

MSc Accounting
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WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE
22-26 SEPTEMBER 2025

Welcome to Alliance Manchester Business School (AMBS) and the MSc Accounting, MSc Finance, MSc Accounting and Finance, and MSc Quantitative Finance degree programmes.

Below is a copy of your programme Welcome Week timetable. Each day there will be activities for you to get involved in and the chance to find out more about the course, School, and University.

In addition to your programme timetable, there will also be University-wide Welcome activities to help you meet people and settle into our community. Check out the [What's on during Welcome](#) page and [Students' Union events](#) page to find out about other activities happening around the University of Manchester.

Take a look at the [Welcome to Manchester](#) webpages to help you settle in. These contain key information about registration, safety on campus, student support and preparing for your studies.

We hope you have a really enjoyable first few weeks on campus, making new friends and discovering everything that we have to offer. Best of luck for the new academic year!



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Monday, 22 September 2025

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow the steps on IT Services Information to get set up and ready for the start of year 		
Anytime between 10am-12 noon	Collect your free exclusive AMBS hoodie! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collect your free exclusive AMBS hoodie at the AMBS Student Support Hub. For every hoodie distributed, a tree has been planted to give back to nature. 		Student Support Hub AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.091
12 noon-1pm	Group Working and Cross-Cultural Communication <i>*ALL students to attend</i>	Kathy Bradley and Tahira Majothi (Equality, Diversity & Inclusion Team)	Online via Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 370 031 110 222 9 Passcode: tW6u3pg2

Tuesday, 23 September 2025

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
11am-12 noon	PGT Coordinator's Welcome to the Division of Accounting and Finance <i>*ALL students to attend</i>	Professor Roberto Mura	University Place, Theatre A <i>*University Place is number 37 on the campus map, which is a 5-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
2-3pm	Accounting & Finance MSc Programmes Postgraduate Careers Service Induction <i>*ALL students to attend</i>	AMBS Postgraduate Careers Service Team	University Place, Theatre A <i>*University Place is number 37 on the campus map, which is a 5-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
Anytime between 1-4pm	AMBS Student Fair (drop-in session) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Find out more about AMBS Student Societies (including an opportunity to join) as well as other support services and resources available for you as an AMBS student. 		AMBS Building, Third Floor, HIVE Event Space
Anytime between 1-4pm	AMBS 60th Anniversary - Student Celebration (drop-in session) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You are invited to a special event to mark the 60th anniversary of AMBS. This celebration will feature a photobooth, birthday cake, and a variety of other activities. 		AMBS Building, Ground floor, Reception area

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Wednesday, 24 September 2025

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Breakfast time: 9-9.30am 9.30-10.30am	MSc Finance Programme Induction and Breakfast <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet your Programme Director: presentation followed by Q&A. Light breakfast will be provided. <i>*only MSc Finance students to attend</i>	Dr Sarah Zhang	AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.008 Breakfast location: Second Floor, HIVE Café / Concourse
10-11am Lunch time: 11-11.30am	MSc Accounting and Finance Programme Induction and Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet your Programme Director: presentation followed by Q&A. Light lunch will be provided. <i>*only MSc Accounting and Finance students to attend</i>	Dr ChunLei Yang	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.009 Lunch location: Second Floor, HIVE Café / Concourse
10-11am Lunch time: 11-11.30am	MSc Quantitative Finance Programme Induction and Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet your Programme Director: presentation followed by Q&A. Light lunch will be provided. <i>*only MSc Quantitative Finance students to attend</i>	Dr Eirini Konstantinidi	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.013a/b Lunch location: Third Floor, HIVE Event Space and Room 3.004
11am-12.30pm Lunch time: 12.30-1pm	MSc Accounting Programme Induction and Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet your Programme Director: presentation followed by Q&A How to keep in touch: Introduction to MSc Accounting Community on Teams Light lunch will be provided <i>*only MSc Accounting students to attend</i>	Dr Nooch Kuasirikun	AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.008 Lunch location: Second Floor, HIVE Café / Concourse
Anytime between 12-3pm	Wellbeing Wednesday (drop-in session) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Join us for some wellbeing craft activities, giant boardgames, or just take a moment to unwind and relax during Welcome week. You will also have an opportunity to meet our Student Support and Wellbeing (SSW) team and find out how they can support you during your studies here at AMBS. 	Student Support and Wellbeing (SSW) team	Cosy Campus Space AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.094
Workshop 1: 2-3pm Workshop 2: 3-4pm	BMAN74231 Review of Quantitative Methods - Workshop 1 and 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please ensure you review the lecture materials on Canvas BEFORE attending these workshops <i>*MSc Accounting and Finance, MSc Finance and MSc Quantitative Finance students to attend</i>	Dr Yifan Li	<u>Online via Microsoft Teams</u> Meeting ID: 398 736 403 796 9 Passcode: za9Ae9c9

