

Accelerated Master's Programs (AMP)



Earn a bachelor's degree and a master's degree in as few as five years.

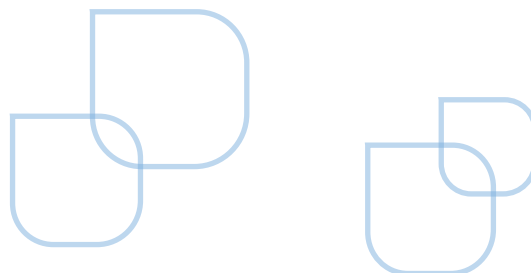
WHAT IS AMP?

An Accelerated Master's Program (AMP) allows qualifying undergraduate students to begin taking graduate courses while completing their bachelor's degree. Participating students save time and money by replacing electives with graduate coursework. Upon completion of all undergraduate program requirements and graduating with a bachelor's degree, AMP students then seamlessly transition into full-time graduate studies.

THE AMP ADVANTAGE

Get a head start on graduate studies, future earnings, and kick-start your career by enrolling in an Accelerated Master's Program.

- **Save money.** Students who participate in an AMP Program save more than **\$10,000 off the cost of a master's degree.**
- **Skip transcripts and test scores.** Applicants don't need to submit UMass Boston transcripts, and many programs will waive GRE or GMAT scores.
- **Save time.** Enter the workforce up to one year earlier than students enrolled in a standard master's degree program.
- **Advance your career.** Earning a graduate degree can significantly enhance your career prospects and provide a strong return on investment. On average, full-time workers with a graduate degree make \$12,000 more per year than those with a bachelor's degree. (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)



WHO CAN APPLY AND WHEN

- Juniors/third-year undergraduates who have completed 60–96 credits and are on track to complete 120 credits and all undergraduate requirements in the next academic year. *The exact credit ranges required to apply vary by program.*
- Honors College students can apply during the semester in which they reach 60–72 credits.

UMASS BOSTON AMP OFFERINGS

- Applied Economics (BA/MA)
- Applied Linguistics (BA/MA)
- Applied Sociology (BA/MA)
- Business Administration (BA/BS to MBA)
- Chemistry (BS/MS)
- Conflict Resolution (BA/MA)
- Critical and Creative Thinking (BA/MA)
- Environmental Sciences (BS/MS)
- Exercise and Health Sciences (BS/MS)
- Gerontology: Management of Aging Services (BS/MS)
- Gerontology: Research/Policy (BS/MS)
- Global Inclusion and Social Development (BA/MA)
- History (BA/MA)
- International Relations (BA/MA)
- Middle/Secondary Education Initial Licensure (MEd)
- Public Administration (BA/MPA)
- Public Administration: Gender, Leadership, and Public Policy (BA/MPA)
- Rehabilitation Counseling (MS)
- Special Education: Successive Licensure, Moderate Disabilities, 5-12 (MEd)
- Special Education: Successive Licensure, Moderate Disabilities, PreK-8 (MEd)

- Transfer students will need to complete 30 credits of UMass Boston coursework before applying.
- Deadlines and entry terms vary by program. Visit umb.edu/amp for program deadlines and requirements.

Check with your program of interest to confirm requirements.

LEARN MORE AND APPLY

Visit umb.edu/amp to explore program options and review your next steps.

- Fill out an AMP Interest Form at umb.edu/amp to get information about program deadlines, virtual information sessions, and more.
- Connect with your undergraduate academic advisor to begin discussing AMP opportunities and degree planning.
- Submit a free AMP application once you meet the program requirements.

COST AND AID

AMP students pay undergraduate regular session tuition and fees if at least half of the coursework each semester is at the undergraduate level, even when taking graduate-level courses.

Once an AMP student receives the appropriate bachelor's degree and matriculates as a graduate student, the student will be charged graduate tuition.

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