

# *Winter Session 2025-2026*

Online Classes: December 22 – January 9



# *Agenda*

Winter Session 2025-2026

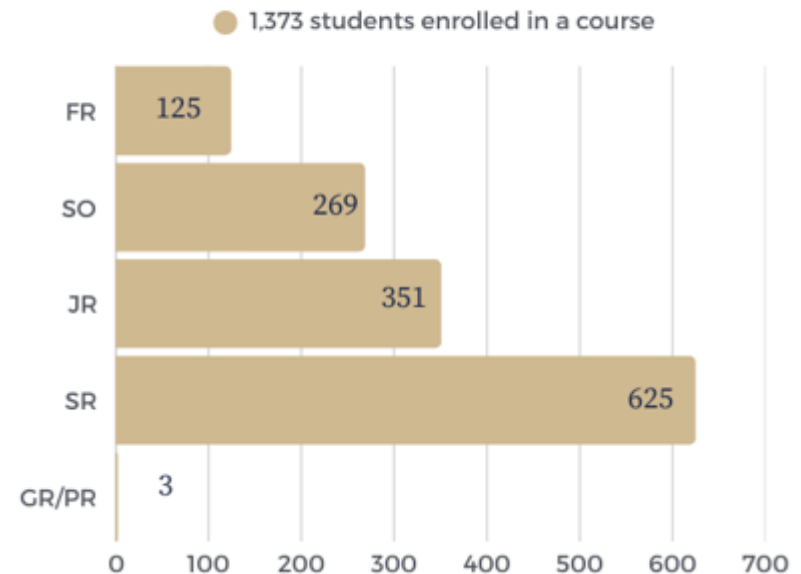
- Welcome and Introductions – John Race
- Overview of Winter Session – Lela Mixon and John Race
- Student Registration – Jennifer Sibray
- Honors H-Ready Courses – Mike Morton
- Financial Aid – Matt Bowers
- Study Abroad – Paula Memmer
- Recap, Contact Info, and Questions – John Race

# *Winter Session is a growing academic offering at Purdue.*

## Data & student registration inform 2025

- **History, 3<sup>rd</sup> Year of Campus Initiative, and Goal**
  - Started during Winter 2023 and has steadily increased in classes and enrollment
  - Course and student data show comparable rigor and student success as other terms
  - Goal: Offer students additional courses for continued academic excellence
- **Reasons students shared for enrolling in a winter course:**
  1. Lighten their spring course load
  2. Complete a prerequisite course
  3. Progress toward their academic goals

### WINTER REGISTRATION BY STUDENT CLASSIFICATION



# *Winter Session shows continued momentum.*

## Student Outcomes

	2023	2024	2025
<b>Online Courses</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>26</b>
Courses Reached Cap	10	19	
Courses Increased Cap	4	9	
Total Capacity	575	1,710	1800
<b>Enrolled Students</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>1,373</b>	<b>1600</b>
Indianapolis and WLF	N/A	50	
Withdrawals	22	32	
<b>Attempted a course</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>1,341</b>	
Students Earned 'A'	340 (63%)	842 (63%)	
Received 'B' or higher	489 (91%)	1242 (93%)	
Passed their course	521 (96%)	1320 (98%)	
<b>Average Course GPA</b>	<b>3.59</b>	<b>3.65</b>	
Total Credits Earned	1,563	3,957	
DFW Rate	31 (5.6%)	54 (3.9%)	

# *Winter Session Overview*

## Winter Session 2025-2026

- Session Dates
  - 3-week Winter Break this year: Saturday, Dec. 20, 2025 – Sunday, Jan. 11, 2026
    - Winter Recess/Campus is closed: December 24 through January 4
  - **Undergrad Online Courses:** Monday, Dec. 22, 2025 to Friday, Jan. 9, 2026
    - Students enrolled at Purdue Indianapolis can register for an online course for Winter Session.
    - IUI and Purdue academic calendars are the same this year.
- Winter Class Types
  - 3-week Undergraduate Asynchronous Online Courses, Study Abroad, and Study Away
    - Undergrad Research and Graduate and Professional classes
  - Undergraduate students can only take one 3-credit course
- Using ***Winter Session*** to stay consistent
  - No longer using Winter Flex or Break or January (J) Term

# ***Course Scheduling and Registration***

Winter Session 2025-2026

- Last Spring: 36 Course Proposals were submitted
  - 26 online classes being offered
    - 20 were selected to be guaranteed and 6 additional courses will run
    - Courses from 4 colleges and 13 departments
    - 2 Honors H-Ready courses
- Summer: Class Schedule Build – July 28 to Aug. 15
- **Tuesday, Sept. 2: Schedule of Courses and Registration Announcement**
  - Students will receive emails from Winter Session starting this week. These will be shared with Advisors.

