The University of Southern Mississippi
GRADUATE SCHOOL Graduation Application Deadlines

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SPRING 2020 GRADUATION APPLICATION		
Deadline		**Fee**
Graduate Graduation Application Period	May 11 - November 1, 2019	Please refer to www.usm.edu/graduate-school
	The Graduate School does not accept any late graduation applications after the deadline.	
Free Commencement Seating Fee	January 22 - March 31, 2020	No Charge
Late Commencement Seating Fee	April 1 - May 1, 2020	$100.00
No seating reservations can be made after May 1, 2020	*Students requesting after May 1 will not be allowed to participate in the May ceremony.*	

SUMMER 2019 GRADUATION APPLICATION		
Deadline		**Fee**
Graduate Graduation Application Period	August 14, 2018 - April 1, 2019	Please refer to www.usm.edu/graduate-school
	The Graduate School does not accept any late graduation applications after the deadline.	
Free Commencement Seating Fee	August 28 - October 31, 2019	No Charge
Late Commencement Seating Fee	November 1 - November 29, 2019	$100.00
No seating reservations can be made after November 29, 2019	*Students requesting after November 29 will not be allowed to participate in the December ceremony.*	

FALL 2019 GRADUATION APPLICATION		
Deadline		**Fee**
Graduate Graduation Application Period	January 1 - July 1, 2019	Please refer to www.usm.edu/graduate-school
	The Graduate School does not accept any late graduation applications after the deadline.	
Free Commencement Seating Fee	August 28 - October 31, 2019	No Charge
Late Commencement Seating Fee	November 1 - November 29, 2019	$100.00
No seating reservations can be made after November 29, 2019	*Students requesting after November 29 will not be allowed to participate in the December ceremony.*	

Students who do not complete graduation requirements during their anticipated graduation term must reapply for graduation.

Reapplication/Deferment requires fee, but is subject to the increased fees and deadlines outlined above for

the new term for which a student is applying to graduate.