# **IMPORTANT DATES**

Managing your time effectively also means being aware of the many dates and deadlines that affect you as a Chang School student, and planning accordingly. Here are the various dates you should make yourself aware of and carefully record. Please note that this is not an exhaustive list.

The Chang School will observe Ryerson University's Fall and Winter Study Weeks; some courses may not observe these Study Week breaks (see Statutory Holidays/University Closed on page 173 for Study Week closure information and consult individual course listings on the Chang School website at **ryerson.ca/ce** for course durations and scheduling information).

NOTE: Undergraduate program students who enrol in continuing education courses through The Chang School should be aware that continuing education deadlines are applicable and may differ from those outlined in the undergraduate calendar.

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<b>COURSE DURATION DATES</b> Typical course start and end dates for the term can be found below. Please note that not all courses adhere to these dates – consult individual course listings at <b>ryerson.ca/ce/calendar</b> for definitive information.				
Definition	Courses that begin between July 2 and November 1 are considered part of the Fall academic term. Be sure to choose the Fall 2018 Term code when enrolling.	Courses that begin between November 2 and February 1 are considered part of the Winter academic term. Be sure to choose the Winter 2019 Term code when enrolling.	Courses that begin between February 2 and July 1 are considered part of the Spring academic term. Be sure to choose the Spring 2019 term code when enrolling.	
Single-term Courses	Courses typically start the week of September 10, 2018 and end the week of December 10, 2018. Full-term Distance Education classes begin September 10, 2018 and end December 8, 2018.	Courses typically start the week of January 14, 2019 and end the week of April 15, 2019. Full-term Distance Education classes begin on January 14, 2019 and end April 13, 2019.	Early Spring courses typically start the week of May 6, 2019. Monday/ Wednesday classes end June 19, 2019 and Tuesday/Thursday classes end June 18, 2019. Mid-Spring/Summer courses typically start the week of June 24, 2019. Monday/Wednesday classes end August 12, 2019, and Tuesday/ Thursday classes end August 6, 2019.	
Multi-term Courses	Courses typically start the week of September 10, 2018 and end the week of April 15, 2019.	Fall/Winter courses resume the week of January 14, 2019.		

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#### **ENROLMENT PERIODS**

Dates when enrolment is available for courses utilizing mail, online, or in-person methods. Certificate program students can continue to enrol after the Priority Enrolment period ends and during the Open Enrolment period (including the Special Saturday In-Person Enrolment). Classes fill up quickly; to avoid disappointment, early enrolment is advised. See Enrolment at **ryerson.ca/ce/enrolment** for more details.

Priority Enrolment for Certificate Program Students	June 4, 2018–June 16, 2018 for Fall or Fall/Winter classes	August 13, 2018–August 25, 2018 for Winter classes	February 11, 2019–February 23, 2019 for Spring classes
Open Enrolment for All Other Students	Online and In-Person: Commences June 18, 2018 and continues, space permitting, until prior to the second scheduled class begins for courses in Business and Languages (including ESL/EAL); until September 20, 2018 for Distance: Internet full-term classes; until first day of week-long intensive courses; and until prior to the third scheduled class begins for all other courses. Early enrolment is advised. Mail-in: June 18, 2018-August 24, 2018	<b>Online and In-Person:</b> Commences August 27, 2018 and continues, space permitting, until prior to the second scheduled class begins for courses in Business and Languages (including ESL/EAL); until January 24, 2019 for Distance: Internet full-term classes; until first day of week-long intensive courses; and until prior to the third scheduled class begins for all other courses. Early enrolment is advised. <b>Mail-in:</b> August 27, 2018–November 1, 2018	Online and In-Person: Commences February 25, 2019 and continues, space permitting, until prior to the second scheduled class begins for courses in Business and Languages (including ESL/EAL); until May 16, 2019 for Distance: Internet full-term classes; until first day of week-long intensive courses; and until prior to the third scheduled class begins for all other courses. Early enrolment is advised. Mail-in: February 25, 2019–March 31, 2019
Special Saturday In-Person Enrolment	September 8 and 15, 2018, 9:30 a.m12:30 p.m.	January 12, 19, and 26, 2019, 9:30 a.m12:30 p.m.	April 27 and May 4 and 11, 2019, 9:30 a.m12:30 p.m.

#### **APPLICATION TO REGISTER IN A CERTIFICATE PROGRAM**

See Registration in a Certificate Program (ryerson.ca/ce/certreg).

Application Deadlines	October 31, 2018	January 31, 2019	June 30, 2019	
	Students who have missed the published deadline to apply to register in a certificate program may still apply. Applications received after the published deadline will be applied to the term directly following and the student's registration in the certificate will not take effect until that term. See Registration in a Certificate Program ( <b>ryerson.ca/ce/certreg</b> ) for more details.			
		nent is unaffected by the deadline to apply for registration in a certificate program and are spots available for the offering. See Enrolment ( <b>ryerson.ca/ce/enrolment</b> ) for ol.		

