The UMASS BOSTON Advantage

17,030 students on campus

12,950 undergraduates

28 average class size
WHY UMASS BOSTON?

- Boston is the #1 student city in the U.S. and #13 in the world (QS University Rankings, 2016)
- UMass Boston’s MBA program ranked #41, according to QS TopMBA, 2015
- Top 100 universities for Life Sciences (Times Higher Education, 2015)
- Undergraduate Business Management is ranked Tier 1, #156 (U.S. News & World Report, 2016)
- The UMass Boston campus is among the most ethnically, culturally and socially diverse university campuses in New England.
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With UMass Boston you will start your studies within the prestigious University of Massachusetts system, located in the education capital of the world, Boston. UMass Boston combines a small-college experience with the vast resources of a public research university.
A vibrant, thriving city found at the very forefront of American history and also the destination of choice for over 325,000 undergraduate and graduate students from around the world.

- walk the Freedom Trail, Boston’s two-and-a-half mile journey through history
- visit Harvard University or M.I.T. in Cambridge, just across the river from downtown Boston
- shop at Quincy Market at Fanueil Hall in downtown Boston
- watch a Red Sox baseball game at Fenway Park, catch a Bruins hockey game, see the Patriots play football or sit courtside at a Celtics basketball game
- taste delicious traditional Chinese food in Boston’s Chinatown, one of America’s largest Chinese neighborhoods
BOSTON
America’s education city

Destination: Boston

Population: 656,000
State: Massachusetts
Currency: U.S. Dollar (US$)
Time zone: Eastern Standard Time (UTC/GMT -5 hours)
Electricity: 120V
BOSTON
A city for all seasons

- Boston experiences four distinct seasons: spring, summer, fall and winter.
- In the summer, enjoy beautiful beaches, sailing, kayaking, hiking in the mountains and cycling in the parks.
- In the winter, enjoy ice skating, skiing and snowboarding all within an hour’s drive.
“I think the USA provides the best knowledge in business, and I really liked UMass Boston out of all the USA school options.”

MAKSIM ZHUKOV, Russia

UPP: MANAGEMENT

FROM HOT TO COLD...
and everything in between

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Getting around

- Boston is home to the oldest subway system in America. UMass Boston students can get discounted transit passes and can take a free shuttle bus to and from a major subway station near campus. Buses also stop right on campus.
- Many students also walk or bike to campus and around town.
- You can also take a train down to New York City (3.5 hours), Philadelphia (5 hours) or Washington D.C. (7 hours) for the weekend.
Part of the prestigious University of Massachusetts system, University of Massachusetts Boston is a research university offering students a high quality and affordable education in the heart of America’s education capital.

UMass Boston offers 150 undergraduate and graduate degrees throughout 11 colleges.

Full “American campus life” experience
- UMass Boston boasts new superb facilities, student services and clubs/sports activities.
- 100+ student organizations, leadership groups, ethnic and cultural clubs
- With over 17,000 students from all corners of the globe, UMass Boston hosts one of the most ethnically and socially diverse student populations in New England.
- With a 16:1 student-to-faculty ratio, students easily interact with professors because most teaching occurs in small class sizes.

INTEGRATED AND MULTICULTURAL
International students make up a significant part of the UMass Boston community, arriving on campus from across the globe. Many feel inspired and comfortable living and studying in the cosmopolitan atmosphere of Boston.
UMASS BOSTON
Where a great education comes at a great value and where you will connect with students, professors and ideas from around the world.

“I am pleased to welcome students to the University of Massachusetts Boston, the public research university located in one of the most renowned university cities in the world. We pride ourselves on the diversity of our students, faculty and staff, and the rich educational environment that is fostered by this mix.

With a focus on interdisciplinary research and the global environment, the university also gives students opportunities to study and engage in research with leading scholars in a setting that encourages close student–faculty interaction.

I am sure that you will find the University of Massachusetts Boston an exciting and stimulating place of study. I am pleased to welcome you to our campus community, and I wish you a successful and enjoyable academic career.”

WINSTON LANGLEY, PHD
Provost and Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs
University of Massachusetts Boston
Recognized for innovative research, Boston’s public research university offers its diverse student population both an intimate learning environment and the rich experience of a great American city.

Undergraduate and graduate research opportunities
UMass Boston provides students with the opportunity to conduct research during their undergraduate and graduate studies. Students may apply for research and internship opportunities, pursue funding for student research and compete for research grants.

Leading research institutes and centers
More than 50 interdisciplinary research institutes and centers at UMass Boston bring faculty and students together to pursue research, teaching and service on diverse topics.

UMass Boston’s prestigious research partners include the Dana-Farber/ Harvard Cancer Center, IBM, Sanofi, Genzyme, New England Aquarium and the Boston Public Schools.

The Integrated Science Complex, which opened in Spring 2015, features:
- research lab and support space (for biology, chemistry, environmental sciences, physics and psychology)
- introductory biology teaching laboratories
- interdisciplinary sandbox teaching lab
- infant cognition lab
- a new research center—the Center for Personalized Cancer Therapy
TOP EMPLOYERS

UMass Boston graduates are in high demand with the nation’s top employers including:

- Apple
- Bank of America
- Boston Scientific
- Cisco
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- Deloitte
- Fidelity Investments
- Google
- IBM
- John Hancock Financial Services
- Massachusetts General Hospital
- Microsoft
- Oracle
- State Street

36% HIGHER

Salaries in Boston are 36% higher than the U.S. average.*

Boston: the hub of INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY

- Boston is a worldwide hub for innovation and technology. In fact, the modern telephone, Internet, Dropbox and even Facebook were invented by Bostonians.
- Massachusetts receives the most venture capital funding per capita in the U.S.†

Internships and co-ops

Students interested in gaining real-world work experience should pursue an internship or co-op during their studies at UMass Boston. Internships are usually part-time with flexible hours and typically last one semester. Co-ops are full-time paid positions that are directly related to your field of study. Co-ops generally last for six months to a year and will offer substantive professional work experience.

