

Things You Need to Know for Spring Semester 2020

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In this video, we will give you an overview of the things you need to know about Spring Semester 2020.



In this semester's update, we will cover:

- The Spring 2020 registration, drop and deferral dates
- NEW Spring 2020 Class Offerings
- Plan ahead for the MTC ministerial intensive in March 2020.
- Reminder from the Registrar: Click 2x to know which courses you need to take!
- Exciting Outreach Opportunities with SU's Online Extension classes
- Are you ready to take the next step in your SU Adeptship studies?

You can follow along with this video using the **Spring Semester 2020 Updates PDF** located below this video or in the **Program Information folder** on the **SU Student Portal Dashboard**.

SPRING 2020 REGISTRATION:

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Spring 2020 Registration	
Classes	When to Register
Session 1 and 3-credit classes	November 25 to December 27
Late Registration (Session 1 and 3-credit classes)	December 28 to January 3
Session 2 classes	January 28 to March 2

Registration for Spring Semester 2020 Session 1, 2-credit and 3-credit classes will take place November 25 through December 27. That may sound like a long time, but we encourage you to register early and buy your textbooks to avoid late fees and not having your textbooks by the time classes start. Late registration closes on January 3 and Spring classes begin on January 14, 2020. Session 2 registration opens on January 28.

Register early! And remember to purchase your textbooks so you'll have them when classes start on January 14.

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Deferring Courses Policy	
Week of Class	Options
During Week 1	Drop classes <i>No financial/transcript penalties</i>
Weeks 2-4	Defer classes <i>\$50 deferral fee, no transcript penalty</i>
Weeks 5-8/17	Two Options: 1) Incomplete – <i>Can petition under certain circumstances</i> 2) Withdrawal – <i>Forfeit tuition/fees, permanent "W" on transcript</i>

As a reminder, you can Drop a class without penalty during Week 1 of the class. After the first week, there are financial and/or transcript penalties for deferring or withdrawing from a class. Should you need to leave a class part way through the semester, your options depend on how far into the class you are.

During Weeks 2-4, you can Defer your class, meaning that you will be charged a \$50 deferral fee, but your tuition and fees for the class will be credited to your account and you will not see the class appear on your transcript for that semester.

If you wait until Week 5 to leave a class, you can petition for an Incomplete or Withdraw from the class. In order to petition for an Incomplete, a student must have completed at least 75 percent of their work for the class and demonstrate a hardship that prevents the completion of the class on time.

Instructors will review petitions on a case-by-case basis. If granted, the student receives a new date to complete the remaining portion of his or her class work.

If you are not eligible for an Incomplete, or your petition is denied, you can Withdraw from the class, receive a “W” on your transcript and re-take the class in a future semester, forfeiting your tuition and fees for the class.

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Spring 2020 Drop, Deferral and I/W Periods		
Week of Class	Session 1, 2- and 3-credit classes	Session 2 classes
Week 1: <i>Drop Period</i>	Jan. 14 to Jan. 20	Mar. 17 to Mar. 23
Weeks 2-4: <i>Deferral Period</i>	Jan. 21 – Feb. 10	Mar. 24 to Apr. 13
Weeks 5-8/17: <i>I/W Period</i>	Begins Feb. 11	Begins April 14

This chart shows these important dates for Spring Semester 2020. As you can see, **the dates for each period depend on when the class begins.** It is important to be mindful of these dates as you begin your courses. **Should you need to drop, defer or withdraw a course, contact the Registrar immediately for assistance** so that you don’t miss an important timeline.

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Spring Semester 2020	
January 14 – May 11, 2020	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Session 1: January 14 – March 9• Spring Break Week: March 10 – 16• Session 2: March 17– May 11	

Spring Semester 2020 begins on January 14 and runs through May 11. Our Spring Break Week is scheduled for March 10 through March 16 and **Session 2 will begin on March 17.**

SPRING 2020 COURSE OFFERINGS:

And here's a look at the **Spring 2020 Course Offerings**. Many of you have been waiting to take MINS 2770 The Holy Spirit: Fire from Heaven and POLI 1101 Spiritual Principles of Government. We are happy to announce that *both* courses are being offered this Spring! And for those of you who have asked to take SU's course on spiritual community, we will offer MINS 2380 The Universal Principles of Spiritual Community this spring on an audit basis only. Ministerial students will continue to take MINS 2380 for academic credit as it is a required course to graduate from their program. If you want to take the course and you are not a ministerial student, please contact the Registrar to enroll in this course.

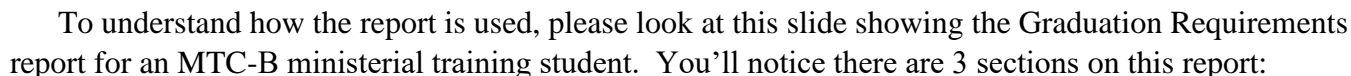
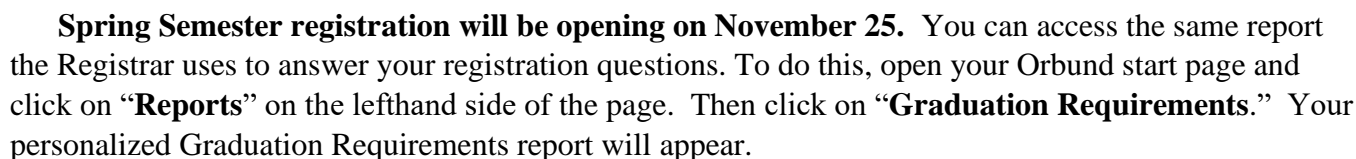
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COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	Cr	SESSION 1	SPRING	SESSION 2
			January 14 – March 9	BREAK March 10-16	March 17 – May 11
LEAD 1105	Practical Leadership Skills 1	1			
LEAD 2150	Leadership Practicum	3			
MINS 1000	Mentoring Program	0			
MINS 2000	Mentoring Program	0			
MINS 1110	Homiletics 1	1			
MINS 2380	The Universal Principles of Spiritual Community	1			
MINS 2600	Foundations of Family Ministry	1			
MINS 2610	Pastoral Care	3			
MINS 2650	Intensive for MTC-B program	1		March 10-13	
MINS 2770	The Holy Spirit: Fire from Heaven	1			
MINS 3280	A Spiritual Perspective on the Issues of Our Time	1			
POL 1101	Spiritual Principles of Government	3			
RELS 1080	Understanding the Teachings of the Ascended Masters	3			
SOCW 2603	Basics of Senior Care	1			

MTC-B MINISTERIAL INTENSIVE IN MARCH 2020:

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<p>MTC-B Students – <i>plan ahead!</i> Spring 2020 Ministerial Intensive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MINS 2650: The Aquarian-Age Minister will be offered at the Ranch next Spring on March 10-13, 2020 • Prerequisites include: MINS 2110, MINS 2610, MINS 2780 and PSYS 2201 	

MTC-B ministerial studies students are encouraged to plan ahead to attend the **MTC-B Intensive: The Aquarian-Age Minister** at the Ranch next spring on March 10-13, 2020. Prerequisites include MINS 2110, MINS 2610, MINS 2780 and PSYS 2201. Students may be enrolled in a prerequisite during spring semester 2020 to attend. Attendance at the MINS 2650 ministerial intensive is required to graduate from the MTC-B program and it's a great opportunity to network with others in the program. Further details and information will be sent to the MTC-B students in November.

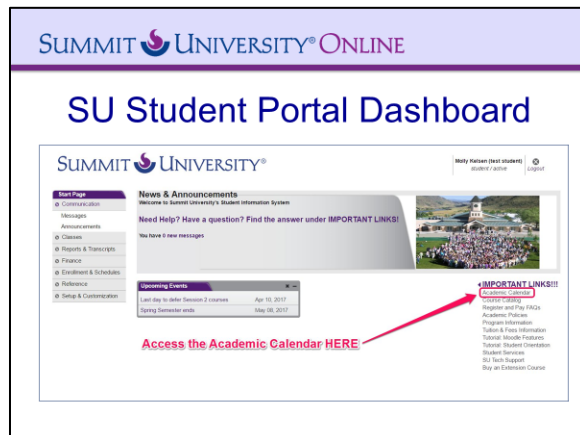
Reminder from the Registrar: You are *two clicks* away from opening up your “**Graduation Requirements**” report to see which classes you need to graduate.



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These 3 sections list the “Required” and “Elective” courses that this student needs to graduate. Keep in mind that if you are enrolled in another certificate program such as leadership or general studies, your Graduation Requirements report will only list two sections showing the “Required” and “Elective” courses needed to graduate.

Once you see the remaining courses you need to graduate, the next step is to check the “**Academic Calendar**” on the righthand side of your Orbund Start Page to see which courses are being offered during the next semester.




For further questions on your courses or enrollment, please contact, the SU Registrar, Karen Brewer, at Registrar@SummitUniversity.org.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES:

Do you need an **outreach program** that is ready to use and works for both new seekers and long-time students of the ascended masters? *SU Extension Courses may be your outreach and community-building solution!*



Students love these courses! Here's what one student said about META 0501 The Emerald Matrix:


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Here's what one student said about META 0501 The Emerald Matrix:

"I started off in this course feeling like I really needed to be more positive in many areas in my life. Since then, I have had a new opportunity of work, a major renewal of family ties and an acceleration in the area of health."

C.L., Canada

And group facilitators love them too because the curriculum is professionally prepared and designed to provide an interactive learning experience for the students. Each course is 6-8 units in length and features audio and video lecture and dictation excerpts by the Messenger Elizabeth Clare Prophet. It also includes discussion questions and additional resources for study, so you can focus on nurturing your new seekers and community instead of building a program for them.

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SU Extension Courses

SU Extension Courses	
ME 01	What is the Ascension?
ME 02	When the Masters Speak: How to Study a Dictation
META 0401	The Magic Power of Cosmic Law
META 0410	Ascension: The Goal of Life
META 0501	The Emerald Matrix
RELS 0201	The Victory Way of Life
RELS 0301	Relationships: Explore the Mysteries of Soul Mates and Twin Flames
RELS 0701	Unveiled Mysteries

Here are the current course selections for the **SU Extension Courses**. SU also offers a “free unit” for many of these courses. This gives a group facilitator the opportunity to sign up for the free unit and then share this free unit with potential students—either on-site or as a virtual group—to see if they would like to sign-up and continue with the course. SU also offers discounted tuition rates for the group facilitator and student participants.

Learn more and get started here:
SummitUniversity.org/GroupExtensionCourse

VIRTUAL STUDY GROUPS:

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Virtual Study Groups

For questions regarding "How to Start a Virtual Study Group" using SU Extension Courses, you are welcome to contact SU's virtual group field ambassadors:

Geoffrey Dickie at geoffdickie@gmail.com
Rosalinda Siciliano at whitelight@q.com

Both Geoffrey and Rosalinda are experienced in using virtual groups for outreach and group study, so please don't hesitate to contact them!

You can also sign up for the free download of Zoom software at:

<https://zoom.us>

Zoom also offers free online training sessions on their website.

Interested in starting a virtual study group or combination on-site and virtual study group in your area? You are encouraged to contact SU's virtual group field ambassadors, Geoffrey Dickie and/or Rosalinda Siciliano for answers to your questions regarding starting a virtual group at geoffdickie@gmail.com or whitelight@q.com. Both Geoffrey and Rosalinda are experienced in using virtual groups for outreach and group study and have facilitated several SU online extension courses with their groups. You can also download a free copy of Zoom software for conducting a virtual group at <https://zoom.us>.

Announcing a new 2020 Adeptship Course on Alchemy!

Did you know that SU will be offering a NEW Adeptship Course on Alchemy starting in January 2020? By popular request, this exciting course will provide step-by-step lessons on transforming yourself spiritually and then materially. But it doesn't stop there. Alchemy seeks to transform the world itself by the principles of alchemical change.

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SU Adeptship Program



Announcing a *NEW* January
2020 SU Adeptship course:

ALCHEMY

Registration information coming soon!

Carla Groenewegen, Director of Summit University, will be your instructor in this new 2020 hands-on Adeptship program. So give yourself the gift of learning and start the new 2020 decade with illumination's flame. See what self-transformation takes place in your world and beyond as you learn and practice your Alchemy lessons. *Stay tuned for registration announcements and further information on the course!*

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[SummitUniversity.org/Adeptship
/CrashCourse](http://SummitUniversity.org/Adeptship/CrashCourse)

And for those students that have not yet take the Adeptship Crash Course in 2019, there is still time to take this introductory Adeptship Course. The 7 webinar replay program, along with one year of course access, instructional materials and class and home practice exercises, is available for registration on the SU website under the “Adeptship” page. Please go to <http://summituniversity.org/Adeptship/CrashCourse> to sign up.

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And that's what you need to know about Spring Semester 2020!



From all of us at Summit University, we wish you a holy and joyous Christmas season and a victorious New Year 2020. Always Victory! The SU Team.