| First Semester 2011/2012  |                        |  |  |  |
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| (Fall Semester)           |                        |  |  |  |
| <b>September 11, 2011</b> | Sunday                 | The Academic Year 2010/2011 begins   |  |  |
| September 11-15           | Sunday- Thursday       | Addition and Withdrawal week (excluding Eid El-Fitr Holiday)   |  |  |
| September 18              | Sunday                 | First Semester Classes begin   |  |  |
| October 17                | Monday                 | PhD Qualifying Examination (First Paper)   |  |  |
| October 24                | Monday                 | PhD Qualifying Examination (Second Paper)  |  |  |
| October 31-November 15    | Monday-Tuesday         | Mid-term Examinations  |  |  |
| November 5-9              | Saturday-<br>Wednesday | Eid Al-Adha Holiday (estimated)  |  |  |
| November 21               | Monday                 | Comprehensive Examination for Master's Students (Non-thesis Track)   |  |  |
| November 21               | Monday                 | Registration for the second semester 2010/2011 begins  |  |  |
| November 30               | Wednesday              | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses (Master's & Doctoral levels)   |  |  |
| November 26               | Saturday               | Hijri New Year's Day (estimated)   |  |  |
| December 28               | Wednesday              | Deadline for university thesis defence   |  |  |
| December 25               | Sunday                 | Christmas Day  |  |  |
| December 28               | Wednesday              | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses (Bachelor level)   |  |  |
| December 28               | Wednesday              | Last day for withdrawal from the first semester 2010/2011  |  |  |
| January 1, 2012           | Saturday               | New Year's Day   |  |  |
| January 4                 | Wednesday              | Last day of classes in the first semester 2010/2011  |  |  |
| January 7-15              | Saturday -<br>Sunday   | Final Examinations   |  |  |
| January 16-26             | Monday-<br>Thursday    | Students' Inter- semesters vacation  |  |  |
| January 17                | Tuesday                | Deadline for submission of the final exams' results to<br>the Admission and Registration Unit                          |  |  |
| January 18                | Wednesday              | Deadline for the Faculties' Councils to submit recommendations to grant degrees and certificates to the Deans' Council |  |  |
| January 23                | Monday                 | Deans' Council Resolution to Grant Degrees and Certificates  |  |  |

| Second Semester 2011/2012 |                           |  |  |  |
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| (Spring Semester)         |                           |  |  |  |
| January 29, 2012 -        | Sunday- Thursday          | <u> </u>   |  |  |
| <b>February 2, 2012</b>   |                           |  |  |  |
| February 4                | Saturday                  | Birth of Prophet Mohammad Peace Be Upon Him                    |  |  |
|                           |                           | (estimated)  |  |  |
| February 5                | Sunday                    | Second Semester Classes begin                                  |  |  |
|                           |                           |  |  |  |
| March 5                   | Monday                    | PhD Qualifying Examination (First Paper)                       |  |  |
| March 12                  | Monday                    | PhD Qualifying Examination (Second Paper)                      |  |  |
| March 18                  | Sunday                    | Comprehensive Examination for Master's Students                |  |  |
|                           |                           | (Non-thesis Track)   |  |  |
| March 18-April 5          | Sunday-Thursday           | Mid-term Examinations  |  |  |
| April 12                  | Thursday                  | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses              |  |  |
|                           | G 1                       | (Master's & Doctoral levels)                                   |  |  |
| April 15                  | Sunday                    | Registration for the summer semester 2011/2012 begins          |  |  |
| May 1                     | Tuesday                   | Labour Day   |  |  |
| May 14                    | Monday                    | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses              |  |  |
|                           |                           | (Bachelor level)   |  |  |
| May 14                    | Monday                    | Last day for withdrawal from the second semester               |  |  |
|                           |                           | 2011/2012  |  |  |
| May 14                    | Monday                    | Deadline for university's thesis defence                       |  |  |
| May 20                    | Sunday                    | Last day of classes in the second semester 2011/2012           |  |  |
| May 25                    | Friday                    | Independence Day   |  |  |
| May 22- May 29            | Tuesday- Tuesday          | Final Examinations   |  |  |
| May 31                    | Thursday                  | Deadline for submission of the final exams' results to         |  |  |
|                           |                           | the Admission and Registration Unit                            |  |  |
| May 31                    | Thursday                  | Deadline for the Faculties' Councils to submit                 |  |  |
|                           |                           | Recommendations to grant degrees and certificates to           |  |  |
| T                         | M 1.                      | the Deans' Council   |  |  |
| June 4                    | Monday                    | Deans' Council Resolution to Grant Degrees and<br>Certificates |  |  |
| June 16                   | Saturday                  | Isra and Mi'raj Holiday (estimated)                            |  |  |
| June 16<br>June 17-23     | Saturday Sunday- Saturday | Graduation Week  |  |  |
| June 17-25                | Sunday- Saturday          | Graduation week  |  |  |
| June 24                   | Sunday                    | Faculty members' vacation begins                               |  |  |

| Summer Semester 2011/2012 |                      |  |  |
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| June 17- 21, 2012         | Sunday- Thursday     | Addition and Withdrawal week   |  |
| June 24                   | Sunday               | Summer Semester Classes begin  |  |
| July 15-19                | Sunday-Thursday      | Registration for the first semester 2012/2013 begins   |  |
| July 22                   | Sunday               | Comprehensive Examination for Master's Students (Non-thesis Track)   |  |
| July 26                   | Thursday             | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses (Master's & Doctoral levels)   |  |
| August 9                  | Thursday             | End of Withdrawal Period from one or more courses (Bachelor level)   |  |
| August 9                  | Thursday             | Last day for withdrawal from the summer semester 2011/2012   |  |
| August 9                  | Thursday             | Deadline for university's thesis defence   |  |
| August 12                 | Sunday               | Last day of classes in the summer semester 2011/2012   |  |
| August 14-16              | Tuesday-<br>Thursday | Final Examinations   |  |
| August 17-20              | Friday-Monday        | Eid El-Fitr Holiday (estimated)  |  |
| August 21                 | Tuesday              | Deadline for submission of the final exams' results to the Admission and Registration Unit                                   |  |
| August 22                 | Wednesday            | Deadline for the Faculties' Councils to submit<br>Recommendations to grant degrees and certificates to<br>the Deans' Council |  |
| August 27                 | Monday               | Deans' Council Resolution to Grant Degrees and<br>Certificates   |  |