Entrepreneurial Fellows Program

As an Entrepreneurial Fellow, you’ll be one of a select group of students to join the Venture Development Center, where you will be mentored by esteemed entrepreneurs, make valuable connections and build practical experience through a paid summer internship at a top-tier startup company. Whether you aspire to eventually start your own company or be a member of the leadership team of another, you’ll get there faster by being a fellow.

Optional Practical Training

The U.S. government’s Optional Practical Training (OPT) program offers international graduates with a degree in a STEM discipline (science, technology, engineering or math) the opportunity to stay and work in the U.S. for up to three years. Participating in the OPT program gives graduates a significant advantage when searching for permanent employment in the U.S. and abroad.

YOUR PATHWAY
to UMass Boston

From the day you arrive on campus, you are a UMass Boston student. Simply put, Navitas provides the academic and cultural “soft landing” to help you acclimate to a new education system and to a new city.

The Undergraduate Pathway Program (UPP) is the first year of a UMass Boston bachelor’s degree program. All credit courses are UMass Boston first-year degree courses, taught by UMass Boston faculty.

Upon successful completion of the UPP program, you will progress to Year 2 of your degree program, receiving full credit towards your undergraduate degree. Students in the UPP program are UMass Boston students from day one.

The Pre-Master’s Program (PMP) prepares students for graduate degree courses and programs. Subject to meeting university requirements, students can commence their graduate coursework during the PMP.

**Flexible admission**
- three intakes per year with the option to begin in September, January or May
- all applicants screened and responded to within 24-48 hours
- no SAT/ACT and no personal statement required for UPP admission
- no GRE or GMAT for PMP admission
- I-20 for up to five years; no reapplication and no transfer after Year 1

**Undergraduate pathway**

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Our mission is to support your academic success and assist you with all the facets of transitioning into studying at UMass Boston, and experiencing American life in one of the greatest cities in the world.

KRISTOF ZABA
Executive Director
Navitas at UMass Boston

English skills, math skills and academic writing support
Navitas at UMass Boston offers support courses to help improve students’ skills in English grammar, critical reading, academic writing, effective listening, discussions and note-taking. Additionally, Navitas offers regularly scheduled math support tutorials to provide assistance with math studies in a structured learning environment.

Counseling and guidance
Adjusting to a new environment can be a stressful experience for some students. Navitas at UMass Boston staff will provide students with individual attention and personal support with academic, social and personal life. Students also have access to the medical and counseling services at UMass Boston.

Integrated Learning Skills
The Integrated Learning Skills course provides students with the necessary skills to succeed in university studies and to help students adjust to the university and surrounding community. This course is compulsory for all UPP students.

Pre-Master’s Program seminar
Adjusting to the rigors of graduate-level expectations and study can be challenging. The Navitas Pre-Master’s Program tutorial provides students with additional hours of assistance in preparation for success within master’s degree programs at UMass Boston.
About the program
The UPP is equivalent to the first year of a bachelor’s degree. The UPP consists of academic for-credit courses and skill-development courses and provides a bridge from your high school experience to studying for a university degree in the United States. Upon successful completion of the UPP, you will move directly into the second year of your chosen undergraduate degree program.

Program coursework
Program offerings in business, computer science, engineering, arts, social sciences and science include coursework that builds study skills coupled with university courses. Students who complete the UPP will earn 30 credits toward their bachelor’s degree at UMass Boston.*

Program duration
Students may complete the UPP in two, three or four semesters, depending on their academic and English language entry requirements (refer to table on following page). All incoming students will be required to take English and mathematics placement tests to determine their initial schedule.

To meet the needs of academically advanced students, a 2 Semester UPP has been developed to help students quickly progress through year one, while offering the same support and benefits as the 3 Semester UPP.

* Students who complete the 2 Semester UPP will earn 27 credits.

I love having the chance to meet people from all over the world! Adjusting to a new country may be difficult, but don’t be afraid to venture out of your comfort zone and socialize with people. Take advantage of everything Navitas at UMass Boston has to offer. It’s worth it!”

KARIN NOVELIA, Malaysia
UPP: LIBERAL ARTS (COMMUNICATIONS)

ESL
The ESL program is designed to help you improve your English language proficiency and prepare you for entry into the UPP 3 Semester program. Classes are five days a week for a total of 20 hours.

Study plan options

UPP: 2 SEMESTERS (IELTS 6.0 / TOEFL 75)

UPP: 3 SEMESTERS - 1 YEAR (IELTS 5.5 / TOEFL 69)

UPP: 3 SEMESTERS WITH ACADEMIC ENGLISH - 1 YEAR (IELTS 5.0 / TOEFL 59)

ESL + UPP: 4 SEMESTERS (IELTS 4.5 / TOEFL 49)

Please refer to page 15 for academic and English language entry requirements for each study plan option.
Minimum entry criteria for undergraduate programs

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* See page 20-21 for equivalent academic entry requirements for different countries. † The minimum GPA for Computer Engineering and Electrical Engineering is 2.75. Students must also attain at least a B grade in a calculus course.

Navitas at UMass Boston regularly reviews its English language and academic entry requirements. This information is correct at the time of printing; however, if there are any changes to these requirements they will be updated at umb.navitas.com. Students requiring additional language support will be required to complete an academic English course.