# ***Course Scheduling and Registration***

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- **Monday, Sept. 8: Registration begins based on student classification**
  - Students will **use Scheduling Assistant and Fall PIN to register** (except for Study Abroad)
  - **Students are encouraged to talk to their Academic Advisor before registering**
  - Time tickets are released incrementally to ensure no system degradation. Time ticket assignment is based on completed/earned credits in myPurdue
  - **Registration is open through the start of classes or until enrollment cap**
  - **No waitlist available for Winter Session**
  - BoilerConnect Alert/Notification - "Summer & Winter Sessions (INFO only)"

# ***BoilerConnect Alert - Message***

## Summer & Winter Sessions (INFO only)

Hello from the Office of Summer and Winter Sessions!

We invite you to explore summer and winter courses, registration information, and FAQs on our website – [www.purdue.edu/thinksummer](http://www.purdue.edu/thinksummer).

For additional questions, please email us at [thinksummer@purdue.edu](mailto:thinksummer@purdue.edu) or [wintersessions@purdue.edu](mailto:wintersessions@purdue.edu).

Thank you,

Office of Summer and Winter Sessions



# *Online Course Schedule*

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**Monday, Dec. 22, 2025 – Friday, Jan. 9, 2026**

- Monday, Dec. 22 - Tuesday, Dec. 23 (2)
  - Wednesday, Dec. 24 - Thursday, Dec. 25: University Holidays, No class
  - Wednesday, Dec. 24 through Sunday, Jan. 4: *Winter Recess Starts; University is closed*
- Friday, Dec. 26 (1)
- Monday, Dec. 29 - Wednesday, Dec. 31 (3)
  - Thursday, Jan. 1, 2026: University Holiday, No class
  - Friday, Jan. 2: President's Designated Holiday, No class
  - Sunday, Jan. 4: *End of Winter Recess*
- Monday, Jan. 5 - Friday, Jan. 9 (5)
- **11 instructional days**, with university holidays not counting as instructional time

# ***Online Course Important Dates***

Winter Session 2025-2026

- **Sunday, Dec. 21: Last day to receive a 100% refund for withdrawing**
  - There is **no Confirmation of Enrollment** like other semesters
  - Students who **register after the term has begun and withdraw** may still be responsible for tuition, as outlined in the refund schedule
- **Monday, Dec. 22: Session Starts; Last day to withdraw without a "W"**
  - Once classes start, students complete the **Withdraw form in myPurdue** to drop class/term
  - The **Office of Dean of Students** will process withdrawals as students would be withdrawing from a term

# ***Online Course Important Dates***

## Winter Session 2025-2026

- **Tuesday, Dec. 23: \*NEW\* H-Ready Courses - Last day to request Honors grade mode for PSY 120 and ENGL 286 – Submit request via Scheduling Assistant**
  - Honors College does not support contacts during Winter Session
  - *Fall Grades due at 5 pm*
- **Wednesday, Dec 24: University Holiday - Academic Advisors will not be working while the university is closed.**
  - All end of semester processing will happen in January
  - Out of Office email template will be shared

# *Online Course Important Dates*

Winter Session 2025-2026

- Wednesday, Dec. 31: **Last day for students can add or change a course with Instructor and Advisor approval on myPurdue via the Scheduling Assistant**
  - While UUA is monitoring during Winter Recess “advisor add approvals” - if the instructor approves, UUA will approve on behalf of advisor.
  - Includes dissolving Honors grade mode and reverting to original grade mode
  - Deadline to change grade mode to Pass/No-Pass Option – Advisors, please note in BoilerConnect if this is elected and allowed for the student’s degree plan.

