First step: BSU
Next step: A rewarding career.

At Bridgewater State University, you’re gaining access to much more than an undergraduate education. No matter your chosen field, a master’s degree or graduate certificate can help supercharge your career and open up a world of possibilities — and Bridgewater can serve as your launchpad.

Through our College of Graduate Studies — in coordination with Bridgewater’s College of Education and Health Sciences, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Louis M. Ricciardi College of Business and Bartlett College of Science and Mathematics — we offer a variety of graduate degree and certificate programs. These programs enable you to build on the skills learned in your undergraduate major, making you more attractive to prospective employers.

Graduate programs at Bridgewater offer streamlined admission processes for BSU undergraduates, so you’ll be well-positioned to pursue a graduate degree immediately following your undergraduate experience. Our programs are accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE) and more than two dozen national accrediting and certifying organizations. We invite you to learn how an advanced degree from Bridgewater can help you get your career in gear.

The Bridgewater Difference

Why Bridgewater? Because we make it easy to excel in and benefit from rigorous graduate programs designed for working students. Classes and faculty office hours are set at night, courses may be taken online or in a hybrid (onsite/online) format, and the MBTA commuter rail runs right to the heart of campus. You can take up to two classes at Bridgewater before formally applying to our graduate programs.

Well-researched, high-quality graduate programs taught by dedicated faculty complementing strong masters, mentors and mentees, you’ll find that Bridgewater offers highly supportive and collaborative. Many courses are project- and experiential, so you continue to collaborate while also developing leadership skills.

A Bridgewater graduate education is an international student, an adult of the same year for both in-state and out-of-state students. In addition, we provide a range of scholarships and grants, and students can help support themselves through research assistantships and writing and quantitative fellowships.

We support our students and their future.

At Bridgewater, graduate students can access the same abundant on-campus resources as undergraduates — including housing, academic support and career counseling — to make sure you’re on the right path and benefitting from all the available opportunities to build your experience and skill set.

Graduate students from close relationships with faculty who serve as mentors and can introduce industry contacts to help build a strong network. As our graduate admissions and financial aid teams are eager to assist you with the details of matriculation and payment options, as well as how to apply for grants and scholarships.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Call or email today to learn more about our graduate programs and courses, and our admission and registration processes.

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BRIDGEWATER GRADUATE CREDENTIALS

Master’s degrees:
• Master of Arts (MA)
• Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT)
• Master of Business Administration (MBA)
• Master of Education (MEd)
• Master of Public Administration (MPA)
• Master of Science (MS)
• Master of Science in Accounting (MSA)
• Master of Social Work (MSW)

Other credentials:
• Educational Specialist (EdS)
• Graduate Certification
• Professional and Post-baccalaureate Licenses

BRIDGEWATER GRADUATE STUDENTS

Total number of graduate students: 1,500
Average GPA: 3.1
75% female
25% male
10% students of color
Student/faculty ratio: 17:1
77% graduate in three years or fewer
48% graduate in five years or fewer
71% part-time
29% full-time

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