Honors College track

UMass Boston’s Honors College presents a great opportunity for academically ambitious and motivated students. In the Honors College, students will take 18-21 credits, which meet general admission requirements for degree completion. Navitas applicants should earn a cumulative 3.7 Grade Point Average (GPA) or equivalent in high school, or have minimum of 3.4 GPA and no grades lower than B upon completion of their first semester at UMass Boston to be considered for the Honors College.

Honors College benefits

- close contact with outstanding honors faculty researchers, scholars, and teachers
- the opportunity to study alongside academically committed peers
- priority course registration every semester
- unique academic and social Honors College events
- special recognition at graduation
- practical as well as theoretical learning that complements every major
- hands-on research and scholarly activities

“The Navitas staff offer students so much support during their first year. The staff are really looking after the students to make sure they succeed. They provide students with extra tutoring and help the students with anything they really need to excel in their courses.”

NECMETTEN TURK, Turkey
UPP: MANAGEMENT (FINANCE)
**UNDERGRADUATE PATHWAY PROGRAM (UPP): MANAGEMENT**

**Semester start dates** — Spring: January 2017 | Summer: May 2017 | Fall: September 2017

**Duration** — Two* or three semesters

**UPP academic requirements** — Refer to pages 22-23 for country specific requirements

**UPP language requirements** — Refer to page 17 for English language requirements

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**Total program credits** 27-30

**Program information**

Students in the UPP will take major courses as well as non-major general education courses which are required for graduation.

UPP sample course list:
- AMST 101 American Popular Culture (Credits: 3)
- CS 110 Introduction to Computing (Credits: 4)
- ESL 100D Academic Writing II (Credits: 4)
- HIST 214 World History (Credits: 3)
- HIST 266 American History since 1877 (Credits: 3)
- PHIL 108 Moral and Social Problems (Credits: 3)
- POLISCI 113G Issues of Political Identity at the Turn of the Century (Credits: 4)
- SOCIOL 101 Introduction to Sociology (Credits: 3)
- SOCIOL 120G Sociology of Popular Culture (Credits: 4)

**Progression requirements**
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Minimum 27-30 credits (10 course modules) earned during UPP
- 27 credits = 9 courses
- 30 credits = 10 courses

**UMass Boston College of Management undergraduate degree programs**

Bachelor of Science in Management - concentrations:
- Accounting
- Finance
- Information Technology - a joint major with the College of Science and Mathematics
- International Management
- Leadership & Organizational Change
- Entrepreneurship
- Management Information Systems
- Supply Chain and Service Management

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*For a sample 2 Semester course chart, please visit umb.navitas.com. † Please note that course timetables per semester vary for each student depending on math/writing placement scores, space availability and changes in course offerings. UPP students take courses not only for their major, but also will fulfill non-major general education courses that are required for graduation from UMass Boston while in the UPP program.
## UNDERGRADUATE PATHWAY PROGRAM (UPP): SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

**Semester start dates** — Spring: January 2017 | Summer: May 2017 | Fall: September 2017

**Duration** — Two* or three semesters

**UPP academic requirements** — Refer to pages 22-23 for country specific requirements

**UPP language requirements** — Refer to page 17 for English language requirements

### UPP program components

Up to 118 credit hours less 27-32 credit hours applied from UPP = 88 credit hours to complete degree

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- MATH 130 Pre-Calculus (Credits: 3)
- PHIL 108 Moral and Social Problems (Credits: 3)
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Progression requirements:
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
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### UMass Boston Bachelor of Science/Arts in Science and Mathematics

- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Electrical Engineering
- Engineering Physics
- Environmental Sciences
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Select majors*

### UMass Boston Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

- Information Technology

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‡ Some majors will only be available at certain times of the year and then only if there are enough students enrolled.

### Employment and career options

Computer programming, computer systems analysis, computer systems designer, database administration and design, mathematics, physics, science, teaching, technical specializations.
UNDERGRADUATE PATHWAY PROGRAM (UPP):
LIBERAL ARTS

Semester start dates — Spring: January 2017 | Summer: May 2017 | Fall: September 2017
Duration — Two* or three semesters
UPP academic requirements — Refer to pages 22-23 for country specific requirements
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Total program credits 27-30

Program information

Students in the UPP will take major courses as well as non-major general education courses which are required for graduation.

UPP sample course list:
- ESL 100 Academic Writing II (Credits: 4)
- ECON 102 Introduction to Macroeconomics (Credits: 3)
- EEOS 101 The Global Environment (Credits: 3)
- HIST 214 World History (Credits: 3)
- MATH 129 Pre-Calculus for Management and Social Sciences (Credits: 3)
- PHIL 108 Moral and Social Problems (Credits: 3)
- POLSCI 113G Issues of Political Identity at the Turn of the Century (Credits: 4)
- SOCIOL 120G Sociology of Popular Culture (Credits: 4)

Progression requirements:
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Minimum 27-30 credits earned during UPP
- 27 credits = 9 courses
- 30 credits = 10 courses

UMass Boston College of Liberal Arts undergraduate degree programs
- Africana Studies
- American Studies
- Anthropology
- Archaeology and History
- Art
- Asian Studies
- Classical Languages
- Classical Studies
- Communication
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Economics
- English
- Ethics, Social and Political Philosophy
- French
- History
- Italian
- Labor Studies
- Latin American and Iberian Studies
- Music
- Philosophy
- Philosophy and Public Policy
- Political Science
- Psychology (BA)/(BS)
- Social Psychology
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Theatre Arts
- Women’s and Gender Studies

* For a sample 2 Semester course chart, please visit umb.navitas.com. † Please note that course timetables per semester vary for each student depending on math/writing placement scores, space availability and changes in course offerings. UPP students take courses not only for their major, but also will fulfill non-major general education courses that are required for graduation from UMass Boston while in the UPP program.
Over the next few years, UMass Boston will see more than US$750 million in new facilities and infrastructure construction.

