



FROST ONLINE

WELCOME!



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▶ Key contacts:

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▶ Key websites:

- ▶ Frost Online: <https://frostonline.miami.edu>
- ▶ CaneLink (access student account, courses, etc.): <https://m.canelink.miami.edu/>
- ▶ Blackboard (courses): <https://courses.miami.edu>

REGISTRATION

- ▶ You will be contacted about course offerings prior to the start of the semester
 - ▶ Choose which courses you would like to enroll in (email Rachel)
 - ▶ The Frost Online administrator will enroll you in courses
- ▶ There will be course offerings every 7.5 weeks
- ▶ Refer to the degree plan in the Frost Online group (on Blackboard) for requirements
- ▶ Your tuition bill will not show up until after you are enrolled in courses
 - ▶ Financial aid will not be applied to your bill until after you are enrolled in courses

GRADUATE STUDENT HANDBOOK

▶ Important:

- ▶ Must receive a C- or better in every course for it to count
- ▶ Must have a cumulative 3.0 GPA at the end of your program to graduate
- ▶ If you drop below a 3.0 GPA at any point during the program you will lose any scholarship and financial aid loans

ACADEMIC CALENDARS

- ▶ Do not follow the academic calendars on the University website
 - ▶ Calendars will be posted in the Blackboard group: Frost Online
- ▶ Please pay attention to the refund schedule for dropping courses
 - ▶ If the course is dropped by:
 - ▶ End of week 1 = 100% refund
 - ▶ End of week 2 = 75% refund
 - ▶ End of week 3 = 50% refund
 - ▶ End of week 4-8 = 0% refund
 - ▶ The last day to drop a course without a “W” grade is end of Week 1
 - ▶ Last day to drop a course with a “W” grade is end of Week 5 for Fall and Spring; end of Week 3 for Summer

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

- ▶ Grammy U
- ▶ Music Industry Association Membership
- ▶ The NAMM Show
- ▶ Other industry events
- ▶ Live-streaming online for many Frost School of Music concerts – <https://frost-music-live.miami.edu/index.html>

STUDENT RESOURCES & DISCOUNTS

- ▶ Library materials - <https://www.library.miami.edu/>
- ▶ Access to...
 - ▶ Online Articles
 - ▶ Online Books
 - ▶ Research Databases
 - ▶ Resources such as Lynda.com
- ▶ Educational discounts on Apple products, Dell, Software, etc.

APPLY TO GRADUATE

- ▶ You must apply to graduate during the beginning of the semester when commencement will occur
 - ▶ Example: If you will be graduating during the Spring 2019 semester, then you will be applying in February for the May commencement ceremony
 - ▶ If you graduate in the Fall semester, then you will apply in September/October for the December commencement ceremony
- ▶ Note: If you are finishing courses in the Summer, you can apply to receive your degree in August. You can either walk in the May or December ceremonies.
- ▶ We encourage you to attend the commencement ceremonies if possible!

COMPREHENSIVE EXAM

- ▶ The comprehensive exam for your degree program will be administered after you complete all course work
- ▶ This is a requirement to graduate
- ▶ Pass/Fail