



NEW JERSEY CITY UNIVERSITY

GRADUATE COURSE SCHEDULE WINTER/SPRING 2016

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REGISTRATION BEGINS

Degree/Matriculated Students October 13, 10:00 a.m. **Open Enrollment - All Students** October 27, 10:00 a.m.

CLASS SCHEDULE

Classes begin January 19. This includes

CONTACT INFORMATION REGISTRATION

Phone: 1-877-NJCUGRAD

Fax: 201-200-3411

E-mail: grad_dept@njcu.edu Email: registrar@njcu.edu

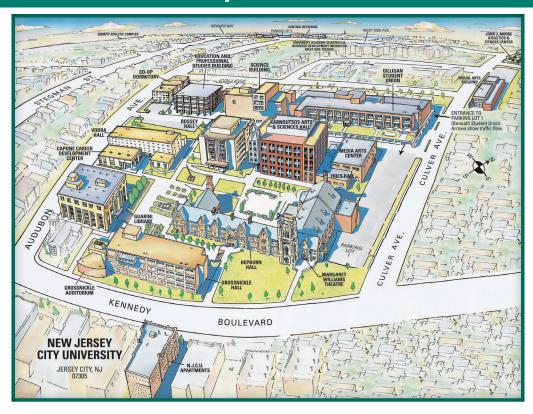
Registrar's Office

Phone: 201-200-3334

Fax: 201-200-2062

Visit us on the web at www.njcu.edu.

MAP / LOCATION



BUILDING / ROOMCODES

- **A** Visual Arts
- C University Charter School
- F Fries Hall
- **G** Grossnickle Hall
- **H** Hepburn Hall

- **K** George Karnoutsos Arts and Sciences Hall
- **L** Congressman Frank J. Guarini Library
- **M** John J. Moore Athletics and Fitness Center
- **P** Education and Professional Studies
- **R** Rossey Hall
- **S** Science Building
- **U** Michael B. Gilligan Student Union

V Vodra Hall

Room Number:
First digit of the room
number indicates floor

School of Business - Off Campus Location: Harborside Plaza 2, 147 Harborside Financial Center Platform Jersey City, NJ

DIRECTIONS TO MAIN CAMPUS

BY CAR

From NJ Turnpike (Routes 280, 80, and 3):

Take 280 East, 80 East, or Route 3 East to the NJ Turnpike. Take Turnpike to Exit 15E. Pay toll, and follow signs to Routes 1 & 9 North (Truck Route). Go over two bridges to a traffic light. Stay straight at the light. After the McDonalds (on the right hand side) go to the second traffic light and make a right turn on Kennedy Boulevard. NJCU is 12 blocks south on the right hand side. Parking is on Culver Avenue.

From Route 78 & Routes 1 & 9:

Take Route 78 East to Routes 1 & 9 North. Route 1 & 9 will split. Stay to the right (1 & 9 North Truck Route). Do not go to the Pulaski Skyway. Take 1 & 9 over two bridges to a traffic light. Stay straight at the light. After the McDonalds (on the right hand side) go to the second traffic light and make a right turn on Kennedy Boulevard. NJCU is 12 blocks south on the right hand side. Parking is on Culver Avenue.

From the Garden State Parkway (Northbound):

Take the GSP North to Exit 140, Route 22 East. Take 22 East to Routes 1 & 9 North. Follow directions above from Routes 1 & 9.

From New York City (Holland Tunnel):

After exiting the Holland Tunnel, go straight and up the hill. Maneuver yourself into the center lanes (an exit for the Turnpike will be on the right; then an exit for Routes 1&9 will be on your left). Continue through approximately seven lights. You will come to a "T" - this is Kennedy Blvd. Make a left onto Kennedy Blvd. At the fifth light, you will be entering Journal Square-follow Kennedy Blvd. as it turns right at Journal Square. Continue on Kennedy Blvd. to the University.

BY PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

From the PATH Terminal at Journal Square:

Take the #10 South Boulevard bus directly to the University campus on Kennedy Boulevard; or take the #80 bus traveling south along West Side Avenue to Culver Avenue, and walk three blocks east to the University.

From New York City:

Take the #99S bus from the Port Authority Bus Terminal directly to the University, or take the PATH subway to Journal Square and follow the directions above.

NJCU school of business



NJCU School of Business

Our school of business is located in the bustling Jersey City waterfront, which is home to Wall Street's back office operations as well as a number of growing global enterprises. With a robust 70,000 square feet of space in the heart of New Jersey's financial district, the school of business is poised for tremendous growth and impact.

The School of Business' new location features:

- Cutting-edge classroom technology;
- · Simulated trading floor;
- · Conference space featuring stunning views of Lower Manhattan;
- · Adjacent to the Exchange Place PATH and Harborside Light Rail stations.



Harborside Plaza 2, 147 Harborside Financial Center Platform Jersey City, NJ

Microsoft® LIVe@edu

The official method of communication from NJCU to students via an NJCU e-mail account.

STUDENTS ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO CHECK THEIR NJCU E-MAIL REGULARLY.

To access your NJCU e-mail through **Microsoft Live@edu**, visit http://www.njcu.edu/studentemail.

Your NJCU e-mail account allows you to check for University announcements, communicate with the NJCU community, and forward e-mails to any other e-mail accounts.

More than just email. Microsoft Live@Edu will provide a number of productivity and collaboration tools:

- Large storage size for email (10GB)
- Support for up to 20MB attachments
- Password protected 25GB of online file storage (SkyDrive)
- A powerful calendar which will include group calendaring functions
- IM, Video Call, Photos, etc.
- Access, view and edit documents from anywhere using Microsoft Office on the Web
- Protection from viruses, span and phishing attacks

Microsoft Live@Edu is browser-based; therefore, students will be able to access all these services from any computer or mobile device with an internet connection.