“I knew Boston was a gathering place for the world’s top universities and a lot of educational resources can be shared.”

CHARLENE KUANG, China
UPP: 3 SEMESTERS WITH ACADEMIC ENGLISH
## UPP: Country specific ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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**Other accepted qualifications**

- **International Baccalaureate**: Completion with an overall 22 or an IB Score 3.5
- **GCE – O and A Levels**
  - O Levels – Completion with an D or 7 in a minimum 5 subjects
  - A Levels – Completion with an average of E grade (additional completion of high school equivalency)

Note: Meeting the minimum application entry requirements does not guarantee admission. Your complete application will be reviewed to determine if you qualify for one of the Navitas pathways at UMass Boston. This information is a guide only. It is correct at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice. Navitas reserves the right to request additional documentation, if necessary. For countries not listed, please contact admissionsUMB@navitas.com.

“When you are all the way across the Atlantic, maximize your chances of making friends by meeting people from different cultures.”

PO-YU HUANG, Taiwan

UPP: LIBERAL ARTS (HISTORY)
The PMP prepares students for graduate degree coursework and programs.

The PMP is a two-semester program designed for students who have completed a bachelor’s degree, but need additional academic and/or English support to gain entry to a master’s degree program. No GMAT or GRE is needed to apply.

Upon successful completion of the PMP, students will progress directly into their full master’s degree program, continuing full credit towards his/her graduate degree. This allows the students to finish the master’s degree within 2–2.5 years (dependent on graduate degree program). PMP courses have been carefully chosen to ensure that you develop the necessary skills to succeed in your master’s degree program:

- Navigating the Graduate Student Pathway
- Introduction to Graduate Research
- Academic Communication for Graduate Students
- Intercultural Issues for Graduate Students

**Intakes**

January, May and September

**Duration**

Two semesters (3-12 credits, depending on program)

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* Requirements may vary by program.
† MBA/Management programs require GMAT score of 520 or higher in order to progress to a master’s degree program.

**Required documents for PMP admission**

Email the following documents to admissionsUMB@navitas.com:

- Completed UMass Boston application
- IELTS or TOEFL scores
- Statement of purpose*
- Three letters of recommendation*
- Résumé*
- Bank statement showing US$48,000
- Declaration and Certification of Finances form
- Copies of academic undergraduate transcripts and diploma

Copies must be stamped by agency stamp or certified by a notary public. They do not have to be originals.
The MBA program at UMass Boston combines a focused management curriculum and allows students to customize their experience by completing one or more of 14 specializations.

Small classes are typically taught by full-time, academically and professionally qualified faculty. The classes use real-world projects and simulations to connect classroom learning to practical experience and create a thoroughly inclusive classroom environment.

Pre-Master’s Program (PMP): MBA

The UMass Boston MBA program is ranked #41 in North America* and #47 for Information Management.†

* QS TopMBA, 2015
† QS TopMBA, 2014

Semester start dates — Spring: January 2017 | Summer: May 2017 | Fall: September 2017

Duration — Two semesters

Academic/language requirements — See page 24

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Program Information

Progression requirements: 520 GMAT; B in all classes and cumulative GPA of 3.0

Second semester courses in the College of Management may include:
- Business and its Environment (MBA ACM 660)
- Economics for Managers (MBA ACM 601)

PMP credit hours applied to degree: 3-9 credit hours (1-3 credit courses)

Remaining credit hours to complete degree program: 33-48 credit hours. Number of required credits to complete graduate degree is based on prior academic coursework.

Please note: Number of PMP credits applied to degree is subject to evaluation by the Graduate Program Department.

Courses and programs are subject to change without notice. For the most up-to-date course information, please visit umb.navitas.com.

UMass Boston College of Management

- Master of Business Administration (MBA)

*Payscale.com, 2016

The average starting salary for UMass Boston MBA graduates is US$71,900.

*Payscale.com, 2016

US$ 71,900

Average starting salary for UMass Boston MBA graduates*
During your PMP semesters, you will take four Navitas courses plus UMass Boston graduate courses to prepare you for your master’s program.
As one of the major centers of industry and innovation in the U.S., Boston gains you access to some of the most cutting-edge companies and organizations around.

PRE-MASTER’S PROGRAM (PMP):
SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

The College of Science and Mathematics delivers enhanced instruction, improves student success and its undergraduate and graduate programs offer abundant opportunities to participate in independent, productive research.

**Semester start dates** — Spring: January 2017 | Summer: May 2017 | Fall: September 2017

**Duration** — Two semesters

**Academic/language requirements** — See page 24

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### Program information

**Computer Science, MS†**
Additional credit bearing courses in the College of Science and Math may include:
- Introduction to the Theory of Computation (CS 420)
- User Interface Design (CS 615)

Remaining credit hours to complete degree program: 24-30 credit hours

**Applied Physics, MS†**
PMP program components on left apply to Computer Science, MS degree. Credit course offerings for Applied Physics vary per semester.

### UMass Boston College of Science and Mathematics

- Computer Science, MS
- Applied Physics, MS

* Subject to change as per academic department. † Progression requirements: B in all classes, 3.0 GPA minimum. Number of credit hours applied to degree and remaining credit hours to complete degree program will be determined by Graduate Program Department. For the most up-to-date course information, please visit umb.navitas.com/programs/pmp-science.
The McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies trains the next generation of local and global leaders.

