



## **ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2021-2022**

The academic year 2021-2022 starts on **August 30, 2021** and closes on **August 27, 2022**.

The academic year consists of 2 semesters:

→ Courses for the 1<sup>st</sup> semester will be completed at the end of November, followed by an exam period in December.

→ Courses for the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester start at the end of February, followed by an exam period in June.

Year courses cover 2 semesters. Partial examinations will be taken in December, 2021 and in June, 2022.

Resit exams for year courses falls in August only.

Resit exams are organized for the first-term courses in February, 2022 & for the second-term courses in August, 2022.

Catch-up weeks are for repetitive classes or additional exercises.

**Bachelor 1 and Bachelor 2**

<b>SEMESTER 1</b>	
Monday August 30 <sup>st</sup> , 2021	Start of the 2021-2022 academic year
<b>Mon 2021/08/30 up to and including Sat 2021/11/20</b>	<b>12 weeks of first-term educational activities (Fall Semester)</b>
Mon 2021/11/22 up to and including Sat 2021/11/27	1 week of catch-up activities
Mon 2021/11/29 up to and including Sat 2021/12/25	4 weeks first term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Mon 2021/12/27 up to and including Sat 2022/02/05	6 weeks of Winter Recess
Mon 2022/02/07 up to and including Sat 2022/02/26	3 weeks of first term resit exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• resit exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
<b>SEMESTER 2</b>	
<b>Mon 2022/02/28 up to and including Sat 2022/05/21</b>	<b>12 weeks of second-term educational activities (Spring Semester)</b>
Mon 2022/05/23 up to and including Sat 2022/05/28	1 week of catch-up activities
Mon 2022/05/30 up to and including Sat 2022/06/25	4 weeks second term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Mon 2022/06/27 up to and including Sat 2022/08/06	6 weeks of Summer Recess
Mon 2022/08/08 until Sat 2022/08/27	3 weeks of second term resit exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• resit exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Monday August 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2022	Start of the 2022-2023 Academic year

**Bachelor 3**

<b>SEMESTER 1</b>	
Monday August 30 <sup>st</sup> , 2021	Start of the 2021-2022 academic year
<b>Mon 2021/08/30 up to and including Sat 2021/11/20</b>	<b>12 weeks of first-term educational activities (Fall Semester)</b>
Mon 2021/11/22 up to and including Sat 2021/11/27	1 week of catch-up activities
Mon 2021/11/29 up to and including Sat 2021/12/25	4 weeks first term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Mon 2021/12/27 up to and including Sat 2022/02/05	6 weeks of Winter Recess
Mon 2022/02/07 up to and including Sat 2022/02/26	3 weeks of first term resit exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• resit exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
<b>SEMESTER 2</b>	
<b>Mon 2022/02/28 up to and including Sat 2022/03/26</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Mon 2022/03/28 up to and including Sat 2022/04/02	1 week of self-study and exam
<b>Mon 2022/04/04 up to and including Sat 2021/04/30</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Mon 2022/05/02 up to and including Sat 2022/05/07	1 week of self-study and exam
<b>Mon 2022/05/09 up to and including Sat 2022/06/04</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Tue 2022/06/07 up to and including Sat 2022/06/25	3 weeks second term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Mon 2022/06/27 up to and including Sat 2022/08/06	6 weeks of Summer Recess
Mon 2022/08/08 until Sat 2022/08/27	3 weeks of second term resit exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• resit exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Monday August 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2022	Start of the 2022-2023 Academic year

**Bachelor 4**

<b>SEMESTER 1 (in GHENT)</b>	
Monday September 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2021	Start of the 2021-2022 academic year
<b>Mon 2021/09/27 up to and including Sat 2021/12/18</b>	<b>12 weeks of first-term educational activities (Fall semester)</b>
Mon 2021/12/20 up to and including Sat 2020/12/25	1 week of catch-up activities
Mon 2020/12/27 up to and including Sat 2022/01/08	2 weeks of Christmas recess
Mon 2022/01/10 up to and including Sat 2022/02/05	4 weeks of first term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results up to and including Sat 2020/02/13</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
<b>Mon 2022/02/07 up to and including Sat 2022/02/26</b>	<b>3 weeks of inter-term recess</b>
<b>SEMESTER 2 (at GUGC)</b>	
<b>Mon 2022/02/28 up to and including Sat 2022/03/26</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Mon 2022/03/28 up to and including Sat 2022/04/02	1 week of self-study and exam
<b>Mon 2022/04/04 up to and including Sat 2021/04/30</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Mon 2022/05/02 up to and including Sat 2022/05/07	1 week of self-study and exam
<b>Mon 2022/05/09 up to and including Sat 2022/06/04</b>	<b>4 weeks of second-term educational activities</b>
Tue 2022/06/07 up to and including Sat 2022/06/25	3 weeks second term exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• self-study</li> <li>• exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>
Mon 2022/06/27 up to and including Sat 2022/08/06	6 weeks of Summer Recess
Mon 2022/08/08 until Sat 2022/08/27	3 weeks of first and second term resit exam period comprised of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• resit exams</li> <li>• announcement of the results</li> <li>• feedback</li> </ul>

During catch-up week, the following activities may be organized:

- Educational activities, if they were unable to be held in the scheduled period due to force majeure;
- Revision lessons and/or extra exercises, provided that no new subject matter is taught;
- Evaluations intended under article 30 of the Education and Examination Code.

Educational activities and evaluations are suspended during summer, winter and inter-term recess as well as on the following National Holidays and closing days:

- Monday, 2021/09/20, Chuseok (Korean Thanksgiving Day) Day 1
- Tuesday, 2021/09/21, Chuseok (Korean Thanksgiving Day) Day 2
- Wednesday, 2021/09/22, Chuseok (Korean Thanksgiving Day) Day 3
- Sunday, 2021/10/03, National Foundation Day
- Saturday, 2021/10/09, Hangeul Day
- Saturday, 2021/12/25, Christmas break up to and including Saturday, 2022/01/01, New Year's Day
- Monday, 2022/01/31, Seollal (Korean New Year) Day 1
- Tuesday, 2022/02/01, Seollal (Korean New Year) Day 2
- Wednesday, 2022/02/02, Seollal (Korean New Year) Day 3
- Tuesday, 2022/03/01, Korean Independence Movement Day
- Friday, 2022/03/18, Dies Natalis
- Sunday, 2022/05/01, Labour Day
- Thursday 2022/05/05, Children's Day
- Sunday, 2022/05/08, Buddha's Birthday
- Monday, 2022/06/06, Memorial Day
- Monday, 2022/08/15, Liberation Day