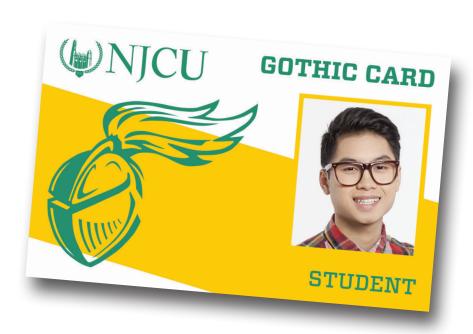
GOTHIC NET

Gothic Net (http://gothicnet.njcu.edu) links students to NJCU and provides essential general and personal information. These are among the many services and points of information provided through Gothic Net:

- University e-mail
- Test scores and final grades
- Class schedules and catalog information
- Class registration
- Information on tuition, payment plans, and bill payment via credit cards or Web check
- Graduation Clearance
- Transcript request
- Financial aid application and the option to accept or decline awards
- Updates on personal contact information including change of address or phone
- Review "holds" and "to do" items on records
- Contact with advisors and enrollment appointment calendar
- FAQ Knowledge Base for additional information on University procedures
- View your enrollment appointment and contact your advisor
- Search the FAQ Knowledge Base for answers to your questions

http://gothicnet.njcu.edu

GOTHIC CARD THE "MUST HAVE"



The Gothic Card is the official identification card for NJCU. All students, faculty, and staff are required to carry their Gothic Cards.

Funds placed in your Gothic Card account may be used to purchase meals at campus dining locations, purchase books and supplies from the NJCU Barnes & Noble Bookstore, and access and pay for parking.

The Gothic Card also provides registered students with access to the library, the John J. Moore Athletics and Fitness Center, on-line account services, and vending machines.

To add funds to a Gothic Card, students may visit the University Service Center in the Michael B. Gilligan Student Union and make the deposit with cash, check, or credit card.

Visit the Gothic Card website, www.njcu.edu/gothiccard, for additional information.

DIRECTORY

	Graduate (201) 200-3409	.Hepburn Hall, Room 206
2.	MATRICULATION: Graduate Matriculation (201) 200-3306	.Hepburn Hall, Room 206
3.	BURSAR/CASHIER: (201) 200-3045	.Hepburn Hall, Room 106
4.	DEAN OF STUDENTS: (201) 200-3525Michael	B. Gilligan Student Union, Room 127
5.	FINANCIAL AID: (201) 200-3173 E-mail: Financialaid@njcu.edu	.Hepburn Hall, Room 215
6.	GRADUATION CLEARANCE: (201) 200-3048	.Hepburn Hall. Room 214

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADVISEMENT:

OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:

(201) 200-3355......Vodra Hall, Room 211 **REGISTRATION:** Registrar's Office

ADMISSIONS:

(201) 200-3334......Hepburn Hall, Room 214

(201) 200-3022......Grossnickle Hall, Room 303

10. ONLINE LEARNING

(201) 200-3449.....Hepburn Hall, Room 108

11. VETERANS AFFAIRS: (201) 200-2157......Vodra Hall, Room 101

12. TRANSCRIPTS:

(201) 200-3333......Hepburn Hall, Room 214 njcu.edu/registrar or gothicnet.njcu.edu

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY FOR **ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS**

WILLIAM J. MAXWELL COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES George Karnoutsos Arts & Sciences Hall, Room 605 Dr. Fran Moran, Interim Dean • (201) 200-3001

Department	Coordinator	Location	Telephone Email
Art	Prof. Kruck	A120	(201) 200-3393 mkruck@njcu.edu
Mathematics	Dr. Teclezghi	K 506	(201) 200-3139 bteclezghi@njcu.edu
	Dr. Camacho	K506	(201) 200-2267 jcamacho@njcu.edu
Modern Languages	Dr. Barugel	K202	(201) 200-3176 abarugel@njcu.edu
	Dr. Lopez-Diaz	K202	(201) 200-2343 glopezdiaz@njcu.edu
Music, Dance, Theatre	Dr. Rosado	R234	(201) 200-2018 arosado@njcu.edu
	Dr. Kim	R234	(201) 200-2025 mkim@njcu.edu
Jazz and Woodwinds	Dr. Joffe	R202	(201) 200-3091 ejoffe@njcu.edu
	Dr. Warren	R210	(201) 200-2158 mwarren@njcu.edu
Music Education	Dr. Baker	R210	201-200-2510 wbaker1@njcu.edu
Vocal	Dr. Connolly	R234	201-200-2018 dconnolly@njcu.edu

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY FOR ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS

Department	Coordinator	Location	Telephone Email
Psychology	Dr. Bailey	G327	(201) 200-3062 jbailey@njcu.edu
	Dr. Nelson	G327	(201) 200-3062 pnelson@njcu.edu
	Dr. Lennon	G327	(201) 200-3309 jlennon@njcu.edu

DEBORAH CANNON PARTRIDGE WOLFE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION **Education and Professional Studies Building, Room 303**

