Office of the Registrar - Deadline Dates to Petition for Graduation
Melbourne Campus

NOTES: To allow time for processing, the student’s academic department must be in receipt of the ‘Petition to Graduate’ form two weeks in advance of the Registrar's Office deadlines.

*Date the completed ‘Petition for Graduation’ must be submitted to the Registrar’s Graduation Office to avoid a late fee of $30.00. A late fee of $60 is assessed if a student petitions to graduate (for the first time) during the semester of graduation.

Spring 2016
Last day to petition for graduation without a late fee* ..........................September 11, 2015
Last day to re-petition for students who had petitioned for Fall 2015* .................February 1, 2016
Last day for completed graduate level defense and exam........................................April 25, 2016
Graduation Date .......................TWO SATURDAY CEREMONIES ......................May 7, 2016

Summer 2016
Last day to petition for graduation without a late fee* .........................................January 15, 2016
Last day to re-petition for students who had petitioned for Spring 2016 ....................June 17, 2016
Last day for completed graduate level defense and exam........................................July 18, 2016
Graduation Date ...........................................NO CEREMONY ...........................July 29, 2016

Fall 2016
Last day to petition for graduation without a late fee* .............................................March 25, 2016
Last day to re-petition for students who had petitioned for Spr/Summer 2016* ....September 9, 2016
Last day for completed graduate level defense and exam........................................December 5, 2016
Graduation Date .......................TWO SATURDAY CEREMONIES ..............December 17, 2016