ADDENDUM D: IMPORTANT FALL 2015 DATES

- **August 17-18**: Orientation for 1L students
- **August 18**: Orientation for LL.M. students
- **August 19 - September 4**: LL.M. courses in *Introduction to American Law* (IAL) and *Legal Research and Writing*. IAL final exam on September 25.
- **August 19 - September 4**: 1L courses in *Legal Methods* and *Legal Practice Workshop I*. Legal Methods final exam on Friday, September 25.
- **August 31 at 12 noon**: Change of Program (Add/Drop) period begins for upper-year courses (only voluntary changes until September 8)
- **September 7**: Labor Day. No classes
- **September 1**: Last day for October degree candidates to submit outstanding work from 2014-15.
- **September 8**: First day of Fall term-long Law courses. First day of classes at other divisions of the University
- **September 8-18**: Change of Program (“Add/Drop”) period continues for upper-year courses. Students on wait-lists will be notified by e-mail if an opening becomes available, and must act on the notification within 12 hours or else they will be dropped from the wait list. Voluntary changes also can be made. Add/Drop period closes at 5 pm on Friday, September 18. After this time changes to program may be made only with permission of the Rules Committee, upon petition
- **September 18**: Deadline for 3L’s to register for Major Writing Credit; Add/Drop closes at 5 pm.
- **September 19-October 15**: Late withdrawal period for Law courses. Written permission of the instructor is required, and the grade of “W” (indicating withdrew) will be entered into the student’s official transcript for such late drops.
- **September 25 (Friday)**: Final exam for 1L *Legal Methods* in the morning and for LL.M. *Introduction to American Law* in the early afternoon.
- **October 15**: Last day to withdraw from a Law course without receiving a failing grade. The grade of “W” is recorded for all withdrawals from September 19 through October 15.
- **October 15**: Final deadline for submission of outstanding written work from the 2014-15 academic year. NOTE: Only one incomplete course from 2014-15 may be carried into the Fall 2015 term, and written work must be submitted by October 15. Grades for work submitted by October 15 are due by November 15.
- **October 21**: Conferral of October 2015 degrees
- **November 2**: Deadline for February 2016 degree candidates to file application for degree
- **Mid-November**: Pre-registration for Spring 2016 lottery courses
- **November 26-27**: Thanksgiving Holiday. No Classes
- **December 1**: Deadline for May 2016 degree candidates to file application for degree
- **December 4 (Friday)**: Last day of 1L classes
- **December 11 (Friday)**: Last day of upper-year Law classes
- **December 11-22**: 1L exams
- **December 14**: Last day of classes at other divisions of the University
- **December 14-22**: Upper-year exams
- **December 22**: Last day of Fall 2015 final exam period
- **December 22**: Due date for submission of Fall 2015 written work
- **December 23**: Release of Spring 2016 course schedules
- **December 31**: Deadline for submission of all work for the February 2016 degree