

**Bachelor of Medical Science (BMedSc)
Academic Calendar
Intake 12/2011**

FINAL

Week	Date	Activity
	22 August 2011	Registration (Briefing at 2pm@Senate Room by Dean of Postgraduate)
STAGE 1 Week 1 – 3	22 Aug – 16 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction • Assigning Supervisor (Internal) and Co-supervisors (Internal/External) • Literature search and writing up of protocol • Initiation into Laboratory Research and Safety Research Methodology (lectures & exercise) • <i>Hari Raya Break (27 Aug – 4 Sept)</i>
Week 4 – 7	19 Sept – 14 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence by student of research protocol to the BMedSc Committee – 21 Sept 2011 (Wednesday) • Statistical Methods and Use of Statistical Packages Assessment • Planning and Conduct of Research • Role of IT in Research • Medico-legal issues, rules and regulations governing research • Effective Communication
Week 8	17 – 21 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBL 1 – “Ethical Issues” by Professor Mak Joon Wah
Week 9	24 – 28 Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBL 2 – “Design of Questionnaire” by Dr Nagaraja Lee
Week 10	31 Oct – 4 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBL 3 – “Use of Appropriate Technology” by Prof Mak Joon Wah
Week 11	8 – 11 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBL 4 – “Investigation of Infectious Diseases Outbreak” by Professor Mak Joon Wah
Week 12	14 – 18 Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBL 5 – “Use of Evidence-based Medicine in the Modern Management of Diabetes” by Dr. Taufiq Teng
Week 13 - 24	21 Nov 2011 – 24 Feb 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuation of Research • <i>Chinese New Year Break (21 – 29 Jan 2012)</i>
Week 25	27 Feb – 2 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inter Semester Break
STAGE 2 Week 26-27	5 – 16 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuation of Research • Written Exam – 14 March 2012 (Wednesday)
Week 28 - 32	19 - 30 Mar 2 - 20 Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical Attachment at IMU Clinical School, Seremban • Writing up dissertation
Week 33	23 - 27 Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of research findings in a seminar – 25 April 2012 (Wednesday)
Week 34 – 36	30 Apr – 18 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing up dissertation
Week 37	21 – 25 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submission of dissertation to Academic Affairs Department • Deadline of submission – 22 May 2012 (5pm) • Submit to external examiners – 23 May 2012
Week 38-39	28 May – 8 Jun	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment of dissertation by Assessors appointed by the Senate
Week 40	11 - 15 Jun	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VIVA – 13 June 2012 (Wednesday)
Week 41 – 43	18 Jun – 6 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submission of revised dissertation – 5 July 2012 (5pm) (hard bound – 3 copies & 1 softcopy on CD)