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of Boston



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MAY NEWSLETTER
Volume 7



Happy Asian-American
and Pacific Islander
Heritage Month!



Happy Memorial Day!
A day to remember all the
brave heroes who served.



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL
OUR 2022 GRADUATES!
WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU.



BRIGHT SPACE WORKSHOPS

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FINANCIAL AID UPDATE

2022-2023 MASSGrant

>> **FAFSA Deadline Date: July 1, 2021 (extended from May 1)**

How to Apply

Students must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the Federal Central Processor by the appropriate deadline. You can obtain a FAFSA from a high school guidance office, the local library, your college's Financial Aid Office or you can call the DHE's Office of Student Financial Assistance at (617) 391-6070 to request a copy. For more information about the MASSGrant program please visit the MASSGrant website.

Website: <https://www.mass.edu/osfa/programs/massgrant.asp>

2022-2023 Early Childhood Educators Scholarship Program

The 2022-2023 application will become available on April 1, 2022, and must be completed by the deadline on August 1, 2022. To get more information and to see if you are eligible, please visit:

Website: <https://www.mass.edu/osfa/programs/earlychildhooded.asp>

Website: <https://www.mass.edu/osfa/programs/massgrantawardterms.asp>

How to Apply

- Complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can file your FAFSA electronically at <https://studentaid.gov/fafsa-app/ROLES>
- Create a MASSAid Student Portal account [here](#) if you do not already have one.
- Complete the ECE Scholarship application in the [MASSAid Student Portal system](#).
- Applicants must have an active ECE Professional Qualifications Registry Number to be considered for the ECE Scholarship. If you do not have an active EEC PQ Registry Number, [click here](#) for the PQ Registry.

2022-2023 FAFSA for the 2022-2023 Academic Year

The 2022-2023 FAFSA requires your 2020 Federal Tax return and W-2's. The 2022-2023 FAFSA **MUST** be completed if you are considering using Federal Student Aid for the 2022-2023 Academic Year. By completing the FAFSA, you may also be eligible for other State Grant programs for the 2022-2023 Academic Year.

If you need help completing your 2022-2023 FAFSA, please contact Jessica B. at 617-960-0253 or by email at Jessica.Barrera@urbancollege.edu. You can also schedule an appointment online at <https://urbancampus.mywconline.com/>.

Urban College of Boston's Federal School Code is: **031305**

Website: <https://studentaid.gov/fafsa-app/ROLES>

MEET OUR NEW STAFF MEMBER



TIMESHA SCOTT (she, her, hers)

My name is **Timesha Scott** – a technology enthusiast, and I'm the IT Specialist at Urban College.

I have been a part of the Tech industry since 2015 and I am excited for the years to come. I am graduate of UMES with a BS in Computer Science. I was born in Guyana and raised in French Guiana. I relocated to the U.S to NYC, then now to Massachusetts.

My goal is to assist with any tech related issues Student might have, in either French or English, so that they can achieve their educational goals.

You can reach me at Helpdesk@urbancollege.edu or Timesha.Scott@urbancollege.edu

STUDENT SERVICES

MONTHLY REVIEW OF A STUDENT POLICY



ACCESSIBILITY & ACCOMMODATIONS

The Director of Student Services and Support at Urban College of Boston provides services to students who qualify as having a disability under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The Director of Student Services and Support is responsible for accommodations in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, and applicable state law. The ADA defines disability as: “A physical or mental impairment that substantially limits a major life activity; a record of such an impairment; or being regarded as having such an impairment.”