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Thursday, 25 September 2025

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch the Welcome and Introduction to PGT Study from Adam Frost, Director of Postgraduate Taught Programmes at AMBS Have a look at some useful checklists from the Transitioning to life at University to help you prepare for your studies Important information about support available from the AMBS Student Support & Wellbeing Team Read more about the Academic Advisor information Passionate about improving the student experience? Find out more and apply to become a Student Representative Have a look at the University of Manchester Library website to see the resources, training and support available for you. 		
10-11am OR 11am-12 noon	<p>AMBS Building Tour (optional)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Between 10am and 12 noon there will be short tours of the building to familiarise you with our resources, facilities, and available support. The tours last around 15-20 minutes and numbers are limited to 25 students per tour group on a first come first served basis. <p><i>*For MSc Finance and MSc Accounting & Finance students, please sign up at the meeting point at 10am.</i></p> <p><i>*For MSc Accounting and MSc Quantitative Finance students, please sign up at the meeting point at 11am.</i></p>	AMBS Student Ambassadors	Meeting point: AMBS foyer
Workshop 3: 2-3pm	BMAN74231 Review of Quantitative Methods - Workshop 3 and 4	Dr Yifan Li	Online via Microsoft Teams
Workshop 4: 3-4pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please ensure you review the lecture materials on Canvas BEFORE attending these workshops <p><i>*MSc Accounting and Finance, MSc Finance and MSc Quantitative Finance students to attend</i></p>		Meeting ID: 398 736 403 796 9 Passcode: za9Ae9c9

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Friday, 26 September 2025

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit My Learning Essentials webpage - our Library's award-winning skills programme that provides online guidance and resources, workshop sessions, as well as drop-in support. 		
10-11.30am	Ethics Lecture <i>*all students to attend</i>	Dr Christopher Godfrey	Stopford Building, First Floor, Lecture Theatre 1 <i>*Stopford Building is number 79 on the campus map, which is an 8-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
Anytime between 11.30am-12 noon	Ask us anything! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optional informal drop-in session with the Information, Advice & Guidance (IAG) team and the Curriculum & Programmes (C&P) team. Come along to meet our friendly team for any general School enquiries that you may have! 	IAG team and C&P team	AMBS Building, Third Floor, HIVE Event Space
12.30-2pm OR 3-4.30pm	Team Campus Challenge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Join us for a fun adventure and an engaging team-building activity to get to know your peers. Please arrive early at the meeting point, as we will be exploring the campus for this activity. <i>*For MSc Finance and MSc Quantitative Finance students, please join the 12.30pm session.</i> <i>*For MSc Accounting & Finance and MSc Accounting students, please join the 3pm session.</i>	IAG team and Student Ambassadors	AMBS Building, Ground Floor, Room G.003



We are here to support you every step of the way



AMBS Student Support Hub

AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.091

Open Monday to Friday, 9am - 5pm
Drop in for information and advice during Welcome Week and throughout the year.



AMBS Postgraduate Taught (PGT) Handbook

The online handbook is the main source of information about your programme, studies and available support throughout your degree.

We recommend saving the online handbook as a favourite, or adding it to your bookmarks to give you easy access whenever you need it.



Interactive Campus Map

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