SPU CALENDAR 2025

JANUARY

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1 New Year's Day	2 SPU Opens	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 AAC 09h; NSC Results Released; MANCO 13h	14	15 NC Schools Open; STTC[1] 13h	16	17	18	19
20 Online Reg Returning Students	21 SMT 9h	22	23 DD Forum 9h	24 UAC	25	26
27 MANCO 9h; MAN Forum 14h	28 IOC[1] 9h	29 SCR[1] 13h	30 NSC 9h	31 Residence Arrival First Year Students		

1st Quarterly Faculty Board Meetings

2025 Residence Registration 6 Jan - 7 Mar

FEBRUARY

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 Residence Arrival First Years	2	3 AAC 09h	4 SMT 9h	5 Moodle Café Stud&Acad; STLC[1] 13h	6 FPIITC[1] 9h	7
8	9	10 e-Pedagogy Essentials; SMT RETREAT	11	12 e-Pedagogy Intermediate; SHDC[1] 13h	13 ARC[1] 9h	14 e-Pedagogy Advanced; Last day: Registrations; Rugby (H) SPUvsUKZN
15 ★ VC's Welcome First Years; Know your CAHAU	16	17 IF EXCO[1] 9h	18 HRC[1] 9h; SMT 13h	19 First Things First Campaign; APC[1] 13h	20 SICT[1] 13h	21 DD Forum 9h; Rugby (H) SPUvsCPUT
22	23	24 MANCO 9h; MAN Forum 14h	25 SREC[1] 13h	26 REMCO[1] 9h; Blood Donation IF[1] 14h	27 SENEX[1] 13h	28 Last day for S1 Module Changes; Rugby (H) SPUvsVARCOL

REGISTRATION: FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

First Teaching Block Starts (First day of Lectures for Semester 1)

Orientation for First Years 3 - 14 February

17 Feb - 28 Feb: Module change period

2025 Residence Registration 6 Jan - 7 Mar

MARCH

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3 AAC 09h	4 Eating Disorder Content Distribution SMT 9h	5 UTC[1] 14h	6 SSC[1] 14h	7 FINCO[1] 8h30; Rugby (A) SPUvsWSU
8	9	10 MANCO 14H	11	12 SMT meeting with CHE 9h; SENATE[1] 11h30	13	14 EXCO[1] 9h; Rugby (A) SPUvsUFH
15 ★ Big Walk	16	17	18 SMT 9h; OHSE[1] 13h	19 Universal Access Workshop	20	21 Human Rights Day; CAHAU Acad Awards; Rugby (A) SPUvsMADIBAZ
22	23	24 AI Workshop Students; MAN Forum 14h	25 MANCO 9h; SHDC[2] 13h	26 COUNCIL[1] 8h30 All Day; e-Learning (students)	27 DD Forum 9h	28 NC Schools Close; Rugby (H) SPUvsUWC
29	30	31 Student Recess; e-Pedagogy Essentials; MANCO 13h				

First Teaching Block Ends

2025 Residence Registration 6 Jan - 7 Mar

APRIL

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 e-Pedagogy Intermediate; SMT 9h	2 e-Pedagogy Advanced	3	4 e-Learning Academics; Rugby Semi-Final	5 ★ Open Day Principal's Breakfast	6	7 AAC 09h; Dialogue: World Health Day; MANCO 13h
8 NC Schools Open	9 Moodle Café Stud&Acad; SICT[2] 13h	10	11	12	13	14 CAHAU 1st Qtr Evaluations
15 SMT 9h	16 STLC[2] 13h; Career Fair	17	18 Good Friday	19	20	21 Family Day
22 MANCO 13h	23 SCR[2] 13h	24	25 ★ SPU Graduation; UAC	26 ★ SPU Gradu-ation	27 Freedom Day	28 Public Holiday
29 SMT 13h; MAN Forum 14h	30 DD Forum 9h					

Last day of Recess

Second Teaching Block Starts

Apr/June Faculty Council Elections - date to be confirmed

2nd Quarterly Faculty Board Meetings

Residence Talk 9-11 Apr

Wilderklawer Tournament

MAY

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 Workers' Day; CAHAU Jun 16 Commemoration	2 SPU Holiday	3 SRC Golf Day	4	5 AAC 09h; Talk: Hygiene Awareness Day; MANCO 13h	6 IOC[2] 9h; UTC[2] 15h	7 Moodle Café Stud&Acad
8	9	10	11	12	13 SMT 13h; APC[2] 13h	14
15 FPIITC[2] 9h	16 Decade Campaign Gala Dinner	17 World Repression Day	18	19 MANCO 13h	20 SREC[2] 13h	21 HRC[2] 9h
22 AI Workshop Academics	23	24	25	26 MAN Forum 14h	27 ARC[2] 9h00; SMT 13h	28 SENEX[2] 13h
29 DD Forum 9h	30 FINCO[2] 8h30; Staff Wellness Day; Anti-Tobacco Campaign	31				

Second Teaching Block Ends.