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#### **OPEN HOUSE**

New, returning, and prospective students can attend one of our Open House sessions where they have the opportunity to meet with program and course representatives. See Open House, Interviews, and Placement Assessments at **ryerson.ca/ce/openhouse** for more details.

 August 16, 2018,
 November 29, 2018,
 March 7, 2019,

 4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.
 4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.
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#### STATUTORY HOLIDAYS/UNIVERSITY CLOSED

Holidays observed by Ryerson University when our facilities are not open to the public.

July 2, 2018 - Canada Day Observed

August 3, 2018 - Ryerson Day

July 1, 2018 - Canada Day

August 6, 2018 - Civic Holiday

September 3, 2018 - Labour Day

Study Week closure begins for Chang School classes on October 6, 2018. Chang School classes resume on October 13, 2018. Consult individual course listings at **ryerson.ca/ce/calendar** for more information.

October 8, 2018 - Thanksgiving

The University will be closed from 4:00 p.m. December 21, 2018 until 8:30 a.m. January 7, 2019. Study Week closure begins for Chang School classes on February 16, 2019. Chang School classes resume on February 23, 2019. Consult individual course listings at **ryerson.ca/ce/calendar** for more

February 18, 2019 - Family Day

April 19, 2019 - Good Friday

May 20, 2019 – Victoria Day July 1, 2019 – Canada Day August 2, 2019 – Ryerson Day August 5, 2019 – Civic Holiday

#### **ENROLMENT/TRANSFER DEADLINE**

Final date to enrol in a course or transfer to another course. See Important Dates on the Chang School website, at **ryerson.ca/ce**, for enrolment/transfer deadlines for week-long intensive courses and accelerated distance education courses.

Business and Language courses (including ESL/ EAL)	Enrolment/transfers must take place before the second scheduled class.		
Distance Education Courses	September 20, 2018	January 24, 2019	May 16, 2019
Other Courses	Enrolment/transfers must take place before the third scheduled class.		

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### WITHDRAWAL DEADLINES: CLASSROOM AND DISTANCE COURSES

Deadlines to withdraw for classroom and distance courses, with associated financial and academic consequences as applicable.

Students who do not officially withdraw via RAMSS or through Enrolment Services and Student Records within the deadlines specified will be assigned a failing grade and charged the appropriate fees. For withdrawal deadlines for week-long intensive courses and accelerated distance education courses, see Important Dates on the Chang School website at **ryerson.ca/ce**.

Full Refund: Classroom and Distance Courses	Five business days before the course start date Note: For courses of less than 31 hours in duration, no refund will be issued after the deadline for a full refund.		
75% Refund: Classroom Courses: Courses of 39 or More Hours in Duration	<ul><li>Single-term 13-session courses: after the full refund deadline but prior to the fourth scheduled class of the course Note: No refund after this deadline.</li><li>Multi-term courses: after the full refund deadline but prior to the eighth scheduled class of the course</li></ul>		
Distance Courses	September 28, 2018	February 1, 2019	May 24, 2019
50% Refund: Classroom and Distance Courses: Courses of 31 to 38 Hours in Duration	After the full refund deadline but prior to the second scheduled class of the course Note: No refund for courses 30 hours or less after course begins.		
Good Academic Standing, No Refund: Classroom and Distance Courses	November 16, 2018	March 29, 2019	Courses that start in May and run once per week for 13 weeks: July 12, 2019 Courses that start in May and run twice per week for 7 weeks: May 24, 2019 Courses that start in June and run twice per week for 7 weeks: July 12, 2019

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GRADE APPEALS See Grade Appeals on the Chang School website at <b>ryerson.ca/ce</b> .			
	January 21, 2019, 4:00 p.m. D GRADUATE IN A CERTIFICAT Chang School website at <b>ryerson.ca/ce</b>		September 13, 2019, 4:00 p.m.
Application Deadlines	Fall 2018 Convocation: June 1, 2018 until July 31, 2018 – Apply on RAMSS (with no fee) August 15, 2018 – Final date to apply on RAMSS (with late application fee) September 7, 2018 is the final date to cancel an Application to Graduate.		Spring 2019 Convocation: November 1, 2018 until March 1, 2019 – Apply on RAMSS (with no fee) April 15, 2019 – Final date to apply on RAMSS (with late application fee) May 9, 2019 is the final date to cancel an Application to Graduate.

## CONVOCATION (GRADUATION CEREMONY)

See Convocation at **ryerson.ca/convocation** for specific ceremony dates and times.

Fall 2018 Convocation will be held October 10, 2018-October 12, 2018.	Spring 2019 Convocation – dates TBA.