**PRE-MASTER’S PROGRAM (PMP): POLICY AND GLOBAL STUDIES**

With an emphasis on social justice, government accountability and transparency, strengthening democratic institutions and sustainable policies for people and planet, the McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies trains the next generation of local and global leaders in conflict resolution, global governance and human security, international relations, public administration and public policy.

**Semester start dates** — Fall: September 2017

**Duration** — Two semesters

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With students from over 150 countries at UMass Boston, studying here enables me to meet with so many different people from so many different cultures and backgrounds around the world.

AAYUSH CHOUDHARY, India
PMP: SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

Get involved!
The best way to enhance your experience here is by getting involved! Students who participate on campus have a higher success rate in their classes, make more friends and have a better time integrating and adjusting to life in Boston.

Activities and leadership
Join one of 100+ Recognized Student Organizations (RSOs) on campus. RSOs are clubs and organizations funded by university fees for students to take advantage. Have a particular interest or hobby that isn’t on the list? Feel free to start your own club!

Current clubs, organizations and centers include:
- Asian Student Center
- Black Student Center
- Business and Marketing Club
- CASA Latina
- Desi Student Association
- Information Technology Club
- Graduate Student Assembly
- Khmer Culture Association
- Korean Student Association
- Queer Student Center
- Pakistani Students Association
- Russian Student Association
- Vietnamese Students Association

Other groups to join include the Office of Student Leadership and Community Engagement and the Interfaith Campus Ministry.

Visit umb.edu/life_on_campus to learn about the many activities on the UMass Boston campus.
As a Navitas at UMass Boston student, you have many opportunities to grow and develop new leadership skills.

Student Arts and Events Council (SAEC)
The SAEC is your one-stop shop for finding things to do outside of the classroom. Navitas students can take full advantage of discounted tickets to major events and sites of interest around Boston. Previous engagements have included:
- concerts and shows like Kanye West, Common, Flo Rida, Cirque du Soleil, comedians and many others
- movie passes and museum passes
- sports tickets to see the Boston Red Sox, Boston Bruins, Boston Celtics and the New England Revolution
- operas, musicals, plays and ballet

Navitas Navigators
As a Navitas student, you have many opportunities to grow and develop new leadership skills. Each semester, Navitas seeks Navigators (student orientation leaders) to guide new students during their first week at Navitas. Navigators attend a two-day leadership workshop to enhance their leadership capabilities.

Navitas Ambassadors
Students with a high GPA and continual involvement in Navitas events may apply to be a Navitas Ambassador, which is a unique group of high-achieving students dedicated to organizing events, presenting at orientation, training Navigators and setting an example for other Navitas students. Ambassadors receive a monthly training workshop in leadership skills including: presenting skills, business communication methods, cross-cultural sensitivity and communication, presenting student experience on your resume/cover letter, etc. This is a great supplement to any internship.

Navitas special events
Navitas organizes events and activities each semester to help students get to know U.S. culture, the city of Boston and each other. Events are held both on and off campus, and appeal to the many different interests of our diverse student population. Some past events have included:
- sporting events – Boston Red Sox, Boston Celtics, etc.
- whale watching
- ice skating on Frog Pond
- Navitas Soccer Tournament
- FIFA PlayStation4 soccer tournament
- Navitas Talent Show
- New York City overnight trip
Facilities and student services

UMass Boston Campus Center
The “living room” of the university, the Campus Center hosts most of the social, cultural and recreational events at the university. Many highlights of Campus Center include:
- stunning views of Boston Harbor
- the Game Room – complete with video games, large TVs, billiards and popcorn, the Game Room is an excellent break room for after class relaxation and fun
- bookstore
- ATMs
- food court and dining services
- pick up your student ID, insurance card, MBTA passes and discount tickets to events
- student clubs, organizations, events and activities
- Navitas Student Services is located on the 2nd Floor in Suite 2100

Dining
Students enjoy a selection of eateries and cafés located across campus, including:
- the Campus Center Food Court
- Jazzman’s Café at Healey Library
- Atrium Café in the Campus Center
- Starbucks in the new University Hall
Visit umb.edu/campus_center/services/dining to learn more about UMass Boston’s many dining options.

Fitness
Free to all students, the Beacon Fitness Center offers a friendly, healthy environment for everybody from the beginning exerciser to the well-conditioned athlete.
- fully-functioning weight room with a variety of machines, treadmills and free weights
- group exercise classes
- fitness assessments and personal training
- waterfront recreation (free sailing courses, free boat rentals, kayaking, standup paddle boards)
- open gym (basketball, volleyball, badminton)
- Olympic-size swimming pool
- ice rink
Interested in playing a sport? Each semester, the university organizes free team and individual sports for students of all levels, including:
- soccer
- badminton
- basketball
- volleyball
- flag football
- billiards
Visit umb.edu/athletics/fitness_recreation to learn more about UMass Boston’s many fitness and intramural sports opportunities.

As a Navitas at UMass Boston student you will have access to all facilities and services on the UMass Boston campus, which will enhance your learning experience.
It is in your best interest to begin arranging accommodations as early as possible, as Boston is a student-oriented city and housing will fill up quickly.

All students should have housing arranged before they arrive in the United States. Applications can be time consuming, but the Navitas staff are happy to help you every step of the way.

Homestay
Homestays provide international students with comfortable housing with an American family at an affordable price. Locations are always in safe urban and suburban neighborhoods in and around Boston. Homestays are the recommended choice for students. Benefits of staying in a homestay include:

- Flexibility: students can stay as long or as little as they want, with a minimum of two weeks stay.
- Affordability: approximately US$400 a week provides a private room with a private bathroom (where available) furniture, laundry, internet and two meals a day.
- Cultural immersion: students will be able to practice their English and gain cultural understanding living with an American family.
- Easy and quick to arrange: students can submit a homestay application up to one week before arriving in Boston
- Extra time to meet people: once students make friends in the Navitas program, they can move in with their friends in an apartment of their choice.

