JANUARY: Call, write, or email your friends and relatives and let them know your Hooding Ceremony will take place on Saturday, May 13, 2017, at the Northern Kentucky Convention Center.

JANUARY-APRIL: Attend classes regularly.

JANUARY 23: Mandatory 3L graduation meeting (Monday).

JANUARY 24: Last day to drop or add a limited enrollment class AND the last day to make changes through on-line registration (11:59pm).

JANUARY 26: Last day to register for the Saturday, March 18, MPRE ($95). February 2 is the LATE registration deadline ($190).

JANUARY 31: Last day to drop or add a class – changes must be made through the Registrar's office by 4:00pm and cannot be made online. Be sure the courses you are enrolled in for this semester enable you to meet the J.D. Graduation Requirements. (copy included in packet AND on the COL website)

FEBRUARY 10: You may begin ordering your regalia ONLINE. Personalized graduation announcements are also available for purchase.

FEBRUARY: If you have grades of Incomplete remaining from a previous semester, speak to your professor and make arrangements to finish the work by the end of the semester. Unfinished Incompletes will convert to an “F” (no credit is awarded) and the “F” is included in your GPA calculation.

MARCH 10: DEADLINE to order your Regalia and Announcements.

MARCH: Prepare your Application to Take the July Bar Exam. (This is an update to your previously-submitted Application to be a Candidate to Take the Bar Exam.)

MARCH 18: Last MPRE given before the Bar Exam: Test center choices for applicants cannot be guaranteed. Applicants should be aware that travel to another city or state may be required.

MARCH 28 - 29: The Registrar will accept and send applications (via UPS) to take the Ohio Bar Exam – $5 fee. The absolute deadline for this service is 2:00pm on 3/29. Important Note: The Bar Application requires a Law School Character Certificate. This will be processed automatically. If you are mailing the application yourself, you must pick up the Certificate and include it with your completed application to take the Exam.

APRIL 3: Application to take the Ohio Bar Exam must be received by the Ohio Supreme Court.

APRIL 7: Hooding Auction

APRIL 7: Deadline for telling Cheryl DelVecchio (in writing) you will not be participating in the Graduation Ceremony.

MAY 13: Graduation Ceremony

JULY 25, 26, & 27: Ohio Bar Examination