

# Pre-Master's in Business Administration (MBA)

The Navitas Pre-Master's Program (PMP) is a two-semester program designed for students who have completed a bachelor's degree, but who need or wish to have additional support to gain entry into select University of Massachusetts Boston graduate degree programs.

When a student is accepted into the PMP, he or she is also conditionally accepted into the master's program; with continuation in the graduate program dependent upon successful completion of the PMP. No further application is required and only one student visa application will need to be processed.

## Pre-Master's Program (PMP):

#### Intakes

August, January and May

## **Duration**

Two semesters (9–12 credit hours)

## **Entry requirements**

- Completion of a recognized undergraduate degree
- TOEFL 80iBT/ IELTS 6.0
- Intensive Academic English (1 semester) TOEFL 75 IBT/ 5.5 IELTS

Additional Business Pre-Master's programs at UMass Boston:

- Accounting, MS
- Business Administration, MBA
- Finance, MS
- Information Technology, MS
- International Management, MS



# Required documents for PMP admission:

- Completed application form
- Certified copies of recognized university academic transcripts of undergraduate degree
- TOEFL or IELTS score (original IELTS result must be mailed)
- Three letters of reference
- Resume/CV
- Statement of Purpose to be completed during PMP

GMAT: GMAT scores are not required for admission to PMP. GMAT preparation classes will be conducted by Navitas on a weekly basis to help prepare you for the test. A GMAT score of 520 overall or 37th percentile is required to matriculate into the MBA program.

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Master's in Stream A	Master's in Stream B
Bachelor's degree with a minimum GPA equivalent to USA 3.25	Bachelor's degree with a GPA equivalent to USA 3.0
TOEFL (iBT) of 80 or IELTS of 6.0	TOEFL (iBT) of 80 or IELTS of 6.0
No	Minimum 2 years
9-12 credit hours (3–4 courses)	9-12 credit hours (3–4 courses)
September, January and May	August, January and May
57 credits*/5 semesters	57 credits*/5 semesters
	Bachelor's degree with a minimum GPA equivalent to USA 3.25  TOEFL (iBT) of 80 or IELTS of 6.0  No  9-12 credit hours (3–4 courses)  September, January and May

<sup>\*</sup> Students with a related degree may be eligible to waive some of the business core courses

## **UMass Boston**

UMass Boston is located on Columbia Point Peninsula close to the downtown area of the exciting and cosmopolitan city of Boston. The campus shares a picturesque peninsula with the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum and offers exquisite views of the city and Boston Harbor.

## **UMass Boston**

- A research university with a teaching soul
- Part of the reputable University of Massachusetts system
- Boston's only public university
- Academic history spanning over 150 years

# Full 'American campus life' experience

- Superb facilities, accommodation, student services and clubs/ sports activities
- Twenty minutes from world famous Harvard and MIT
- Students with a related degree may be eligible to waive some of the business core courses
- Internships and work opportunities in Boston

# Navitas Pre-Master's Program (PMP)

- The Navitas at UMass Boston PMP provides students the opportunity to bridge their academic abilities and/ or language proficiency to succeed in graduate studies at UMass Boston.
- With a focus on generic study and research skills, the Navitas at UMass Boston PMP assists students in developing the necessary skills for success in graduate coursework.

# Why choose Navitas at UMass Boston:

- Earn 9-12 credits of your UMass Boston graduate degree
- One visa for three years: ESL (if required)
   + PMP + UMass Boston graduate degree
- Small classes
- Increased academic/English support
- Three intakes per year: January, May and August
- No work experience required
- No personal statement, or GMAT score required for admission to PMP
- All applicants screened within 24-48 hours
- Training in time management, study skills and research methods
- Individualized counseling, mentoring and academic support



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