The Navitas preferred homestay provider is:

Global Immersions
- available from US$1,280-$1,640 monthly, including breakfast and evening meals, per student, based on availability.
- includes a furnished bedroom, local telephone, laundry facilities, Internet access, television and all utilities

Visit globalimmersions.com for more information and to fill out an online application.

Apartments
Peninsula Apartments
Live by the sea at The Peninsula, Boston’s newest waterfront high-rise apartment complex. Conveniently located directly opposite from campus, it’s a short walk to class and to the subway, and only minutes to downtown Boston. There is no furniture in Peninsula apartments.

- studio, one, two or three bedroom apartments available
- available from US$1,400-$2,300 per month, per student

Harbor Point Apartments
Harbor Point on the Bay offers spacious and luxurious apartments along the coast of Boston Harbor. Across the street from UMass Boston, Harbor Point is the most affordable option close to campus. Should you choose to live here, Navitas staff is happy to assist you and arrange roommates. There is no furniture in Harbor Point apartments. For more information or to apply, please contact umb.studentservices@navitas.com.

- one and two bedroom apartments available
- available from US$1,305-$2,610 per month, per student

Eaves Quincy Apartments
Eaves Quincy apartments are located directly across the water from UMass Boston, and are just one stop away from campus on the public transit system. There is no furniture in Eaves Quincy apartments. Please note that Eaves Quincy apartments are available for graduate students only.

- one and two bedroom units available
- ten minute train ride to UMass Boston and 20 minutes from downtown Boston.
- two to 12 month leases
- available from at US$1,000 per month, per student, and can change based on availability and length of lease

Visit avaloncommunities.com.
Finding roommates

For students wishing to stay at Harbor Point, Navitas staff is happy to help arrange roommates, depending on the selected accommodation option. Navitas can place up to two students in a one-bedroom apartment, or up to four students in a two-bedroom apartment. We are happy to assist all students to find suitable housing, however, roommate preferences are not guaranteed. Please contact umb.studentservices@navitas.com for more information.

Looking for a roommate on your own? Here are recommended resources:

- search for roommates by posting on the Navitas Apartments and Roommates Facebook page (http://bit.ly/1UMx3mQ)
- Craigslist Boston: boston.craigslist.org
- UMass Boston Housing: umb.edu/life_on_campus/housing

Furnishing your apartment

It is rare to find an apartment in Boston that is already furnished, so students should prepare to buy or rent furniture upon arrival. There are several stores near UMass Boston where students can purchase affordable furnishings.

You may visit the Navitas UMB Supply Swap Facebook page to see what items other students are currently selling (http://bit.ly/1L1FMJY)

Those who do not want to buy may rent furniture. Visit the CORT Furniture website at cort.com/student to view student packages which range between US$100-$200 per month. NOTE: students must be moved in and present at the apartment at the time of furniture delivery. CORT will not deliver to your apartment prior to your arrival.

American Furniture Rental also offers student packages. Visit rentfurniture.com to view furniture rental options.

Airport pick-up

Students requiring transportation from the Boston airport to their new homes must sign up for airport pick-up at umb.navitas.com/arrivalform.

By submitting the form, your request will be sent to Navitas and your airport pickup service will be arranged.*

For more information, please contact umb.studentservices@navitas.com.

* Costs may vary depending on services requested.
Family bursaries
Navitas at UMass Boston offers financial support in the form of family bursaries. A bursary applies where two or more students from the same family study with a Navitas member institution.*

The bursary is equivalent to 10 percent of the tuition fee of your program of study.†

Academic merit scholarships
Navitas at UMass Boston is committed to helping you achieve your career goals by offering scholarships to outstanding students.

Each term, Navitas colleges* award two students with academic merit scholarships.

For more information, talk to an adviser at your college about how to apply for a merit scholarship or visit individual college websites and search scholarships.

* The Navitas family bursary and academic merit scholarships are offered to students studying at ACBT, AUSI, BCUIC, Curtin College, Curtin Singapore, CRIC, Deakin College, EIBT, EIC, Eynesbury, FIC, HIC, ICM, ICP, ICROW, ICWS, La Trobe Melbourne, La Trobe University Sydney Campus, LBIC, Navitas at FAU, Navitas at UMass Boston, Navitas at UMass Dartmouth, Navitas at UMass Lowell, Navitas at UNH, NIC, PIBT, PUIC, QIBT, SAIBT and UCIC only. For the purpose of this bursary, a family member is defined as a husband, wife, brother, sister, mother, father, son, daughter or stepchild.

† Certificate programs may also be known or registered as Foundation Studies or University Transfer Program Stage I. Diploma programs may also be known or registered as Undergraduate Pathway, University Transfer Program (UTP), University Transfer Program Stage II or Undergraduate Pathway Program (UPP).

The Navitas bursary is not applicable to any English language program or any component of an English language program offered by a Navitas member institution.

This information is correct as at the time of printing and may be subject to change without notice or at the discretion of Navitas member institutions or Navitas Limited.
HOW TO APPLY
umb.navitas.com/apply
You may apply to Navitas at UMass Boston directly or through a Navitas at UMass Boston representative in your home country.
For a list of authorized Navitas at UMass Boston representatives, go to umb.navitas.com/find-a-recruiter. Early application and payment will secure your place in your chosen program and allow you enough time to obtain a student visa.

