



SECRETARÍA JUNTA ADMINISTRATIVA

I CERTIFY THAT THE BELOW IS AN EXACT AND ACCURATE TRANSLATION OF THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATION ISSUED IN SPANISH LANGUAGE.

2017-18

Certification Number 21

AMENDED

I, **NYDIA BONET JORDAN**, Executive Secretary of the Administrative Board of the Medical Sciences Campus of the University of Puerto Rico, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:**

The Administrative Board, in an extraordinary meeting held **Thursday, October 5, 2017**, had at its consideration a request to **amend the Academic Calendar of the Medical Sciences Campus for the year 2017-2018**. After an ample discussion, the Administrative Board, **AGREED TO:**

APPROVE the amendments to the academic calendar for the year 2017-2018, as submitted by the Dean of Academic Affairs of the Medical Sciences Campus.

- The academic calendar dates were readjusted, as indicated in the document attached to this certification. **Please refer to the document for more details. Among other changes are the following:**
 - **Saturday, November 25, 2017** – first trimester ends
 - **Monday, November 27, 2017** – registration for second trimester
 - **Tuesday, November 28, 2017** – classes begin second trimester
 - **Tuesday, November 28, 2017** – late registration for second trimester
 - **Monday, February 15, 2018** – second trimester ends
 - **Tuesday, February 20, 2018** – registration for third trimester
 - **Wednesday, February 21, 2018** – late registration for third trimester
 - **Wednesday, February 21, 2018** – classes begin third trimester
 - **Wednesday, February 21, 2018** – late registration for third trimester
 - **Monday, January 9, 2018** – first semester ends
 - The second semester calendar **will not be affected**.


- The holidays of the months of October, November, and December 2017 and January 2018, **are all cancelled, with the exception of November 23 and December 25, 2017**. The cancelled holidays, will be working days. This applies to faculty, non-teaching personnel and students.
- The academic recess will be effective beginning **Saturday, December 30, 2017 until Sunday, January 7, 2018**. Faculty, non-teaching personnel and students will resume duties on **Monday, January 8, 2018**.
- The academic activities (courses) are scheduled from Monday to Saturday during the months of October, November, and December 2017 to January 2018. **Saturdays will be considered class days (this applies to faculty, non-teaching personnel and students).**
- From **February 2018 and on**, the academic workload will be from **Monday through Friday**.
- The evening courses will end their class hours no later than 9:00 pm during the period of October, November, and December 2017 and January 2018.
- The Associate Deans of Academic Affairs should adjust their courses schedules taking into consideration these instructions to guarantee they end the Academic Year 2017-2018 as originally programmed.

Copy of the amended academic calendar is part of this Certification.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have issued this certificate and affixed the seal of the Medical Sciences Campus of the University of Puerto Rico on the sixth day of October of the year two thousand and seventeen.


Nydia Bonet Jordán, MD
Executive Secretary

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Segundo Rodríguez Quilichini, MD, FACS, FASCRS
Acting Chancellor

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Attachment



NOTE: This certification substitutes the previous one with the same number. On Monday, October 9, 2017, this certification is amended to correct dates and errors in its contents. In addition, the Academic Calendar of the Medical Sciences Campus was amended for year 2017-18, and is an attachment to this certification.