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About Boston University Metropolitan College

Metropolitan College

- Established in 1965
- Full or part-time evening programs
- Over 850 courses in 60 degree and certificate programs
- Over 4,000 students

What sets MET Apart?

- From BU's full time programs:
- Open enrollment
- Evening courses
- Rolling admissions
- Reasonable part-time tuition
- Full-time faculty
- Resources of the entire University



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Undergraduate Degree Programs

- Art History
- Biology
- Biomedical Laboratory & Clinical Sciences
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Economics
- English & American Literature

- History
- Interdisciplinary Studies
- Management Studies
- Mathematics
- Philosophy
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Urban Affairs



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Undergraduate Certificate Programs

- Biotechnology
- Business Management
- Clinical Research
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- International Business Management

POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATE

- Pre-Medical Studies



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Undergraduate Degree Requirements

- 128 Credits (32 courses) total
- Minimum of 48 credits must be taken at BU
- No more than 64 credits can be transferred from a 2-year school
- Degree Programs consist of:
 - Distribution Requirements
 - Specialization and Related Courses
 - Electives



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Admission Criteria

Continuing Education

Six previous college courses taken at one regionally accredited institution

- Overall GPA of at least 2.5 if taken outside of BU
- Overall GPA of at least 2.3 if taken within BU
- College-level English Composition (MET EN 104)



Transfer Policies

Transfer courses from regionally accredited colleges and universities

- Grades must be C or higher (must equal 2.0 GPA)
- Pass/Fail courses not transferable
- Internships/Practicum not transferable

CLEP credits

- Up to 64 credits are accepted
- Prior written approval required from MET counselor
- www.collegeboard.com/clep



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Application Requirements

- Completed application (bu.edu/met/apply)
- Personal Statement
- Official transcript from each college attended
- Official high school transcript (or GED)
- A nonrefundable \$80 application fee



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Undergraduate Student Services

Boston University Metropolitan College

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Bring all transcripts (Ideally, sent or faxed prior to the meeting)



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Graduate Degree Programs

Master of City Planning (64 credits)

Master of Criminal Justice (40 credits)

**Master of Liberal Arts in Gastronomy
(40 credits)**

Master of Urban Affairs (36 credits)

Master of Science in:

- **Actuarial Science (43 credits)**
- **Administrative Studies (48 credits)**
 - Economic Development & Tourism Mgmt.
 - E-Commerce, Systems & Technology
 - Financial Economics
 - Innovation & Technology
 - Multinational Commerce
- **Advertising (40 credits, part-time only)**
- **Arts Administration (40 credits)**
- **Computer Information Systems (40 credits) +**
 - Optional concentrations:
 - Computer Networks
 - Database & Knowledge Management
 - Health Informatics
 - IT Project Management
 - Security
 - Web Application Development
- **Computer Science (40 credits)**
- **Project Management (48 credits)**
- **Telecommunication (40 credits)**

+ Also available in blended format

Graduate Certificate Programs

- **Advanced Information Technology**
- **Applied Sustainability**
- **Arts Administration**
- **Database Systems & Business Intelligence**
- **Digital Forensics**
- **Electronic Commerce, Systems and Technology**
- **Financial Markets & Institutions**
- **Food Studies**
- **Fundraising Management**
- **Health Informatics**
- **Information Security**
- **Information Technology**
- **Information Technology Project Management**
- **Innovation and Entrepreneurship**
- **International Business Management**
- **International Marketing**
- **Medical Information Security & Privacy**
- **Project Management**
- **Software Engineering**
- **Software Engineering in Healthcare Systems**
- **Tourism Development**
- **Web Application Development**

Admission Requirements

- Apply online at <http://bu.edu/met/apply>
- Official transcript from each college and graduate school attended
- 3 letters of recommendation
 - At least one academic reference if you graduated within the past 3 years
- Self-evaluation (essay describing motivation for study)
- Current résumé
- Non-refundable application fee
 - \$80 for degrees, \$25 for certificates
- Additional materials may be required by the academic department

Tuition & Fees

2015-2016 Academic Year

- Courses numbered 100-599
\$425 per credit, part-time = \$1,700 per course
- Courses numbered 600-999
\$820 per credit, part-time = \$3,280 per course
- \$60 student services fee per semester
- **Full-time** tuition (for comparison) = \$23,711/semester

Tuition Remission

- 100% tuition covered for first 4 credit hours per semester
- 90% covered for the next 4 credit hours per semester
- Courses numbered 100-599
 - $\$425/\text{credit} * 4 = \$1700/\text{course}$ (10% = \$170)
- Courses numbered 600-999
 - $\$820/\text{credit} * 4 = \$3,280/\text{course}$ (10% = \$328)

Tuition Remission Does Not Cover:

- Registration/Student Services Fee (\$60/semester)
- Books, lab fees, late fees
- Classroom materials/travel costs
- Application fee
- Online study
- Center for Professional Education courses

Tuition Remission & Your taxes

- Tuition Remission benefit for undergraduate courses (100-599) is tax exempt.
- Tuition remission benefit for graduate courses (600-999) is considered additional taxable income.
- First \$5,250 of graduate remission benefit each calendar year is tax exempt
- To contact a Benefits Officer, call 617-353-4488 or email perben@bu.edu

Using Tuition Remission

- Step 1: Register for courses
 - If this is your first course as an employee, use paper registration form
- Step 2: Log on to BU Works: Employee Self Service to apply for tuition remission
- Step 3: Pay your Student Account Balance on StudentLink (Money Matters tab) before payment deadline.

Your Next Steps...

- Apply Online for a degree or certificate program
 - bu.edu/met/apply
- Summer 2 2015 courses in Boston begin on June 29.
 - Course offerings are available to view online at www.bu.edu/summer/courses
 - Registration is open www.bu.edu/summer/registration
- Fall 2015 courses begin September 2
 - Course offerings are available to view online at www.bu.edu/met/courses/graduate
 - Registration for new students is open.

Thank you for joining us!

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