ACCOMMODATION AND HOUSING
umb.navitas.com/documents-and-forms
As a student with Navitas at UMass Boston, you can benefit from living in the downtown area or in one of the city’s outlying neighborhoods. Navitas at UMass Boston has relationships with local apartment complexes and can help you find a safe and affordable place to live.
- Off-campus housing partnerships
- Boston neighborhoods
- Roommate matching
- Homestay placement
- Full-service apartment search
- Furniture rental

STUDENT PROFILES
umb.navitas.com/usa-students
Navitas at UMass Boston hosts students from more than 50 different countries. Visit our website to see profiles of current and past students and hear what they have to say about their experience in the Navitas program, including:
- Student interviews
- Videos of campus through the eyes of an international student
- Video tour of the city of Boston
- Country profiles including local community organizations, places of worship, etc.
- Top-rated ethnic food restaurants in Boston

STUDY ABROAD
umb.edu/academics/global/studyabroad
UMass Boston offers academically rich Study Abroad and student-exchange programs.

UMass Boston also offers short-term, summer, or winter session Study Abroad programs, which can take you to Latin American countries, or to Asia, Europe or Africa.

CONDITIONS OF ENROLLMENT AND FEE INFORMATION
umb.navitas.com/conditions-of-enrollment
Before applying to Navitas at UMass Boston you must read, “Conditions of Enrollment,” which contains information relating to fees, U.S. visa information, conditions relating to your course enrollment, course deferral and Refund Policy.
Successful applicants will receive enrollment terms of offer which, together with the letter of offer and acceptance of offer, form a binding agreement between Navitas at UMass Boston and the recipient of a Navitas at UMass Boston Letter of Offer.

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES
umb.navitas.com/policies-and-procedures
Navitas at UMass Boston has a number of policies and procedures in place to comply with quality, regulatory and legislative requirements. These processes form a framework to ensure that Navitas at UMass Boston delivers a high-quality service to its students. Important policies include:
- Privacy Act
- Code of conduct
- Access and equity
- Grievance, complaints and appeals
- Credit exemptions
- Academic performance
Academic CALENDAR

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*Dates are approximate at the time of printing. Note: Semester dates are subject to change without notice. For the most up-to-date listings, visit umb.navitas.com.

Your INVESTMENT
(2017/18 cost of attendance/all fees in US$)

| Tuition* | 2 or 3 semesters | $32,040
|----------|------------------|------------------|
| Undergraduate Pathway Program (UPP)* | 2 or 3 semesters | $32,040
| Undergraduate Pathway Program + Academic English (UPP) | 3 semesters | $4,862 (plus additional costs of UPP)
| Pre-Master’s Program (PMP) | 2 semesters | $28,035
| ESL* | 1 semester | $6,934

Other fees and charges§

| Mandatory fees UPP | 2 semesters | $1,238
| 3 semesters | $1,398
| Mandatory fees PMP | 2 semesters | $595
| Mandatory medical insurance | Per year | $2,035

* Students will be charged per credit; actual cost may be higher or lower depending on specific course choices. Tuition, fees and charges are subject to change.
† Based on 30 credits. ‡ The Intensive English program and Academic English component of the UPP are delivered through UMass Boston College of Advancing and Professional Studies. § Fees and charges listed are current in 2016 and will be subject to increase in 2017, for the most up-to-date listings, please visit umb.navitas.com/fees. Fees do not include accommodation or meals.

Program fees include:
- full tuition and orientation program
- access to UMass Boston facilities (campus center, library, athletic center, computers, etc)
- participation in UMass Boston student clubs and associations
- UMass Boston academic and career advising, housing, international student advising, IT services and other services available to all students on campus
- twenty-four hour access to on-campus security department
- access to UMass Boston health services (additional fees may apply)

Additional costs
In addition to your tuition and other fees, you will need approximately US$12,000 to US$15,000 to meet your living expenses each year. Typical expenses include accommodations, meals, books, stationery, transportation, utilities, telecommunications, recreation and entertainment. These will vary according to your individual requirements. Please remember that living in the metropolitan area might make it tempting for you to spend more, so you should plan your expenses according to your budget.

Health insurance
In accordance with the State of Massachusetts Qualifying Student Health Insurance Program, all Navitas students must carry health insurance. Therefore, if you do not have health insurance under another plan with comparable (equal or better) coverage, you must join the UMass Boston Student Health Insurance Plan.

Please note that the following items do not meet the state’s criteria for comparable insurance coverage:
- Foreign (international) health insurance
- Uncompensated Care Pool (free care)
APPLICATION FORM
PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS
For faster processing, apply online: umb.navitas.com/apply

Personal details
Name must appear exactly as it is in the applicant’s passport.
Title: [ ] Mr [ ] Ms [ ] Other
Gender: [ ] Male [ ] Female
Family name:
Given names:
Preferred name:
Date of birth: [DAY] / [MONTH] / [YEAR]
Country of birth:
Country of citizenship:
Passport number:

Contact details
Applicant’s home country address (not recruiter’s address):
Applicant’s mail address in the USA, if applicable (not recruiter’s address):
City: [ ] State: [ ] Zip code:
Mobile telephone:
Home telephone:
Applicant’s email (mandatory):
Recruiter’s email (if applicable):

Ethnic origin
(optional — for statistical purposes only)
Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino? [ ] Yes [ ] No
In addition, select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself:
[ ] American Indian or Alaska Native [ ] Asian
[ ] Black or African American [ ] White
[ ] Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander [ ] Do not wish to report

Family background
Father’s full name:
Father’s address (if different from applicant’s):
Father’s occupation:
College/university attended by father (if any):
Mother’s full name:
Mother’s address (if different from applicant’s):
Mother’s occupation:
College/university attended by mother (if any):

Please designate a person to be notified in case of emergency
Name: [ ] Relationship to applicant:
Address:
Home telephone:
Business telephone:
Mobile telephone:

Program selection
[ ] UPP [ ] ESL [ ] PMP
Please indicate the year and semester you wish to begin your studies.
Year: [ ] January [ ] May [ ] September
Preferred major at UMass Boston
Please specify:

Education details
English proficiency
IELTS score: [ ] TOEFL score:
Other:
Are you currently enrolled in an English language school? [ ] Yes [ ] No
If “yes,” name of school:
Current level of English:

Form I-20
Do you have a current Form I-20 from another institution in the United States? [ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Expired
If you answered “yes” or “expired,” please provide a copy with your other application materials.

