

Hello Class of 2025!

We are excited that it's just less than a month away before we get to see you here in Boston!

In this newsletter, we will share more information about LAUNCH and a few new tasks to complete before you arrive on campus.

If you missed our previous newsletter(s), copies can be found on the <u>New Student</u> <u>Site: Email Archive</u>.

LAUNCH Important Information

What is the LAUNCH time commitment?

We are just putting the final touches on the schedule, so we will send out more details in a couple of weeks. In the meantime, below is a quick daily overview of required sessions.

Friday, August 18th:

11:00am-4:00pm International Student Orientation followed by a reception. Stay tuned for an email to RSVP!

Saturday & Sunday, August 19th & 20th:

No Sessions

Monday, August 21st: Day One of LAUNCH

8:00-9:00am Check In with a light breakfast;

9:00am-7:00pm Introduction to BU and Questrom, Diversity, Specialty Programs orientations, meet second-year students. End the day with a welcome reception

Tuesday, August 22nd: 9:00am-6:00pm Academic Sessions, Headshots, Tours

Wednesday, August 23rd: 9:00am-7:30pm Career Coaching & Cohort Cup

Thursday, August 24th: 9:00am-5:30pm Case Prep, Academic Sessions, Outward Bound Prep Talk

Friday, August 25th:

7:30am-8:00pm Thompson Island Outward Bound Experience *Make sure to sign your waiver form, which can be found on the Mod 0 <u>Blackboard</u> course

Saturday & Sunday, August 26th & 27th: No Sessions

Monday, August 28th: 10:00am-5:00pm Degree Programs & Academic Session **Tuesday, August 29th:** MG730: Ethical Leadership Day 1

Wednesday, August 30th: MG730: Ethical Leadership Day 2

Thursday, August 31st: MG730: Ethical Leadership Day 3

Friday, September 1st:

No Sessions - Take this time to move, settle in, explore Boston, and visit other offices you need to connect with before classes start!

Outward Bound Important Information

All Full-Time MBA students will be going to the Thompson Island Outward Bound experience on Friday, August 25th. This is a mandatory component of the MBA LAUNCH program.

Please login to <u>Blackboard</u> and complete the online waiver form in the Mod 0 course, under "Action Required: Thompson Island Welcome Packet & Waiver".

The deadline to submit the waiver is Friday, August 11th

Blackboard Academic Pre-Work Reminder

At this point, you have been registered for a course in Blackboard titled "Pre-Work FTMBA Class of 2025". Please take some time over the next month to lo into this site and complete your required tasks to prepare you for your Fall courses in Accounting, Economics, Management, and Statistics. You should allow up to 40 hours of total prep time. For those with prior background, the time required should be less.

The deadline for completion is Friday August 18 at 11:59pm.

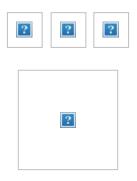
Your Next Few Tasks

Below are a few important tasks we need you to complete right away!

Your current to-do list:

- Outward Bound Waiver
 - Due: August 11th
- Academic Pre-Work
 - Due: August 18th
 - Login to <u>Blackboard</u> to access. You should allow 40 hours of total prep time. For those with prior background, the time required should be less.
- Register for LAUNCH
 - Due: ASAP (No later than Friday, August 4th)
 - As a reminder, LAUNCH is required for all incoming students. The information being collected via this form is essential for us to place you in teams and cohorts, as well as to prepare materials for LAUNCH.
 - Everyone should have received an email with a unique link to register. If you did not receive the email or are unable to find it in your email folders, please contact Chris Bishal at <u>cbishal@bu.edu</u>.
- Upload Terrier Card ID Photo
 - Due: Monday, August 7th
 - Boston University IDs are known as Terrier Cards. Please upload your ID photo as soon as possible. Those who submit their ID photos prior to August 7th will be able to pick up their ID when you arrive for LAUNCH. If you submit your photo after August 7th, you will receive an email with instructions and the location for pickup when it is ready.
- Take a look at Incoming Student Health Requirements
- <u>Activate your Active Directory</u>
 - Due: Friday, August 18th
 - This allows you to access Questrom lab computers, printers, etc.

FOLLOW QUESTROM MBA PROGRAMS



Boston University Questrom School of Business

MBA Center

Rafik B. Hariri Building

595 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston, MA 02215
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EVENT
FTMBA Three Weeks Out: Ask Me Anything
Tuesday, August 1 11:00am - 12:00pm
Online Event
Add to <u>Google Cal</u> , <u>Outlook</u> , <u>Yahoo</u> , <u>iCal</u>
Log in for an opportunity to connect with Questrom MBA Center staff and other admitted students for a casual conversation about anything and everything that is on your mind as you are preparing to start your MBA degree program.
REGISTER
EVENT
Your Wellbeing & Academic Success
Thursday, August 3 11:00am - 12:00pm
Online Event
Add to <u>Google Cal</u> , <u>Outlook</u> , <u>Yahoo</u> , <u>iCal</u>
Join staff from BU Student Wellbeing office and the Newbury Center as we discuss concepts, strategies, and campus resources to enhance your personal wellbeing and assist you to better manage your academic and personal life. Come for a lively interaction with other students and take away some practical tips!
REGISTER
EVENT
Financing Your Graduate Degree



Tuesday, August 8 8:00am - 9:00am

? **Online Event**

Add to Google Cal, Outlook, Yahoo, iCal ?

Join our Financial Aid Office for this virtual session where we will discuss loan options, scholarships and billing information. We will then discuss how your financial aid is applied to your bill and various payment options available.

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EVENT
Full-Time MBA Class of 2025 International Student Orientation
Friday, August 18 10:30am - 4:00pm
Private Location (sign in to display)
Add to Google Cal, Outlook, Yahoo, iCal
An orientation designed to help first-year international MBA students adjust to Boston and Questrom from a global perspective. All incoming international MBA students are highly encouraged to attend.
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MBA Center Questrom School of Business
Email sent by MBA Center <mbacenter@bu.edu> to cbishal@bu.edu <u>Unsubscribe</u></mbacenter@bu.edu>
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