# ***Online Course Important Dates***

## Winter Session 2025-2026

- Monday, Jan. 5, 2026: Campus Reopens
- Wednesday, Jan. 7, 2026: **Last day to withdraw with a “W”**
- Friday, Jan. 9, 2026: Session Ends
- Monday, Jan. 12, 2026: First day of Spring Semester
- Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2026: **Grades are due by 5 pm ET**

# *Student Questions*

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- No Pre-requisite Report/Check will occur for Spring Administrative Drops after the Winter Session concludes (Withdrawals or Grades)
  - Students will be notified to update their Spring schedule if they drop a pre-requisite course during Winter.
  - The Office of the Registrar will not generate a failed pre-req report or make schedule changes based on Winter Session grades.
- Academic Standing will not change after term
- Graduation status would move to a Spring candidate

# *Student Questions*

Winter Session 2025-2026

- **International Students:** Winter courses DO NOT count toward the full-time enrollment requirement for Fall or Spring semester
- Incoming and visiting students cannot take classes
- No Administrative Drop for not confirming enrollment. **Students must withdraw from their course if they do not intend to take the class.**
- Date TBA: Winter Session Success Workshop for enrolled students

# *Asynchronous Online Course Offerings*

## Winter Session 2025-2026

### Returning Online Guaranteed Classes (12)

- COM 25600 Introduction to Advertising
- EAPS 10500 The Planets
- EAPS 37500 Fossil Fuels, Energy and Society
- ENGL 28600 The Movies
- HIST 15100 American History to 1877
- HIST 35100 The Second World War
- MGMT 21200 Business Accounting
- POL 32700 Global Green Politics
- PSY 12000 Elementary Psychology
- SOC 10000 Introduction to Sociology
- SOC 32400 Criminology
- STAT 30100 Elementary Statistical Methods
  
- **Winter Session Wish List**
- **Minors and Certificates**

### New Online Guaranteed Classes (8)

- AD 25100 History of Photography
- EAPS 32700 Climate, Science & Society
- HK 36800 Exercise Physiology I
- MGMT 23500 Introduction To Organizational Computing
- PHIL 28000 Ethics and Animals
- POL 23700 Modern Weapons and International Relations
- SOC 41900 Sociology Of Law
- STAT 35000 Introduction to Statistics

### Online Non-Guaranteed Classes (6)

- COM 31800 Principles of Persuasion
- HIST 10400 Intro to the Modern World
- *MGMT 304 Introduction To Financial Management*
- *MGMT 310 Financial Management*
- OBHR 33000 Intro to Organizational Behavior
- *PHIL 20800 Ethics Of Data Science*



# ***Student Support***

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## **Academic and Campus Resources Available**

- Academic Success Center
- Disability Resource Center
- Division of Financial Aid
- Mental Health & Wellness
- Office of International Students and Scholars
- Office of the Bursar
- Office of the Dean of Students
- Office of the Registrar
- Purdue IT Support
- Purdue On-Campus Writing Lab (OWL)
- University Residences

## **Limited Campus Services during Winter Recess**

- Ongoing student communication via emails, Brightspace Intelligent Agents, and myPurdue announcement
- The [wintersession@purdue.edu](mailto:wintersession@purdue.edu) email will be monitored

## **Key Campus Partners**

- Marketing and Communication
- TLT Innovative Learning Team/Center for Instructional Excellence
- ***University Undergraduate Academic Advising and Academic Advisors***

# *Student Registration*

Jennifer Sibray



# *Student Registration*

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- Student Registration Begins September 8
  - Students are assigned time tickets and will use Fall pin. Registration will begin with GR/PR students getting the first round followed by UG based on credits earned. Registrar's office will monitor drops
- Resources
  - Purdue Registrar YouTube - <https://www.youtube.com/@purduregistrar>
  - [Registrar@purdue.edu](mailto:Registrar@purdue.edu) (student facing)
  - [Regsupport@purdue.edu](mailto:Regsupport@purdue.edu) (internal) • [Grades@purdue.edu](mailto:Grades@purdue.edu) (internal)