Dr. Allan A. De Fina, Dean • (201) 200-2101

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Department	Coordinator	Location	Telephone Email
Early Childhood Education	Dr. Adesanya	P329	(201) 200-2114 radesanya@njcu.edu
Elementary/Secondary Education	Dr. Morales	P329	(201) 200-3421 emorales2@njcu.edu
Urban Education	Dr. Weiner	P329C	(201) 200-2432 lweiner@njcu.edu
Educational Leadership and Counseling	Dr. Phifer	R 536	(201) 200-3400 sphifer@njcu.edu
Counseling	Dr. Ogawa	R536	(201) 200-3400 yogawa@njcu.edu
Educational Technology	Dr. Zieger	P 203A	(201) 200-2545 lzieger@njcu.edu
Literacy Education	Dr. McGriff/ Dr. Levin	P345	(201) 200-2435 mmcgriff@njcu.edu flevin@njcu.edu
Multicultural Education	Dr. Kim	P209	201-200-3380 akim@njcu.edu
Special Education	Dr. Taylor Dr. Flores	P350	(201) 200-3023 rtaylor@njcu.edu cflores@njcu.edu
New Pathways to Teaching in NJ	Dr. Levin	P345	(201) 200-2409 flevin@njcu.edu

COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Education and Professional Studies Building, Room 303

Dr. Allan De Fina, Dean • (201) 200-2101

Department	Coordinator	Location	Telephone Email
Criminal Justice	Dr. Calathes	P220	(201) 200-2419 wcalathes@njcu.edu
Health Science	Dr. Rosado	P219	(201) 200-3431 lrosado1@njcu.edu
School Nursing	Prof. Chewey	P219	(201) 200-2421 lchewey@njcu.edu
National Security Studies	Dr. Collins (Doctoral Program)	P442	(201) 200-3179 jcollins2@njcu.edu
	Dr. Rennie (Master's Program)	P449	(201) 200-2275 krennie@njcu.edu

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Harborside Plaza 2, 147 Harborside Financial Center Platform Jersey City, NJ 07311

Dr. Bernard McSherry, Interim Dean • (201) 200-2001

Department	Coordinator	Location	Telephone Email
Accounting	Dr. Griffin	P414	(201) 200-3353 mgriffin@njcu.edu
Finance	Dr. Li	P414	(201) 200-2412 gli1@njcu.edu
MBA (Finance)	Dr. Li	P414	(201) 200-2412 gli1@njcu.edu
MBA (Marketing)	Dr. Cole	P414	(201) 200-2411 mcole1@njcu.edu
MBA (Management)	Dr. Laski	P414	(201) 200-2410 jlaski@njcu.edu

GLOSSARY OF GOTHICNET REGISTRATION

ADD: entering a class on your schedule. For a quick tutorial go to www.njcu.edu/registrar and click on the registration link.

CANCELLED CLASS: the class will not be taught. It will not appear if you do a Class Search. If you are enrolled in a class that is cancelled, you will be notified and you will automatically receive a refund within 30 days.

CLASS DETAIL SCREEN: Reach this screen from the Class Search Results screen by clicking the blue link with the 4-digit Class Number to the right of the word Section. It is important that you read the information presented on this screen for each class in which you are planning to enroll.

CLASS NOTES: This section appears on the specific Class Detail screen for each class, and contains information such as Department or Instructor consent required, pre- or co-requisites, special class meeting dates. It is important that you read the notes for each class in which you are planning to enroll.

CLASS NUMBER: The unique 4-digit number identifying a particular section of a course offered for a particular term.

CLASS SEARCH: Procedure to lookup availability and detailed information about courses being offered in a given term. Class Search Results will display all scheduling information for these classes. Begin the class search at your Student Center screen by clicking on the green SEARCH FOR CLASSES bar at the upperright.

CLOSED CLASS: The class will be taught, but there are no more spaces available for enrollment at this time. The class will not appear if you do a Class Search, unless you click on the Open Classes Only check box first to remove this criterion, which will then present both open and closed classes. A BLUE SQUARE for the status indicates a class is closed. (A GREEN CIRCLE indicated it is open.)

COURSE CAREER: This represents the level of courses you are doing a Class Search for. Select Graduate.

COURSE NUMBER: The 3-digit number designating a course with a specific title offered by an Academic Department.

COURSE SUBJECT: The Academic Department that offers the course.

DEPARTMENT (OR INSTRUCTOR) CONSENT REQUIRED:

Before attempting to enroll, students must first contact the Department (or Instructor, appropriate) for consent to enroll, and must receive a Permission # (see below) to be entered in the computer during enrollment.

DROP: removing a class from your schedule (with no indication on the schedule that you had been enrolled). For a quick tutorial go to www.njcu.edu/registrar and click on the registration link.

ENROLLMENT APPOINTMENT: The date and time after which you will be permitted to enroll in a class for a particular term.

HOLDS: a student may be blocked from enrollment for such reasons as academic performance; 12-credit limit reached without matriculating into a degree program; balance due to the Bursar; immunization records not up to date; or other reasons.

PERMISSION NUMBER: A unique 4-6 digit number assigned to each student who receives Department or Instructor consent for enrollment in a specific class in a specific term. Students must obtain permission number from department chair to be able to enroll for class. Once a Class Number has been entered (or if a class has been selected thru the Class Search), the next screen will contain a box to the right of the words Permission Nbr. Enter the Permission # in the box and then click the green NEXT bar at the lower right of the screen, and then continue.

SWAP: DROP one class and ADD another through a single process. For a quick tutorial go to www.njcu.edu/registrar and click on the Registration link.

WAITLIST: Allow a student to place his/her name on a "Waitlist" to be enrolled once a seat becomes available. A yellow triangle for the status indicates waitlist. For a quick tutorial go to www.njcu. edu/registrar and click on the registration link.

WITHDRAW: changing your enrollment status to indicate that you will no longer attend the class, after the last date to DROP a class. Your schedule will continue to indicate that your status is "Enrolled," and a grade of "W" will appear on your current schedule and will also be permanently entered on your transcript. Furthermore, depending on the date of your withdrawal, you will receive either a 50% or zero refund. NOTE: Withdrawals cannot be done online. You must submit a Withdrawal Form to the Registrar's Office. The Withdrawal Form is available in PDF format in the Registrar's webpage, www.njcu.edu/registrar or at the Registrar's service window, Hepburn Hall, Room 214. Withdrawal Forms may be faxed to (201) 200-2062; e-mail to registrar@njcu.edu; or handcarried to the Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 214.

SPRING 2016 GRADUATE ACADEMIC CALENDAR

October 5	Winter/Spring 2016 course list available online at http://gothicnet.njcu.edu and www.njcu.edu/registrar
October 13	Winter/Spring 2016 Registration begins for Degree/Matriculated students only.
October 27	Winter/Spring 2016 Registration begins for New and Non-matriculated students.
November 1	Online Graduation Clearance application available for students completing degree requirements during Spring 2016.
November 9	2016 Winter/Spring Semester E-billing begins. Bill no longer mailed. Bill available online in GothicNet.
November 26 to 28	Thanksgiving Recess: No Classes.
December 10	Deadline to pay/clear tuition charges at Bursar's Office (students enrolled through December 1).
December 14	\$75.00 late payment fee begins.
December 15	Deadline to file for Spring 2016 Graduation Clearance.
December 26 to January 1	Winter recess: University Closed.
January 4 to 15	Winter Intersession – In person course.
January 4 to February 19	Winter Intersession - Online course.
January 18	Martin Luther King Day: University Closed.
January 19	Spring Semester Classes begin.
January 19	Payment deadline for students who enrolled after December 1.
January 25	Deadline to add/drop class(es) for the 2016 Spring term at 100% refund.
February 15	President's Day: University Closed.
February 22	Final day to withdraw from course/s for a 50% refund of tuition with a "W" grade. Withdrawal Form must be submitted to the Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 214.
March 1	Deadline: Incomplete grades for Fall 2015 and Winter 2016 semester become "F" grades.
March 7 to 12	Spring recess: Classes resume March 14.
March 14	2016 Summer and Fall course list (GMCL) available online at http://gothicnet.edu and www.njcu.edu/registrar
March 22	Early Academic Advisement/Registration begins for Summer and Fall 2016.
March 25 to 26	Good Friday and Saturday: No Classes.
April 1	Final day to withdraw from a course/s for a "W" grade. No refund. Withdrawal form must be submitted to the Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, 214.
May 3 to 9	Final exam week for the 2016 Spring semester.
May 9	End of 2016 Spring semester.
May 11	Commencement.
May 15 to June 15	Online Graduation Clearance Application for students completing degree requirements during the 2016 Summer Term.
May 16	Deadline for faculty to submit final grades.
May 30	Memorial Day : University Closed.

WINTER/SPRING 2016 GRADUATE TUITION AND FEES

Total Credits	In-State** Tuition	General Service Fee	Student Activity Fee	Student Center Fee	Technology Fees	Facility Fee	In-State Total Charges	Non Resident/ Out of State Charges
1.0	554.10	52.60	2.55	21.75	17.70	11.00	659.90	1,081.80
2.0	1,108.20	105.20	5.10	43.50	35.40	22.00	1,319.40	2,163.60
3.0	1,662.30	157.80	7.65	65.25	53.10	33.00	1,979.10	3,245.40
4.0	2,216.40	210.40	10.20	87.00	70.80	44.00	2,638.80	4,327.20
5.0	2,770.50	263.00	12.75	108.75	88.50	55.00	3,298.50	5,409.00
6.0	3,324.60	315.60	15.30	130.50	106.20	66.00	3,958.20	6,490.80
7.0	3,878.70	368.20	17.85	152.25	123.90	77.00	4,617.90	7,572.60
8.0	4,432.80	420.80	20.40	174.00	141.60	88.00	5,277.60	8,654.40
9.0	4,986.90	473.40	22.95	195.75	159.30	99.00	5,937.30	9,736.20
10.0	5,541.00	526.00	25.50	217.50	177.00	110.00	6,597.00	10,818.00
11.0	6,095.10	578.60	28.05	239.25	194.70	121.00	7,256.70	11,899.80
12.0	6,649.20	631.20	30.60	261.00	212.40	132.00	7,916.40	12,981.60

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* Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice by action of the Board of Trustees of New Jersey City University.

Continuing Students: Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 214, (201) 200-3143.

- ** A student shall be classified as a "New Jersey Resident" for tuition purposes upon admission to a public institution of Higher Education in the State of New Jersey if the student or the parent(s) or guardian(s) upon whom the student is financially dependent, has been a bonafide domiciliary of New Jersey for at least one year before first enrolling at a public higher education institution in the State. Visa students must become permanent resident aliens before they can be considered New Jersey residents.
- *** Students who meet the "Dream Act" in-state tuition requirement, must submit documentation to:

 New Students: Office of University Admissions, Hepburn Hall, Room 207, (201) 200-3234.

