

Department of Occupational Therapy
Entry Level Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD) Program
2012-2018 Trimester, On-Campus Institute, Events, & Level I Fieldwork Experience Schedule
 Version 3/11/2015

Year 4 – 2015-2016‡		
Summer (12 Weeks) 05/26 – 08/16**	Fall (17 Weeks) 08/24 – 12/20**	Winter (17 Weeks) 01/04 – 05/01**
*Orientation: 05/11 – 05/13 (Class of 2018)	Thanksgiving, 11/26/2015	*Spring Break: 03/07 – 03/11
Graduation (Class of 2015) 08/21	Fall Ceremonies (Class of 2016 & 2018) 11/13 Inaugural Exit Colloquium (Class of 2015) 12/13	
Campus Institutes	Campus Institutes	Campus Institutes
05/26 – 05/31 (Class 2018)	Reflections 8493: FWE II (Class of 2015) 08/26	
	Reflections 8391: FWE II (Class of 2016) 08/27	
05/28 – 05/31 (Class of 2017)	Classes of 2016, 2017 & 2018:	Classes of 2016, 2017 & 2018:
Classes of 2017 & 2018:	08/27 – 08/30	01/07 – 01/10
06/18 – 06/21	09/24 – 09/27	02/04 – 02/07
07/16 – 07/19***	10/22 – 10/25***	03/03 – 03/06***
08/13 – 08/16****	11/12 – 11/15+	03/24 – 03/27
OTD 8493 Level II FWE (Class of 2015) 05/26 – 08/14	12/10 – 12/13****	04/28 – 05/01****
OTD 8391: Level II FWE (Class 2016) 05/26 – 08/14	Level I FW, (Class of 2017) 11/16 – 12/04	Level I FW, (Class of 2017) 04/06 – 04/24
Level I FWE, (Class of 2017) 07/20 – 08/07	Doctoral Residency (Class of 2015) 08/24 – 12/11	NBCOT Mock Certification Exam Review (As Applicable)
Graduation, (Class of 2015) August 21st 2015		

Year 5 – 2016-2017‡		
Summer (12 Weeks) 05/23 – 08/14**	Fall (17 Weeks) 08/22 – 12/18**	Winter (17 Weeks) 01/09 – 05/07**
*Orientation: 05/08 – 5/10 (Class of 2019)	Thanksgiving, 11/24/2016	*Spring Break: 03/06 – 03/10
	Fall Ceremonies (Class of 2017 & 2019) 11/11 Inaugural Exit Colloquium (Class of 2016) 12/10	
On Campus Institutes	On Campus Institutes	On Campus Institutes
05/24 – 05/29 (Class 2019)	Reflections OTD 8493: FWE II (Class of 2016) 1st Institute	
	Reflections OTD 8391: FWE II (Class of 2017) 1st Institute	
05/26 – 05/29 (Class of 2018)	Classes of 2017 2018 & 2019:	Classes of 2017, 2018 & 2019:
Classes of 2018 & 2019:	08/25 – 08/28	01/12 – 01/15
06/16 – 06/19	09/22 – 09/25	02/02 – 02/05
07/14 – 07/17***	10/20 – 10/23**	03/02 – 03/05***
08/11 – 08/14****	11/10 – 11/13+	03/23 – 03/26
OTD 8493 Level II FWE (Class of 2016) 05/23 – 08/12	12/8 – 12/11****	04/27 – 04/30****
OTD 8391: Level II FWE (Class 2017) 05/23 – 08/12	Level I FW, (Class of 2018) 11/14 – 12/02	Level I FW, (Class of 2018) 04/03 – 04/21
Level I FWE, (Class of 2018) 07/18 – 08/05	Doctoral Residency (Class of 2016) 08/22 – 12/09	NBCOT Mock Certification Exam Review (As Applicable)
Graduation, (Class of 2016) August (TBA)		

Year 6 – 2017-2018‡		
Summer (12 Weeks) 05/22 – 08/13**	Fall (17 Weeks) 08/21 – 12/17**	Winter (17 Weeks) 01/08 – 05/06**
*Orientation: 05/07 – 05/09 (Class of 2020)	Thanksgiving, 11/23/2017	*Spring Break: 03/05 – 03/09
	Fall Ceremonies (Class of 2018 & 2020) 11/10 Inaugural Exit Colloquium (Class of 2017) 12/16	
On Campus Institutes	On Campus Institutes	On Campus Institutes
05/23 – 05/28 (Class 2020)	Reflections OTD 8493: FWE II (Class of 2017) 1st Institute	
	Reflections OTD 8391: FWE II (Class of 2018) 1st Institute	
05/25 – 05/28 (Class of 2019) Classes of 2019 & 2020:	Classes of 2018 2019& 2020: 08/24 – 08/27	Classes of 2018, 2019 & 2020: 01/11– 01/14
06/15 – 06/18	09/14 – 09/17	02/08 – 02/11
07/13 – 07/16***	10/12 – 10/15***	03/08 – 03/11***
08/10 – 08/13****	11/09 – 11/12+	04/05 – 04/08
OTD 8493 Level II FWE (Class of 2017) 05/22 – 08/11	12/14 – 12/17****	05/03 – 05/06****
OTD 8391: Level II FWE (Class 2018) 05/22 – 08/11	Level I FW, (Class of 2019) 11/13 – 12/01	Level I FW, (Class of 2019) 04/09 – 04-27
Level I FWE, (Class of 2019) 07/17 – 08/04	Doctoral Residency (Class of 2017) 08/21– 12/08	NBCOT Mock Certification Exam Review (As Applicable)
Graduation, (Class of 2017) August (TBA)		

NOTE: The revisions highlighted in yellow; occurred so that as much as possible, OTD & DPT cohorts are NOT on campus at the same time, except when unavoidable such as summer (due to Anatomy course), dates (2) in November and the last institute dates. Please exercise caution in scheduling rooms and resources.

KEY:

Orientation and Spring Break dates are subject to change

**Full Time Fieldwork Experience may begin the week prior to above posted trimester start dates; start/end date will be adjusted to complete minimum of 12 weeks each or total of 24, and a doctoral residency of at least 16 weeks.

***Midterm Exams

****Final Exams

+ Subject to FOTA or AOTA conference date

‡Students in Fieldwork Experience do not observe Spring break or Winter breaks; Thanksgiving Day is factored in to complete 3 full weeks of Level I fieldwork experience.

Important Dates

- AOTA Conferences:
 - April 16 – 19, 2015, Nashville, TN
 - April 7 – 10, 2016, Chicago, Illinois
 - March 30 – April 2, 2017, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (HAPPY CENTENNIAL YEAR, OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY!)
- April is Occupational Therapy Month
- April 13 is the Founding Anniversary of the NSU Tampa Doctor of Occupational Therapy Program
- AOTA Academic Leadership Conference, October 23 – 24, 2014, New Orleans, LA
- AOTA Education Summit: October 17 – 18, 2015, Denver, CO
- FOTA Annual Conference, November 6 – 7, 2015, Downtown Disney/Universal Studios, Orlando FL
- AOTA Student Conclave; November 14 – 15, St. Louis MO