## UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

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TO : HEADS OF ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS
FROM : OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

RE : UPDATED MORATORIUM PERIODS ON STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS' ACTIVITIES
DATE : 2 August 2023

In consultation with pertinent offices, the calendar of moratorium periods on student organizations' activities is updated, relative to the schedule of major exams:
A. Schedule of Major Examinations

| Term | Preliminary Examinations | Final Examinations |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| First Term | October 9-12, 2023 | December 16, 18-20, 2023 |
| Second Term | March 13-16,2024 | May 21-24, 2024 |

Note: The Academic Units, except those that observe shifting examinations (i.e., College of Nursing, College of Rehabilitation Sciences, and Faculty of Pharmacy) are allowed to set their respective schedules of Preliminary Examinations, within or close to the set four-day Preliminary Examinations.
B. Schedule of Moratorium Periods on Student Organizations' Activities

| Term | One (1) week before the <br> Preliminary Examinations | One (1) week before the <br> Final Examinations |
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| First Term | October 2-8, 2023 | December 9-15, 2023 |
| Second Term | March 6-12,2024 | May 14-20, 2024 |

The observance of a week-long moratorium on students' activities before the scheduled major examinations is still strictly enforced even during the implementation of the hybrid or hybridflexible (HyFlex) learning.

The academic units, including some concerned administrative units, are enjoined to consider the aforementioned schedule to ensure a balance of students' academic engagements and activities towards their holigtic formation. Thank you.
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## UPDATED CALENDAR OF THE MORATORIUM PERIODS ON STUDENT ORGANIZATION ACTIVITIES, UNIVERSITY-WIDE EVENTS AND HOLIDAYS

FIRST TERM, AY 2023-2024

| AUGUST 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  |  | 1 <br> UST Cloud <br> Campus <br> virtual orientation | 2 <br> Virtual <br> Freshman <br> ROARrientation <br> Day 1-Triduum in honor of St. Dominic | 3 <br> In-person Freshman ROARientation <br> Day 2- <br> Triduum in honor of St. Dominic | 4 <br> Misa y <br> Discurso de Apertura <br> Alab 2023 <br> Day 3- <br> Triduum in honor of St. Dominic | 5 |
| 6 | 7 <br> University Mass in honor of St. Dominic | $8$ <br> Feast of St. Dominic | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 <br> Ninoy Aquino Day | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | $28$ <br> National Heroes Day | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |


| SEPTEMBER 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 <br> Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | http://www.ust.edu.ph

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| OCTOBER 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | 7 Saturday |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| Feast of Nuestra Señora del Santísimo Rosario (I I.ST Parich) |  |  | Moratorium Period |  |  |  |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| Feast of Nuestra Señora del Santísimo Rosario <br> Moratorium Period | Start of Preliminary Exams |  | 18 | End of Preliminary Exams |  |  |
| 15 | 16 | 17 |  | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |  |  |


| NOVEMBER 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  |  |  | 1 <br> All Saint's Day (Undas Break) | 2 <br> All Soul's Day (Undas Break) | Undas Break |  |
| U | 6Break | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
|  |  | Day 1 Triduum in honor of the Thomasian Martyrs | Day 2 Triduum in honor of the Thomasian Martyrs | Day 3 Triduum in honor of the Thomasian Martyrs | University Mass in honor of the Thomasian Martyrs |  |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |  |  |
|  | Bonifacio Day |  |  |  |  |  | http://www.ust.edu.ph

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| DECEMBER 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 <br> Feast of Immaculate Concepcion | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| Moratorium Period |  |  |  |  |  | Start of Final Exams |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 <br> End of Final Exams | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \\ & \quad \text { PASKUHAN } \\ & 2023 \end{aligned}$ | 22 | 23 |
| 24 | $25$ <br> CHRISTMAS | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

SECOND TERM, AY 2023-2024

| JANUARY 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  | $1$ <br> New Year | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 <br> Traslacion of the Black Nazarene | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
|  |  | Day 1 <br> Triduum in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas | Day 2 <br> Triduum in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas | Day 3 <br> Triduum in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas | University Mass in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas |  |
| $28$ <br> Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |  | http://www.ust.edu.ph

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| MARCH 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|  |  |  | Moratorium Period |  |  |  |
|  |  | University-wide Retreat and $750^{\text {th }}$ Dies Natalis of St. Thomas Aquinas |  |  | 15 16End of <br> Preliminary <br> Exams |  |
| Moratorium Period |  |  | 13 <br> Start of Preliminary Exams | 14 |  |  |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| Palm Sunday |  |  | Easter Break |  |  |  |
| 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| EASTER <br> SUNDAY |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Easter Break |  |  |  |  |  |  | http://www.ust.edu.ph

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| APRIL 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|  | 1 <br> Easter Break | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | $9$ <br> Araw ng Kagitingan | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 |  |  |  |  |



Legend:
Black - moratorium periods | Yellow-major exams | Red-holidays
Green - available days for student organizations' activities