PLEASE NOTE:

- **A.** Students paying by credit card or e-check must pay their tuition and fees online using gothicnet. If paying by check or cash, report to the Bursar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 106. Students are responsible to view account balance online through gothicnet. Bill are no longer mailed.
- **B.** A \$25.00 one time mandatory transcript fee is charge to all new students.
- **C.** A \$40.00 fee will be charged for return checks.
- **D.** \$75.00 late payment fee, non refundable, begins December 15 for continuing students.
- E. Internship Fees:

Student Teaching Internship: \$150.00 Museum Internship: \$150.00 School Nursing Internship: \$150.00 Practicum Fee: \$65.00

- **F.** Lab Fees: Fees are determined by the academic departments
- **G.** Transcript Fee
 - **1.** Regular Service, no fee, provided within 4 working days.
 - **2.**Same day service, provided until 4:00 p.m., \$10.00 per transcript.
 - **3.**Call (201) 200-3333 for detailed instructions.
 - **4.**Internet, http://www.njcu.edu/registrar or http://gothicnet.njcu.edu

Refunds will be processed approximately 30 days after the end of the add/drop period regardless of the method of payment.

Please Note: Non-attendance does not constitute a drop or withdrawal. Refunds are only made when a student officially withdraws. If a student does not officially withdraw, an automatic grade of "F" will be issued as a final grade.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

All credit card payment must be made through GothicNet. At your "Student Center" screen, under "Finances," click on the "Bill and Payment Account Center" link. For detailed instructions, please refer to page 16. Credit card payment is not accepted at the Bursar's Service Window.

TUITION PAYMENT PLAN

New Jersey City University offers payment option to help students more easily afford education expenses. Enroll online through GothicNet. Go to the student center and navigate to the "Bill and Payment Account

Center" and click on the "Payment Plans" tab. Click on "Enroll Now" and select the payment plan you wish to enroll. If you have questions, contact the Bursar's Office at (201) 200-3045 or by email at bursar@njcu.edu.

GENERAL INFORMATION

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS

For your own benefit, please read all the directions before you attempt to complete your Advising/Registration Form. This is not the University Catalog. For information regarding the graduate curricula, refer to the appropriate catalog. The University reserves the right to cancel courses, change faculty assignments, make adjustments in course schedules and room assignments and change academic calendars. Students who expect to graduate or receive certification must apply in accordance with the procedures and deadlines outlined under Academic Regulations and Policies.

OFFICE HOURS

The Office is open between 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays during the fall and spring semesters and between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesday, and Fridays during the fall and spring semesters. During the first week of classes in the fall and spring semesters, the hours are between 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Fridays.

ADMISSION AND REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

- All graduate students must apply for admission to Graduate Studies. This applies to all students taking courses oncampus, off-campus or online.
- There is a \$55 application fee. The fee is waived for NJCU graduate degree alumni. All applicants are encouraged to pay the application fee online by credit card or e-check at www.njcu.edu/graduate_app/ login.asp.
- Students new to the University may contact the Office of University Admissions toll free at 1-877-NJCUGRAD or send an e-mail to grad_dept@njcu.edu to request an application. For quicker service, download an application from our website at: http://www.njcu.edu/graduate/pdf/gradapp.pdf, or apply online at: http://www.njcu.edu/graduate_app/login.asp.
- The Office of University Admissions must receive your completed application and official transcript of your baccalaureate or master's degree no later than December 1 in order to register for the Spring 2016 semester.

- All students must register online using the GothicNet portal for on-campus, offcampus, and online classes.
- Students are expected to print copies of their own schedules.

DON'T KNOW YOUR ID/PASSWORD?

For your default password, please refer to the GothicNet ID letter mailed to you by the Office of Admissions. For all students, your ID is the number that appears below your name on the Gothic Card. If you encounter problems with your password, please go to the "Need Help Singing In" link located in the GothicNet portal sign in box. There you can complete the online contact form, retrieve your GothicNet ID, and reset your password.

EXCEPTIONS

Each of the following registration situations requires that the student communicate with the Registrars Office, Hepburn Hall 214, (201) 200-3334, for final approval and manual registration by a staff member: Independent Study, certain Field Study classes, credit load above 15 credits, and undergraduate classes specified as required for a student by a Graduate Program Coordinator, but which are not also offered as graduate-level classes.

"STUDENT CENTER" SCREEN

The central link to virtually all of the key information and actions for students. You will find links for Enrollment, Payment (under "Billing and Payment Account Center"), Financial Aid, Grades and other useful information. Go online to: http://gothicnet.njcu.edu; Log In; at the left under "My Menu," click on "Students," then click on "Student Center."

100-HOUR REQUIREMENT

New Jersey City University is a registered provider of Professional Development Programs for teachers that will count towards the 100-hour requirement (provider number 2433).

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

A limited number of graduate assistantships are available each year to highly qualified graduate students. The Graduate Assistantship covers tuition and fees

for full-time study (9-15 credits per semester). This tuition waiver is taxable. Graduate Assistants are required to work in a University department or office for 18 hours/week, for which they receive a stipend of \$3,500 over the academic year (\$1,750 per semester). Graduate Assistants may not hold a full-time job either inside or outside the University, and they may not be Graduate Assistants during a semester when they are doing student teaching. Graduate Assistants may also apply for Direct Federal Student Loans to assist with costs related to full-time graduate study.

For the full year, the initial deadline date for applications for graduate assistantships is April 1 and most appointments are made by June 30. For spring semester assistantships only, the deadline is December 1. (These are rare.) To be eligible, a student must be matriculated in a degree program.

In addition to meeting matriculation requirements, applicants should write a letter to the Provost and attach a resume. The letter should discuss the educational goals the applicant would like to achieve through the Assistantship and through fulltime degree study, prior work experience and skills, and academic background. If the applicant has already begun graduate studies at NJCU, he or she should discuss his or her initial progress. Applicants may apply for a Graduate Assistantship at the same time that they apply for graduate admission and matriculation, but they will not become eligible until their matriculation has been approved by their department.