Secondary education: highest level achieved
Name of qualification (e.g. A Levels):
School attended:
School address:
Name of Principal or head teacher:
Completed: [ ] Yes [ ] No
Graduation date: [DAY] / [MONTH] / [YEAR]
Country/state:
CEEB code if you attended a U.S. high school:
Language of instruction:

Post-secondary and further education
Name of qualification:
Institution attended:
Dates attended:
Completed: [ ] Yes [ ] No
Country/state:
Language of instruction:

Please attach certified copies of all academic transcripts or mark sheets.

Personal statement
1. Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at an educational institution you have attended from 9th grade (or the international equivalent) onwards, whether related to academic misconduct or behavioral misconduct that resulted in your probation, suspension, removal, dismissal or expulsion from the institution? [ ] Yes [ ] No

2. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or other crime? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If you have answered “yes” to either of the above questions, please submit a separate sheet that gives the approximate date of each incident and explains the circumstances.
Employment history
If you believe you have relevant employment experience, please attach details.

Airport reception
Do you require airport pick-up?  Yes  No

Request for learning support
If there is anything that may affect your learning (for example, impairments to your mobility, sight, hearing, reading or writing), please notify Navitas at UMass Boston so we can determine our ability to accommodate you. Please indicate your needs on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this application.

Medical insurance requirements
(this section must be completed)
I understand UMass Boston will provide a mandatory 12 months of medical coverage upon my arrival in the United States, at a cost of US$2,035. This fee will be pro-rated for Spring and Summer intakes. Students will be required to extend the 12-month coverage each Fall. This fee changes annually and is correct at the time of printing.

Sponsored students only
Type of sponsorship (i.e. tuition fees and/or living expenses):

Name of organization sponsoring you:

Other information
How did you first learn about Navitas at UMass Boston?
You may check more than one option:

☐ Exhibition/seminar
☐ Newspaper/magazine
☐ Recommended by a friend/relative
☐ Recommended by an education recruiter
☐ Internet
☐ Other (please specify): 

Application checklist
Check that you have:
☐ completed all sections of the Application form
☐ read and understood the Conditions of Enrollment, including the Refund Policy

Check that you have attached:
☐ certified copies of your academic transcripts
☐ certified evidence of your English language ability, if required
☐ a certified copy of your passport, student visa or birth certificate, if required
☐ a certified Declaration of Finances

Disclaimer (for students aged 18 or older)
I grant Navitas at UMass Boston permission to provide my parent(s), guardian(s) and recruiter, when requested, with any information pertaining to my application to study, ongoing academic progress, results and attendance.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Please note: This information will be automatically provided to the parent(s) or guardian(s) of any student under 18 years of age.

Declaration
Please read this declaration carefully
I declare that all information I have supplied on this form with respect to my application to Navitas at UMass Boston is, to the best of my understanding and belief, complete, accurate and correct. I understand that giving false or incomplete information may lead to the refusal of my application or cancellation of enrollment. I have read and understand the published course information in the guide or website and I have sufficient information about Navitas at UMass Boston to enroll.

I hereby grant Navitas at UMass Boston permission to obtain official records from an educational institution attended by me. I grant Navitas at UMass Boston permission to provide UMass Boston with any information pertaining to my application to study, my ongoing academic progress, my housing, my results and attendance from an educational institution attended by me. I understand that fees may change without notice. I accept liability for payment of all fees as explained in this guide, and I agree to abide by the Refund Policy, which is current at the time of my studies at Navitas at UMass Boston. I understand that living expenses in the United States may be higher than in my own country and I confirm that I am able to meet these costs. I understand that by signing this application form, I will be eligible to receive a conditional letter of admission from Navitas at UMass Boston.

I agree to notify Navitas at UMass Boston immediately should there be any change to the information requested in this application, including disciplinary history.

Applicant’s signature:

Date:     DAY / MONTH / YEAR

If you are under 18 years of age, your parent or guardian must also sign this application form.

Parent’s/guardian’s signature:

Date:     DAY / MONTH / YEAR

Unsigned applications cannot be processed. Recruiters cannot sign on an applicant’s behalf.

Postal address for applications
Admissions Officer
Navitas at UMass Boston
Campus Center, 2nd Floor, Suite 2100
University of Massachusetts Boston
100 Morrissey Boulevard
Boston MA 02125-3393 USA
F  +1 617 287 7644
E  admissionsUMB@navitas.com
W  umb.navitas.com

Office use only
Identification number:
Application number:

Representative details
Representative’s stamp

Representative name:
Representative office code:
Recruiter’s name:
Recruiter’s email address:
Students come to our seaside campus from many different backgrounds and from around the globe. What they share is a desire to learn from professors who are leaders in their fields and passionate about teaching. With 190 academic programs to explore in 11 schools and colleges, Boston’s public research university has something for everyone.

“The Navitas staff worked to get students engaged with each other and share their cultures. It makes people exchange ideas and help learn English. You can’t go wrong once you get into UMass Boston.”

YINKA MARTIN, Nigeria
PMP: SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS