

MS in Applied Artificial Intelligence
Shiley-Marcos School of Engineering
ACADEMIC CALENDAR



FALL 2026 IMPORTANT DATES	
Registration Opens	06/29/2026
Registration Deadline	08/14/2026
Financial Aid Requirements Due	08/14/2026
Last Day to Drop Any Course with Full (100%) Refund	08/31/2026
Payment Due Date	09/01/2026
Semester Begins	09/01/2026
First Course Start Date	09/01/2026
Last day to Drop Any Course with (95%) Refund / Drop Deadline	09/04/2026
Last Day to Withdraw from Course A	09/28/2026
First Course End Date	10/19/2026
Second Course Start Date	10/20/2026
Last Day to Withdraw from Course B	11/16/2026
Second Course End Date	12/07/2026
Semester Ends	12/07/2026

*During the first semester of enrollment, any tuition refund amounts will not include the non-refundable enrollment deposit amount (5% of tuition).

Course	Course Name	Units	Start Date	End Date	
Orientation	AAI 550	New Student Orientation (New Students Only)	0	06/29/2026	08/28/2026
Foundation	AAI 500	Applied Probability and Statistics for AI	3	09/01/2026	10/19/2026
Foundation	AAI 501	Introduction to Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026
Core A	AAI 520	Natural Language Processing and GenAI	3	09/01/2026	10/19/2026
Core B	AAI 530	Large Language Model Engineering	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026
Core B	AAI 521	Applied Computer Vision for AI	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026
Final Core	AAI 540	Machine Learning Operations (MLOps)	3	09/01/2026	10/19/2026
Capstone	AAI 590	Capstone Project	3	10/20/2026	12/07/2026

Last Revised: 2/11/2026

Academic Calendars are subject to change.