Main Mid-Year Exams Start

JUNE

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2 AAC 09h; MANCO 13h	3	4 ANNUAL COMBO✱ 09h00; Moodle Café Stud&Acad	5 SSC[2] 14h	6	7
8	9	10 SMT 9h; IF EXCO[2] 14h	11	12 SENATE[2] 12h	13 EXCO[2] 9h	14 World Blood Donor Day
15	16 Youth Day	17 MANCO 13h	18 Youth Month Public Lecture	18 IF[2] 14h	20	21
22	23 MAN Forum 14h	24 SMT 9h; SCR[3] 13h	25 COUNCIL[2] 8h30 All Day	26 OHSE[2] 13h	27 NC Schools Close	28
29	30 e-Pedagogy Essentials; DD Forum 9h; MANCO 13h					

Main Mid-Year Exams End

Supplementary Main Mid-Year Exams Start

Apr/June Faculty Council Elections

24-30 June Drug Awareness Week

JULY

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 e-Pedagogy Intermediate; SMT 9h	2 e-Pedagogy Advanced	3	4	5	6	7 AAC 09h
8	9	10	11 SAC[1] 9h	12	13	14 MANCO 13h
15 SICT[3] 13h	16 Substance Awareness	17	18 Mandela Day	19	20	21
22 NC Schools open; SMT 9h	23	24 SHDC[3] 9h	25 Last day for S2 & Y Module Changes; UAC	26	27	28 MANCO 9h; MAN Forum 14h
29 IOC[3] 9h	30 STLC[3] 13h	31 DD Forum 9h				

Supplmentary Main Mid-Year Exams end

First day of Recess

Last day of Recess

Third Teaching Block Start (first day of Lectures for Semester 2)

e-Learning Week for Academics

Kopano Ya Dinaledi Leadership Programme (4 days)

3rd Quarterly Faculty Board Meetings

AUGUST

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3	4 AAC 09h	5 SMT 9h; IF EXCO[3] 14h	6 Moodle Café Stud&Acad; APC[3] 13h; Event: Women of Impact	7 UTC[3] 13h
8 FPIITC[3] 9h; Women'sMonth Public Lecture	9 Women's Day	10	11 MANCO 13h	12 HRC[3] 9h	13	14 Masculinity Panel; IF[3] 14h
15	16	17	18 Career Fair	19 SMT 9h; SREC[3] 13h	20 ARC[3] 9h	21 SENEX[3] 13h
22 SPU's 12th Birthday	23	24	25	26	27	28 Healthy Relationship Session; DD Forum 9h
29 FINCO[3] 8h30; Staff Womans Day	30 ★ SPU Colour Run	31				

Third Teaching Block Ends

First day of Recess

Last day of Recess

S2 Module Change Period: 14 July - 25 July

SMT RETREAT

SRC elections

CAHAU: House Committee Elections (4 - 29 August)

SEPTEMBER

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 AAC 09h	2 SMT 9h	3 SENATE[3] 12h	4 REMCO[2] 9h	5 EXCO[3] 9h; Casual Day	6	7
8	9	10 Moodle Café Stud&Acad; World Suicide Prevention Day	11 SSC[3] 14h	12	13	14
15	16 SMT 9h; Mental Health Wellbeing Panel	17 COUNCIL[3] 8h30 All Day	18 SCR[4] 9H	19 Suicide Prevention Day	20	21
22 MANCO 13h	23 SHDC[4] 13h	24 Heritage Day	25 DD Forum 9h	26 Eye Care Awareness	27	28
29 MAN Forum 14h	30 SMT 9h; OHSE[3] 13h					

Fourth Teaching Block Starts

SRC elections

4th Quarterly Faculty Board Meetings

Heritage Month Activities

OCTOBER

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 MANCO 13h	2 UTC[4] 15h	3 NC Schools Close	4	5 CAHAU General Award Ceremony	6	7
8 SMT 9h	9 Moodle Café Stud&Acad	10 IOC[4] 9h; SSC[4] 14h; Suicide Awareness Workshop	11 Mr & Ms SPU; Sol Plaatjie Lecture & Founder's Dinner; SPU Memorial weekend	12 ★ SPU Chancellor's Golf Day Alumni Homecoming	13	14 NC Schools Open; MANCO 13h
15 SICT[4] 13h	16 APC[4] 13h	17	18 HRC[4] 9h; Mental Health Awareness Day	19	20	21 MAN Forum 14h
22 SMT 9h; STLC[4] 13h	23	24	25 FPIITC[4] 9h; Staff: Breast Cancer Screening	26 IF EXCO[4] 14h; UAC	27	28
29 DD Forum 9h; MANCO 13h	30 SREC[4] 13h	31 ARC[4] 9h; SENEX[4] 13h				

Fourth Teaching Block Ends

Main Year-End Exams Starts

October: Mental Health Awareness Month

NOVEMBER

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 ★ VC's Dinner for new SRC	2	3 AAC 09h; SMT 13h	4 REMCO[4] 9h; IF[4] 14h	5	6	7 FINCO[4] 8h30; Deadline: Acad Struct on Moodle
8 ★ VC'S Cycle Challenge	9	10 MANCO 13h	11	12 SENATE[4] 12h	13	14 EXCO[4] 9h; Staff: Diabetes Screening
15	16	17	18 SMT 9h	19 OHSE[4] 13h	20 International Volunteer Day	21 Staff: Men's Health Event
22	23	24 MANCO 9h; MAN Forum 14h	25	26 COUNCIL[4] 8h30 All Day	27 DD Forum 9h	28
29 ★ SPU Family Day	30					

Main Year-End Exams Ends

Supplementary Main Year-End Exams Start

Supplementary Main Year-End Exams End

DECEMBER

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 AAC 09h; World Aids Day Screening	2 SMT 9h	3 DD Strat Planning 9h; Int. Day of Persons with Disability	4	5 SAC[2] 9h; VC'S Excellence Awards	6	7
8 MANCO 13h	9	10	11	12 NC Schools Close; CTLPD Deadlines	13	14
15 SPU Holiday	16 Day of Reconcillia-tion	17	18	19 SPU Closes	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26 Day of Good Will	27	28
29	30	31				

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