, 26 April ⁴	5 weeks
Revision	Monday, 29 April – Sunday, 5 May	1 week
Exams	Tuesday, 7 May ⁵ – Saturday, 18 May	11 working days
Semester 2 Exam process ²	https://intranet.ucd.ie/registry/assessment/gap.html	
Summer term/Research period (Monday, 20 May – Sunday, 8 September 2013 inclusive)		
Term 3	Monday, 20 May – Sunday, 8 September ⁶	16 weeks
Graduate Exam process ²	https://intranet.ucd.ie/registry/assessment/gap.html	
¹ October Bank Holiday: Monday, 29 October 2012 ² Incorporates Grading, Grade Entry, Processing, School Module Review Boards, Release of provisional results ³ St. Patrick's Day: Sunday, 17 March 2013. St. Patrick's Bank Holiday: Monday, 18 March 2013 ⁴ Good Friday, 29 March 2013; Easter Sunday, 31 March 2013; Easter Monday, 1 April 2013 ⁵ May Bank Holiday: Monday, 6 May 2013 ⁶ June Bank Holiday: Monday, 3 June 2013; August Bank Holiday: Monday, 5 August 2013		