Other Important Dates to Remember:

September 24, 2023: Externship Applications due to Handshake

September 28, 2023: Non-Carleton OCS Program Application Deadline (for winter 2024)

October 17, 2023: Carleton-funded Fellowship Application Deadline (for winter break projects only)

October 27, 2023: Writing Portfolios Due for those off cycle

January 18, 2024: Non-Carleton OCS Program Application Deadline (for spring 2024)

February 6, 2024: Carleton-funded Fellowship Application Deadline (for summer or winter break projects)

February 16, 2024: Writing Portfolios Due for those on spring term OCS programs

March 2024 (exact date to be determined): Applications for Kolenkow-Reitz research funding are due

March 31 through April 7, 2024: Declaration of Major

April 11, 2024: Non-Carleton OCS Program Application Deadline (for summer and fall 2024)

April 16, 2024: Carleton-funded Fellowship Application Deadline (for summer or winter break projects)

April 18, 2024: Major Declaration part of the Student Ambassador Program in Great Hall late afternoon

May 10, 2024: Writing Portfolios Due
Fall Term ‘23

Thursday, October 5
Sophomorphosis Kickoff Banquet
5:30 p.m. • Great Hall
To kick off the many activities planned especially for you during your sophomore year, we would like to invite you to a Sophomore Banquet. Come enjoy good food, great conversation with representatives from various offices, and win some fun prizes! (RSVP was required by September 21)

Monday, October 9
Preparing for the Sophomore Writing Portfolio
6:00–7:00 p.m. • Leighton 304
Learn about resources online designed to help you assemble successful portfolios. George Cusack, Director of Writing Across the Curriculum, will be on hand to field your questions.

Tuesday, October 10
Pre-Health Information Session
12:00-1:00 p.m. • Anderson 323
If you are considering attending medical, dental, or other health professions school, this session will cover “next steps” and answer questions about the process.

Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about OCS, (but were afraid to ask) 5:00–6:00 p.m. • Leighton 305
Come learn about off-campus study options at Carleton, get a head-start on OCS planning and using OCS resources, and learn about Carleton and non-Carleton programs. You will be able to ask questions and even sign up for an individual appointment with an OCS adviser!

Thursday, Oct. 12
 Majors and Minors Fair
6:30-8:00 p.m. • Great Hall
Wondering what to major in? Confused about different interdisciplinary programs? Everything you need to know is here. Student department reps and others will answer your questions about majors, minors and special programs (e.g., pre-med).

Wednesday, Oct. 25
Summer Opportunities Information Session
5:00-6:00 p.m. • WCC236
Representatives from the Career Center, CCCE, Chaplain’s Office, and Office of Student Fellowship will provide information about the many funded summer opportunities available to Carleton students, explain the application processes, and answer your questions.

Winter Term ‘24

Thursday, Jan. 4
Fellowship Information Session
12:00-1:00 p.m. • Leighton 304
Many fellowship opportunities are available to Carleton students. Some fund research, experiential learning, or other special projects, and are offered through Carleton’s Office of Student Fellowships or other offices on campus. Some are competitive opportunities sponsored by outside organizations and open to students from other colleges and universities. Carleton’s Director of Student Fellowships, Marynel Ryan Van Zee, will describe the various fellowships you can apply for (now or later), explain what it takes to be a competitive candidate, and answer questions.

Tuesday, Jan. 9
Undergraduate Research at Carleton: An Introduction
12:00-1:00 p.m. • LDC 345
Carleton students have many opportunities to participate in research, in a wide variety of subject areas. In this session we’ll talk about what undergraduate research is, what opportunities exist at Carleton and elsewhere, and how you can get involved. There will also be time for questions.

Wednesday, Jan. 10
Fellowship Information Session
5:00-6:00 p.m. • Leighton 304
(Same description as Thursday, January 4)

Thursday, Jan. 18
OCS World’s Fair
11:30-1:00 p.m. • Great Hall
Come learn about hundreds of off-campus study programs available to Carleton students. Grab program brochures & flyers, get your questions answered by faculty, student returnees, and OCS staff members.

Saturday, Jan. 20
Sophomore Summit
12:00-6:00 p.m. • Anderson Hall
Designed to introduce sophomore students to the career skills that will set them apart in an ever-changing world of work and to begin building their personal and professional networks with Carleton alumni from a variety of backgrounds, industries, and majors.

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