



DATES AND DEADLINES:

- August 16 Fall proficiency exams given in departments at 1 p.m.
- August 18 Last day to withdraw from the University and receive a full adjustment of charges. Financial aid will be reduced.
- August 19 Fall semester begins.
- August 23 Last day for graduate students planning to receive a graduate degree in December to submit a degree audit and file an application for completion of degree.
- August 24-30 My.IllinoisState.edu open for all course drops and departmentally approved adds. Course permit (Friday, September 1 overrides required).
- August 26 Proposal approval form (grad school) deadline for December graduates.
- August 30 Tenth day of the semester. Last day to drop a course with no withdrawal grade (WX) assigned and a full adjustment of charges. Financial aid may be reduced. Fall registration closes at 10 p.m. Last day to put a course on audit.
- September 2 Labor Day. University closed.
- September 4 Census enrollment reporting.
- September 6 Deadline for submission of materials (late grades, grade changes, transcripts, test scores, petitions for graduation exception, etc.) for August 2024 bachelor degree candidates.
- September 13 Last day for undergraduate students planning on receiving a degree in December to apply and pay the fee for graduation. Applications may be submitted online through My.IllinoisState.edu. Last day to receive 25 percent tuition adjustment for full-semester course withdrawals. There will be no adjustment in charges after this date.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 23-29 Homecoming week



STUDENT, FACULTY and STAFF ACTIVITIES

Publications

^(G)Tomlovich, Rachel A. and Lash, Timothy D., "Synthesis, Spectroscopic Properties and Metalation of 3-Alkoxybenzporphyrins." *Molecules* **2024**, 29 (8), 1903.

Lash, Timothy D. and ^(UG) Salrin, Jared S., "Serendipitous Discovery of Conjugated Dipyrrromethene-linked Nitronaphthoporphyrins." *The Journal of Organic Chemistry* **2024**, 89 (15), 10582-10590.

^(G)Ebbah, Eunice, ^(G)Amissah, Anthony, Kim, Jun-Hyun, and Driskell, Jeremy D., "Antibody-Driven Assembly of Plasmonic Core-Satellites to Increase the Sensitivity of a SERS Vertical Flow Immunoassay." *ACS Sensors*, **2024**, 9, 3496-3501. DOI: 10.1021/acssensors.4c01052.

^(UG)Breausche, Faith E., ^(UG)Somerlot, Anna, ^(UG)Walder, Jason, ^(G)Osei, Kwame, and Driskell, Jeremy D., "Immobilization of Thiol-Modified Horseradish Peroxidase on Gold Nanoparticles Enhances Enzyme Stability and Prevents Proteolytic Digestion." *Langmuir*, **2024**, 40, 13957-13967. DOI: 10.1021/acs.langmuir.4c01180.

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