The services provided to registered students with disabilities may include, but are not limited to:

- Providing advocacy support for students with documented disabilities
- Coordinating services for students with disabilities, which includes verifying eligibility for academic accommodations based on documentation
- Providing assistance to members of the campus community in responding to disability-related issues and concerns
- Working with the larger campus community to overcome architectural, attitudinal, and administrative barriers
- Educating and training students on assistive technology resources
- Coordinating peer note-taking services
- Providing exam accommodations
- Assisting students with academic strategies
- Assisting with the diagnostic evaluation referral process

If you are a student who seeks accommodations, contact the Director of Student Services and Support, **Rosana Perella** at 617-449-7380 or via email at Rosana.Perella@urbancollege.edu to discuss your specific situation and needs

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ACOMODACIONES Y ACESABILIDAD

El Director de Servicios Estudiantiles y Apoyo de Urban College of Boston provee servicios a estudiantes quienes califiquen en tener una discapacidad bajo la ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades (Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)). El Director de Servicios Estudiantiles y Apoyo es responsable de organizar acomodaciones que conformen a la ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades, Artículo 504 de la ley de Rehabilitación, y leyes estatales aplicables. La ADA define una discapacidad como: “un impedimento físico o mental el cual restringe una actividad importante de la vida considerablemente; un registro de tal impedimento; o siendo considerado como tener tal impedimento.”

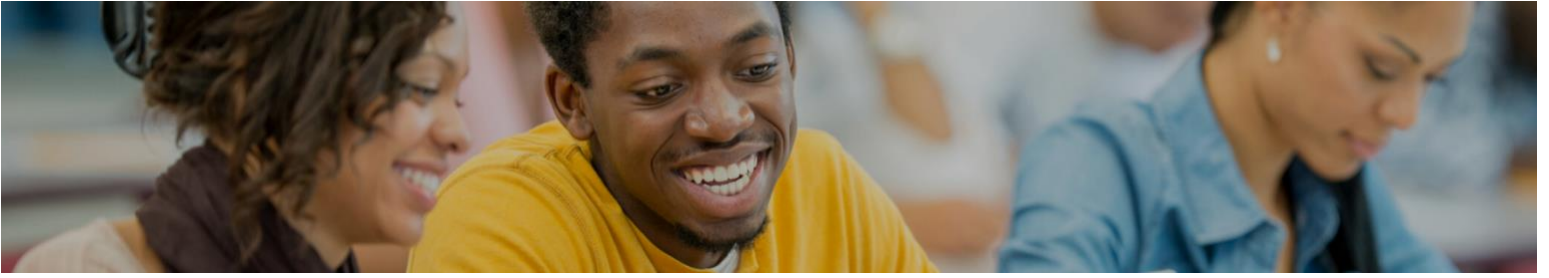
Los servicios proveídos a estudiantes inscritos con discapacidades pueden incluir, pero no se limitan a:

- Proveyendo apoyo de defensa para los estudiantes con discapacidades documentadas
- Coordinando servicios para estudiantes con discapacidades, los cuales incluyen verificando elegibilidad para acomodaciones académicas, basadas en documentación
- Proveyendo asistencia a miembros de nuestra comunidad en respondiendo a problemas y preocupaciones relacionadas a una discapacidad
- Trabajando con nuestra comunidad en general para superar obstáculos arquitecturales, de actitud, y administrativos
- Educando y entrenando estudiantes en recursos de tecnología de asistencia
- Coordinando servicios de la toma de notas
- Proveyendo acomodaciones para exámenes
- Asistiendo a estudiantes con estrategias académicas
- Asistiendo con el proceso de referencia de evaluación diagnostica

Si usted es un estudiante quien busca acomodaciones, contacte al Director de Servicios Estudiantiles y Apoyo, **Rosana Perella** (Rosana.Perella@urbancollege.edu; 617-449-7380), para hablar de su situación y sus necesidades.

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可达性和調適安排

波士顿城市学院的学生服务和支持主任为根据美国残疾人法案 (ADA) 符合残疾条件的学生提供服务。学生服务和支持主任负责根据《美国残疾人法案》、《康复法案》第 504 节和适用的州法律提供調適安排。ADA 将残疾定义为：“严重限制主要生活活动的身体或精神障碍；有此类损害的记录；或被视为有这种损害。

为注册的残疾学生提供的服务可能包括但不限于：

- 为有残疾记录的学生提供宣传性支持,
- 为残疾学生提供协调服务, 包括根据文件验证学术的調適安排资格,
- 为校园社区的成员提供帮助, 以应对与残疾相关的问题和關注,
- 与更大的校园社区合作, 克服建筑、态度和行政方面的障碍,
- 对学生进行辅助技术资源教育和培训,
- 协调同儕笔记服务,
- 提供考试調適安排,
- 协助学生制定学术策略
- 协助诊断评估转诊流程

如果您是寻求調適安排的学生, 请联系学生服务和支持总监 Rosana Perella, 电话 : (617)449-7380
Rosana.Perella@urbancollege.edu 讨论您的具体情况和需求。

ADMISSIONS NEWS

Urban College of Boston

Let's get you started!

