

### Academic Calendar 2020/2021 for PhD / MAER Programs

Month	September 20				October				November				December				January				February				March				April				May				June				July				August				September 21										
Week	31-4	7-11	14-18	21-25	29-2	5-9	12-16	19-23	26-30	2-6	9-13	16-20	23-27	30-4	7-11	14-18	21-25	28-1	4-8	11-15	18-22	25-29	1-5	8-12	15-19	22-26	29-2	5-9	12-16	19-23	26-30	3-7	10-14	17-21	24-28	31-4	7-11	14-18	21-25	28-2	5-9	12-16	19-23	26-30	2-6	9-13	16-20	23-27	30-3	6-10	13-17	20-24	27-1						
1st year students	Fall Semester (12 weeks)												Holidays				Spring Semester (12 weeks)												Summer Semester (10 weeks)								Holidays																						
1st year EXAMS	GC <sup>1</sup>	GC <sup>1</sup>	GC <sup>1</sup>	OW	*	*	*	*	*	M				F+						F	FM	FM					M								F	FM	FM					M								F					GC <sup>2</sup>	GC <sup>2</sup>	GC <sup>2</sup>	OW	*
CU	Pre-semester Period				*	*	*	*	*									Holidays	SW	Fall semester Exam Period								*	*	*	*	*					SW	Spring Semester Exam Period				Holidays				Pre-semester Period													
2nd year students	Fall Semester (12 weeks)												Holidays				Spring Semester (12 weeks)												Summer Semester (10 weeks)								Holidays																						
2nd Year EXAMS	SE	W <sup>1</sup>								M				F+						GCU	GCU	GCU					M								F	FM	FM					GF	GF			GFU	GFU					SEW <sup>2</sup>				*			
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3rd and 4th year students	Research Seminar Series												Holidays				Research Seminar Series												Research Seminar Series								Holidays																						
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A/D	Add / Drop period (Fall 29/09 - 12/10)	* Public holidays (all official public holidays in the Czech Republic) - <u>classes supposed to take place in these days will be rescheduled:</u> <b>28 September</b> - Czech Statehood Day (2020 Monday, 2021 Tuesday) <b>28 October</b> - Establishment of the Czechoslovak Republic (Wednesday) <b>17 November</b> - Freedom and Democracy Day (Tuesday) <b>24 December</b> - Christmas Eve (Thursday) <b>25 December</b> - Christmas Day (Friday) <b>26 December</b> - Christmas Day (Saturday) <b>1 January</b> - New Year's Day (Friday) <b>2 April</b> - Easter Friday <b>5 April</b> - Easter Monday <b>1 May</b> - Labor Day (Saturday) <b>8 May</b> - Liberation Day (Saturday) <b>5 July</b> - Saints Cyril and Methodius Day (Monday) <b>6 July</b> - Jan Hus Day (Tuesday)
M	Midterm exams week	
F	Final exams week	
F+	Exams scheduled only outside regular class	
FM	Make-up final exams week (only for MAER)	
GC <sup>1</sup>	General-exams week cohort 19/20	
GC <sup>2</sup>	General-exams week cohort 20/21	
GF	Field general exams week	
GCU	Make-up core general exams week cohort 19/20	
GFU	Make-up field general exams week	
DPW	Dissertation proposal workshop week	
DW	Dissertation workshop week (timing provisional, subject to change after ESC meeting in November 2020)	
SEW <sup>1</sup>	State Examination Week MAER defense	
SEW <sup>2</sup>	State Examination Week MAER defenses Cohort 2019/ 2020	
OW	Orientation Week for 1st-year cohort 20/21	
OW	Orientation Week for 1st-year cohort 21/22	
P	Graduation ceremony - November 20	
P	Graduation ceremony (timing provisional, subject to change after ESC meeting in November 2020)	
H	Official CERGE student holidays	
CU	Charles University dates	
SW	Substitute week (make-up classes, pre-exam period)	
SE	TBD state examination Czech MA students	