The applicant may specify an office or department that would be of particular interest for employment, but this is not required. Graduate Assistants are assigned by the Office of the Provost, not appointed by the departments themselves, and it is possible that a student will be assigned to a different office or department than the one in which they are studying.

NICU STIMULUS SCHOLARSHIP

The Stimulus Scholarship provides up to \$400 for new graduate students who are admitted for a degree or certification program and who are enrolling in their first graduate class at NJCU. Students who

GENERAL INFORMATION

are qualified can receive a \$200 discount or credit for their first graduate class and another \$200 discount or credit for their second class. The scholarship can only be used during the student's first semester. Students whose tuition is paid through tuition waivers or grants are not eligible for this scholarship. Once they register online through GothicNet for their first classes, eligible students may apply for this scholarship at the link that will be provided at their NJCU Home Page. The deadline for requesting the NJCU Stimulus Scholarship for the Spring 2016 semester will be posted on the NJCU home page.

ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

The Alumni Scholarship was created for bachelor's degree recipients of NJCU. It provides a \$100 tuition discount for each of their first two classes. Note that alumni may not receive both the Legacy Scholarship and the Stimulus Scholarship on their first two classes, so normally students will prefer to receive the larger Stimulus Scholarship. However, alumni may use the Alumni Scholarship instead of the Stimulus Scholarship if they prefer to take only one class in their first semester (then they can use the Alumni Scholarship for their second class). Students whose tuition is paid through tuition waivers or grants are not eligible for this scholarship. Once they register online through GothicNet for their first classes, eligible students may request the Alumni Scholarship by sending an e-mail to the Office of University Admissions (grad_dept@njcu. edu), including their GothicNet ID.

TUITION WAIVER POLICY

NJCU employees may be eligible for tuition waiver, but must be admitted under regular policies. Doctoral programs are excluded from this policy. Please be advised that NJCU employees who do not satisfactorily complete courses for which a tuition waiver had been granted or who receive a grade

below "C" shall be required to reimburse the University for all waived costs. Until such reimbursement has been made, no further waivers will be available to that employee. Please refer to the "New Jersey City University Tuition Waiver Policy" online at http://web.njcu.edu/sites/hr/Uploads/employee-tuition-waiver-policydraft-09-26-11.pdf.

SENIOR CITIZENS WAIVER POLICY

Senior citizens, 65 years or older, who are residents of New Jersey may attend courses without charge on a non-credit, space-available basis by obtaining a letter of introduction to the course instructor from the Registrar's Office, H-214.

Senior citizens, 65 years or older, who are residents of New Jersey and meet the Admission requirements, may enroll in courses space-available basis for credit with a tuition waiver. Interested senior citizens may contact the Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 214, for details. Senior citizens using a tuition waiver cannot enroll until the 3rd day of the Fall/Spring semester and 2nd day of the Winter/Summer sessions.

Doctoral programs are excluded from this Senior Citizen Waiver Policy.

IMMUNIZATIONS

The State of New Jersey requires all NJCU students to complete the Immunization Questionnaire provided by the Health and Wellness Center, Vodra 107. Failure to properly complete and return the questionnaire may result in your being prohibited from attending NJCU. IMPORTANT NOTE: Students not in compliance will be prevented from further registration until they are in compliance.

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Students with a disability who wish to receive consideration for reasonable accommodations, please register with the Office of Specialized Services and Supplemental Instruction (OSS/SI).

To begin the process, complete the registration form available on the OSS/SI website at http://www.njcu.edu/OSS/policies-forms/. Contact the OSS/SI at (201) 200-2091 or visit the office in Karnoutsos Hall, Room 102 for additional information.

LIBRARY HOURS

Congressman Frank J. Guarini Library Hours and information are available at: www.njcu.edu/Guarini.

EMERGENCIES

For information regarding cancellation of all classes for emergencies listen to a.m. radio stations WOR 710 and WINS 1010. Emergency postings are also made available at njcu.edu.

GOTHICALERT NJCU'S EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

Choose how to receive Emergency
Notifications via: Telephone - Cell Phone
- E-mail and/or SMS Text. (Standard text
message rates may apply, please check with
your service provider.) To subscribe to
GothicAlert go to http://gothicnet.njcu.edu.

PARKING ALERT

Please observe the Jersey City Parking Regulations if you park on the city streets. There is parking available on the campus property on West Side Avenue. The entrance is on Culver and West Side Avenues. There is continuous shuttle service between the parking lot and the center of the campus. For additional information, contact the Public Safety Department, Parking and Transportation Coordinator, located in Vodra Hall, Room 116, (201) 200-2290, or e-mail parking@njcu.edu.

ACADEMIC REGULATIONS AND POLICIES

GRADUATE STUDENT ACADEMIC POLICIES IN BRIEF

Complete policies are available in the Graduate Catalog available for download at http://www.njcu.edu/uploadedfiles/academics_wireframe/catalogs/graduate%20course%20catalog.pdf.