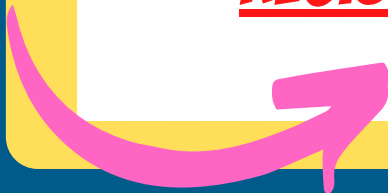
Let's get you finished!

Let's achieve those goals!



**REGISTRATION REMINDER!
SUMMER AND FALL
CLASSES**

REGISTER HERE!



ACADEMIC BRIGHT SPACE NEWS

URBAN COLLEGE OF BOSTON
SUMMER 2022 SEMESTER

BRIGHTSPACE TECH ORIENTATION

Are you taking an online course on Brightspace this semester? Have questions about Brightspace? Click this link to join the Zoom webinars listed below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81460019767>



Email, Google Classroom, and Brightspace Help

DROP-IN TECH OFFICE HOUR

Friday, June 3 from 4:00-6:00pm
Wednesday, June 8 from 5:00-7:00pm

BRIGHTSPACE TECH ORIENTATION (ENGLISH)

Monday, June 6 from 5:00-6:00pm
Friday, June 10 from 4:30-5:30pm
Tuesday, June 21 from 5:00-6:00pm

Presented in English, Spanish and Mandarin

BILINGUAL BRIGHTSPACE TECH ORIENTATION

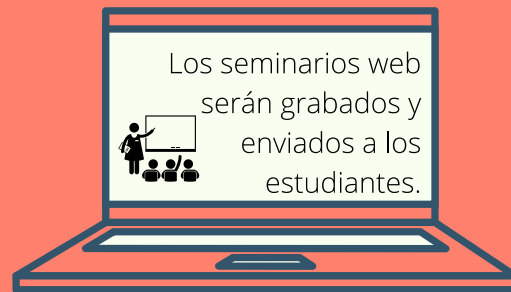
Monday, June 6 from 6:00-7:30pm

URBAN COLLEGE OF BOSTON
SEMESTRE DE VERANO DEL 2022

ORIENTACIÓN TECNOLÓGICA DE BRIGHTSPACE

¿Está tomando un curso en línea en Brightspace este semestre? ¿Tiene preguntas sobre Brightspace? Haga clic en este enlace para unirse al seminario web:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81460019767>



Ayuda de correo electrónico, Google Classroom, y Brightspace

HORA DE OFICINA DE AYUDA TECNOLOGÍA

Viernes, 3 de Junio de 4:00-6:00pm
Miércoles, 8 de Junio de 5:00-7:00pm

ORIENTACIÓN TECNOLÓGICA DE BRIGHTSPACE (EN INGLÉS).

Lunes, 6 de Junio de 5:00-6:00pm
Viernes, 10 de Junio de 4:30-5:30pm
Martes, 21 de Junio de 5:00-6:00pm

En Inglés, en Español, y en Mandarin

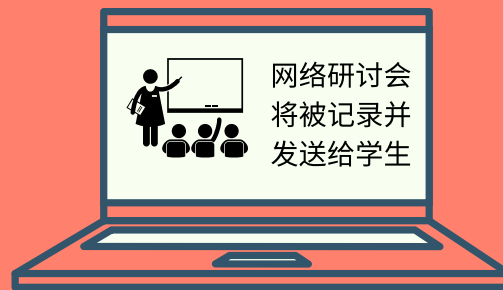
ORIENTACIÓN TECNOLÓGICA BILINGÜE DE BRIGHTSPACE

Lunes, 6 de Junio de 6:00-7:30pm

波士顿城市学院
2022夏季学期

BRIGHTSPACE 技术 方面的介绍

这学期你有选择上 *Brightspace* 的在线课程吗？对 *Brightspace* 有疑问吗？单击打开此链接加入网络研讨会：<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81460019767>



电子邮件、Google Classroom 和 Brightspace 帮助

技术援助的办公时间是

6月3日星期五, 下午 4:00-6:00

6月8日星期三, 下午 5:00-7:00

BRIGHTSPACE 技术方面的介绍

6月6日星期一, 下午 5:00-6:00

6月10日星期三, 下午 4:30-5:30

6月21日星期二, 下午 5:00-6:00

以英语、西班牙语和普通话陈述内容

双语 BRIGHTSPACE 技术指导

6月6日星期一, 下午 6:00-7:30

STUDENT DISCOUNTS



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Students come and visit the ICA for Free!

The Institute of Contemporary Art\Boston University Membership:

Urban College of Boston is a University Member of the ICA. Your students, faculty, and staff have unique access to Boston's leading center of contemporary culture. Our bold and groundbreaking exhibition program features artists from all over the world, and in our galleries, you are just as likely to see an incredible painting as cutting-edge performance art. With its stunning architecture, perched on the Boston waterfront, and anchoring one of the most exciting neighborhoods in the city, the ICA is the destination for the new art and new experiences your students are looking for.

University Members Receive:

- Free admission with valid university ID for all students, faculty, and staff
- Student-rate pricing on tickets to ICA-produced public programs, performances, and films
- eNews highlighting upcoming exhibitions, dance and music performances, lectures, and other educational programs

For information about the University Membership program, please contact the Membership Office at 617-478-3102 or membership@icaboston.org.

The discount code for Urban College of Boston is UCB2022ICA

Students Faculty and Staff can learn more about the program here. <https://www.icaboston.org/page/university-membership>

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Yal-Day-New Day Care Center

We are looking to add to our team! We have been in business for over forty-two years, and operate in a beautiful, bright, and clean facility! Are you looking for a warm, supportive team environment and to enrich children's lives on a daily basis? Are you kind, awesome, and friendly? Yes! Great! Then, keep reading and apply if employment or an internship at our school sounds appealing to you!

Yal-Day-New Day Care Center, Inc. is seeking to hire a dedicated, experienced, and teacher. We are located in Allston/Brighton and within close distance to Cambridge, Brookline, Watertown, and Newton. We are open year-round Monday through Friday 8am-5pm. All classrooms are a co-teaching environment, where a team atmosphere among the staff is essential. We love to teach art, learn about nature, explore the outdoors, inspire curiosity, and be creative! Teachers are responsible for the safety, education, and nurturing care of our early childhood students. As we are a Jewish Early Childhood Center, Hebrew-speaking is a plus, but not required. We are looking for part-time and full-time positions to expand our teaching team!

What do you have to do? Here you go!

Responsibilities: Provide a safe and caring classroom environment; Communicate effectively with parents through bright wheel, bulletin board displays, developmental reports and conferences; Make use of resource materials available at the school and in the community; Present a professional manner in demeanor and dress; Support a team atmosphere environment among the staff; Willingness to go above and beyond to benefit the school.

What do I need to have to be a part of this amazing team? Check it out! We will train you! A passion to teach and learn all at the same time is essential to grow!

Qualifications: Relevant work experience; Certification in Infant/Child First Aid and CPR (will pay for course if needed); CORI/SORI/DCF evaluation (Background Check) as per EEC guidelines; Evidence of a physical examination within one year of employment.

What are the perks? We offer paid vacation, paid holidays, dental insurance, health insurance, tuition reimbursement, and discounted childcare for staff. Lots of hugs from our adorable students and coffee. We love coffee! We provide opportunities for staff to attend workshops and continue to enhance their knowledge on early childhood trends and support one another.

Job Type: Full-time, Part- Time, Paid or Unpaid Internships

Pay: \$18.50 - \$25.00 per hour

COVID-19 considerations: All staff and students are PCR tested on-site weekly and wear masks to ensure a preventative approach to Covid-19. Please contact: Michelle Izadi: yaldaynewstaff@gmail.com