# *Honors H-Ready Courses*

Mike Morton



# *H-Ready Courses*

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- JMHC students can sign up for any section of H-Ready available courses and have a prepared honors module waiting for them because the course.
- No contracts, no GPA requirements. Advisors simply need to make sure the student is in the Honors College.
- Students will:
  - Enroll in an H-Ready course
  - Request “H Grade Mode” through the Registrar’s Office by Dec. 23rd (2nd day of class)
  - Take the honors survey in Brightspace course to open the honors pathway
  - Complete both the regular and the honors coursework
  - Earn honors credit in the course, which will appear on your transcript with an “H”
- Winter Session H-Ready Courses:
  - ENGL 28600: The Movies
  - PSY 12000: Elementary Psychology



# *Financial Aid*

Matt Bowers



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## Winter Session 2025-2026

- Winter Session is attached to Spring for financial aid purposes. 202613 can't be considered a stand-alone term for financial aid
- Students enrolled in Winter Session will have their Spring semester start dates changed to allow for disbursement of aid in December (starting on Friday, December 5), all other students will disburse in January as usual

# *Financial Aid*

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- Boiler Affordability Grant, Boiler Gold Grant, Purdue Promise and 21st Century Scholars, non-Study Abroad courses (Resident Students only)
  - BAG – 70,000 AGI or lower, cover tuition and fees, differentials, and books
  - BGG – 80,000 family AGI or lower, cover tuition and fees, differentials, and books
  - Promise and 21st Century Scholars, meet full need of the student in fall and spring
  - NEW – Winter Session fund being created (TBD). Will be used to maintain the financial aid commitments of the programs listed above and allow for better tracking of additional aid being awarded for Winter Session.
  - Study Abroad Scholarship awarded by Study Abroad



# *Study Abroad*

Paula Memmer



# *Study Abroad*

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College	Course(s)	Credits	Program Title	Country	Dates
AG	ABE 49500	2	<u>India: Food &amp; Agriculture in South India</u>	India	12/27 - 1/7
	ASEC 43110 BTNY 43110	1	<u>Peru International Engagement in Agriculture</u>	Peru	12/29 - 1/9
CLA	JPNS 49000	3	<u>Japan Around New Year's</u>	Japan	12/28 - 1/7
ENG	CE 49700	3	<u>International Perspectives in Water Sciences and Management</u>	India	12/21 - 1/6

# ***Study Abroad***

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## **Application Deadlines**

- Varies by program, typically early October
- Applications accepted on a rolling basis until program is full
- Students are subject to earlier cancellation policies

## **Registration**

- Study Abroad staff will register accepted students

## **Costs for winter session**

- Study Abroad Fee plus program expenses (in lieu of tuition)
- Scholarships available for eligible students:  
[https://www.purdue.edu/gpp/SA/financialresources/sa-office-based/giant\\_leaps\\_summer.html](https://www.purdue.edu/gpp/SA/financialresources/sa-office-based/giant_leaps_summer.html)

# *Contacts*

## Winter Session 2025-2026

- Winter Session – John Race (jrrace)
  - Students: [wintersession@purdue.edu](mailto:wintersession@purdue.edu)
  - Website: [Purdue.edu/thinksummer](http://Purdue.edu/thinksummer) or [Purdue.link/wintersession](http://Purdue.link/wintersession)
- Student Registration – Jennifer Sibray (jperment)
- Honors H-Ready Courses – Mike Morton (morton35)
- Financial Aid – Matt Bowers (msbowers)
- Study Abroad – Paula Memmer (pmemmer1)
- UUAA – On-duty team member (advising@)

# *Questions*

Click "Raise" or type in Chat



# *Upcoming Event*

Winter Session 2025-2026

- Campus Information Fair (Hosted by Faculty Affairs)
  - Purdue Memorial Union, South Ballroom and West Main Lounge, 1st Floor
  - **Monday, August 18 | 1:30–3:00 PM: For Purdue community; faculty and staff**
    - After the New Faculty Orientation session
  - Office of Summer and Winter Sessions will have giveaways
    - Winter handouts and posters for each Advising Center available for pick-up
  - John Martinson Honors College, Study Abroad, and many more

# *Thank you!*

Stay tuned for additional information

Email questions to [jrrace@purdue.edu](mailto:jrrace@purdue.edu)