- 1. In order to earn a graduate degree, the student must be fully admitted into a degree program (matriculated). Only twelve (12) credits of graduate coursework taken prior to matriculation may count towards a master's degree. Enrollment in on-campus, off-campus, or online courses, in and of itself, does not constitute full admission to a degree program.
- 2. To be fully admitted to a degree program, a student must have on file in the Office of University Admissions, Hepburn Hall, Room 206:
 - A. an Admissions Application
 - **B.** a Request for Matriculation Form
 - C. copies of official transcripts from all schools attended
 - D. two (2) letters of recommendation
 - E. official scores of the GRE, MAT, or GMAT tests (as appropriate for the specific degree program). Contact the chair/coordinator of the program to find out of these tests can be waived.
 - I. PRAXIS scores (in addition) for the MAT in Elementary or Secondary Education degree programs
 - II.a résumé (in addition) for degree programs in Accounting, Criminal Justice, Finance, Health Sciences, and National Security Studies
 - **F.** official acceptance into a degree program from the sponsoring department.
- **3.** The above items must be filed with the Office of Admissions only. The student's file is then reviewed for approval by both the appropriate department Graduate Coordinator and the Office of Admissions.
- **4.** Certification students must have attained an undergraduate cumulative grade point average of at least 2.75 in order to be admitted to a certification program.
- **5.** Graduate students are expected to maintain a 3.0 grade point average at New Jersey City University in order to remain in good academic standing.

VISITING STUDENT STATUS

A graduate of an accredited college or university, currently enrolled in graduate study at another institution, who wishes to take courses at New Jersey City University for transfer purposes, may apply as a "visiting student." A visiting student must submit an approval letter from the Dean or Department Chairperson of the degree granting college to the Registrar's Office by the respective deadline date. The visiting student will follow regular registration procedures as a new student.

ADVISEMENT HOLDS

If your credits total 12 or more (counting earned credits and credits for which you are registered) and you have not been approved for matriculation into a degree program, an "Advisement Hold" will prevent you from enrolling in any subsequent semester without the approval of the Academic Department offering your program. Contact the Department Chair.

SEVEN-YEAR LIMIT ON CREDITS

This policy applies to all graduate students: a) students have seven years within which to complete their degree; b) only credits not older than seven years at the time a student is first registered by the Graduate Studies Department may be considered for transfer; c) only credits not older than seven years at the time for which a student requests graduation (clearance) are valid, unless these are transfer credits that meet the previous standard.

GRADUATION CLEARANCE

Students completing degree requirements must submit a graduation clearance application form through GothicNet.

- 1. Apply for Graduation Clearance by logging in to your GothicNet account. At your "Student Center" screen, select the "Apply for Graduation" option within the "Other Academic" pull-down menu.
- 2. May 15 to June 15 if the student expects to complete all requirements by the end of the Summer I or II Sessions.

 Transcripts and diplomas will be dated August 15 and diplomas will be available by October 15.
- 3. August 1 to September 30 if the student expects to complete all requirements by the end of the fall semester. Transcripts and diplomas will be dated January 31 and diplomas will be available by March 15.

- 4. November 1 to December 15 if the student expects to complete all requirements by the end of the spring semester. Transcripts and diplomas will be dated the date of Commencement. Finalized transcripts will be available by June 15. Diplomas will be available by mid July.
- 5. Students who apply for graduation clearance in the spring semester and are denied because of missing 3 credits or less will be eligible to request permission from the University Registrar to participate in the commencement ceremony after registering for the summer session. The permission to walk form must be submitted to the registrar between April 1 through April 17, 2015.
- **6.** A \$75.00 non-refundable per application graduation clearance fee is charged to all students. Payment must be submitted directly to the University Bursar, Hepburn 106.

REFUND OF TUITION AND FEES

During add/drop period students may Add/ Drop classes through self service by login to GothicNet on days assigned for add/drop. Any dropped course(s) will not be recorded on the student's transcript and a 100% refund of tuition and fees will be granted for each credit. See the academic calendar for dates.

WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

Between add/drop and the first third of the semester students must complete an official Withdrawal Form and submit the form to the Registrar's Office Hepburn Hall, Room 214. These course(s) will receive a "W" grade on transcripts and the student will receive a 50% refund of applicable tuition and fees for each credit. See the academic calendar for deadline dates.

After the first third of semester to November 1 for fall semester and to April 1 for spring semester or to mid-semester for summer sessions I and II: Students must complete an official Withdrawal Form, and submit the form to the Registrar's Office, Hepburn Hall, Room 214. These course(s) will receive a "W" grade on the transcript and the student is not entitled to any refund.

PLEASE NOTE: Non-attendance does not constitute a drop or withdrawal. Refunds are only made when a student officially

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withdraws. If a student does not officially withdraw, an automatic grade of "F" will be issued as a final grade.

TRANSCRIPTS - PROCEDURES AND FEES

A one-time transcript fee of \$25.00 is charged to all students. The Registrar's Office has the right to deny a transcript request to any student who abuses this service. Limit of transcript requests per year is 10 transcripts for regular service. A \$10.00 per transcript fee will be charged for 1-hour same day service, until 4:00 p.m.

To request a transcript the student or graduate has three options:

- **1.** In person: at the Registrar's Office Hepburn 214 on a form supplied by the office.
- By mail: send a signed letter to the Registrar's Office, c/o Transcripts, New Jersey City University, 2039 Kennedy Boulevard, Jersey City, NJ 07305.
- 3. By the Internet: NJCU Registrar's website: http://www.njcu.edu/registrar. Students may request separate undergraduate and graduate transcripts but no portion of the undergraduate or graduate record may be deleted. Procedures for the issuance of transcripts are governed by the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 as amended (Final Regulations, 41 Fed. Reg. 24662 399.33).

Transcripts are prepared by the Registrar's Office in accordance with the policies of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Officers of Admission. Where New Jersey City University transcripts show credit hours earned at other institutions the official transcripts from those institutions have become a part of the student's permanent file in the Registrar's Office. New Jersey City University does not make copies of another institution's transcripts. To obtain such transcripts, the student must contact the institution concerned. Transcripts should be requested at least ten days prior to the time needed. No transcript of credits will be granted to any student until all fees and other University obligations have been adjusted.

STUDENT GRADES

Grades can be accessed through the GothicNet portal, "view my grades" link, immediately after grades have been posted.

Final grades are posted to the Official Transcript approximately three weeks following the last day of the semester

FINANCIAL AID FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (LOANS)

Graduate Students who are matriculated in a degree or an approved certification program may be eligible for federal loans. To be eligible for a Direct Federal Student Loan, a Graduate student must either be matriculated in a degree program or enrolled in an approved certificate program by the first day of the term in which they intend to use their Student Aid, and must be enrolled for at least six credits. They must complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine eligibility for Direct Federal Student Loans.

In addition to completing the FAFSA for the appropriate year, the student must:

- 1. Enroll as a matriculated student in a degree or certification program on at least a half-time basis (a minimum of six credits in the Fall, six credits in the Spring, and a minimum of six credits between Summer I and Summer II);
- **2.** Maintain satisfactory progress toward the completion of a degree or certification program;
- **3.** Be a citizen or permanent resident of the United States, or eligible non-citizen;
- 4. Not be in default of any loan made, insured, or guaranteed under the Perkins Loan Program, the Direct Federal Student Loan Program, or the PLUS/SLS Program;
- Not owe a refund on a previous Pell or Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program; and
- **6.** Show need of financial assistance as demonstrated in the completed Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- 7. Meet all other requirements of the federal financial aid programs.

Non-matriculated students are not eligible to receive federal or state financial aid or loans, but may apply for certain private education student loans. Please feel free to contact the Office of Financial Aid for additional information (201-200-3173 or finaid@njcu.edu).

The Federal Direct Unsubsidized Student Loan Program enables graduate students to borrow long-term, low interest loans to finance their education.

A graduate student may borrow up to \$20,500 annually in a Unsubsidized Direct Loan depending on their costs and family contribution. Interest on the unsubsidized loan accrues after the loans have been applied to the student's account. Interest rates are variable and will not exceed 6.8%.

EOF GRADUATE BENEFITS

The Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) Graduate Program provides financial assistance to full-time graduate students who meet eligibility requirements. It provides students with grants worth up to \$2,300 per year. Persons interested in applying to the EOF Graduate Program should contact the EOF Director at (201) 200-3355. Before applying, students must be full-time matriculated students or have an intention to matriculate. In addition, they must complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa. gov. Qualified students must be registered for at least nine credits during the fall and spring semesters.

VETERANS BENEFITS

Effective Fall 2014, all active service members and veterans of the United States Armed Forces will be eligible to receive in state tuition rates for graduate courses at New Jersey City University. This policy applies to all programs offered at the institution. A veteran whose entitlements have not expired may qualify for educational benefits through the Veterans Administration. Any veteran who believes that he or she is eligible may contact the Coordinator of Veterans Affairs at New Jersey City University or the local VA office for instructions and application forms. Benefits may be awarded to both part-time and full-time students. For additional information call Elaine Gargiulo, the University's Coordinator of Veterans Affairs, at (201) 200-2157.

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE FOR GRADUATE EVENING COURSES SPRING 2016

CLASS MEETING	TIME	EXAM DATE	DAY	EXAM TIME
Tuesday	4:00	May 3	Tuesday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	4:25	May 3	Tuesday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	5:30	May 3	Tuesday	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday	7:00	May 3	Tuesday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Tuesday	8:30	May 3	Tuesday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Wednesday	4:00	May 4	Wednesday	4:00 p.m 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	4:25	May 4	Wednesday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	5:30	May 4	Wednesday	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:00	May 4	Wednesday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Wednesday	8:30	May 4	Wednesday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Thursday	4:00	May 5	Thursday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Thursday	4:25	May 5	Thursday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Thursday	5:30	May 5	Thursday	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Thursday	7:00	May 5	Thursday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Thursday	8:30	May 5	Thursday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday	4:00	May 6	Friday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday	4:25	May 6	Friday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday	5:30	May 6	Friday	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Friday	7:00	May 6	Friday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday	8:30	May 6	Friday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Monday	4:00	May 9	Monday	4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Monday	4:25	May 9	Monday	4:00 p.m 6:00 p.m.
Monday	5:30	May 9	Monday	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Monday	7:00	May 9	Monday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Monday	8:30	May 9	Monday	8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Rooms: All exams are held in the room in which the course met during the semester.

Final Exam for Saturday courses will be given on May 7

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CHANGE OF INFORMATION: If you have gothicnet and update information online Room 214, Or fax it to (201) 200-2062.			
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Signature Date

Are you a student and looking for on-campus child care?

We have Pre-K, Preschool, and After School Programs available for children ages 2 ½ - 8 years.

The Children's Learning Center is the place for you!

Come visit us in Hepburn Hall 101! Telephone: (201) 200-3342 http://www.njcu.edu/eclc

HOURS:

Spring and Fall Semester

Mondays-Fridays: 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Summer I

Mondays-Thursdays: 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Summer II

Mondays-Thursdays: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GET YOUR REFUND CHECK FAST!

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Online access to set-up your payment plan, receive email reminders and notifications. Schedule automatic payments for future installments.

✓ E-BILLS

A paperless and earth-friendly way to handle tuition payments

✓ E - PAYMENTS

Fast and secure automated payments

✓ E - REFUNDS

Direct deposit of refunds into your account

✓ AUTHORIZED USERS

Authorized users are students, and can also include parents, guardians, or employers

To take advantage of the **BILL & PAYMENT ACCOUNT CENTER** services, students must have an active NJCU e-mail account.

To receive account notifications you must check your NJCU e-mail and/or opt in for text messages to be sent directly to your mobile phone.

