

WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE

16-20 SEPTEMBER 2024

## MSc Business Analysis and Strategic Management

Welcome to Alliance Manchester Business School (AMBS) and the MSc Business Analysis and Strategic Management degree programme.

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 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 registering your attendance, safety on campus, student support and preparing for your studies.



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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!

 Get in touch with us!



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## MSc Business Analysis and Strategic Management

### Monday, 16 September 2024

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Follow the steps on <a href="#">IT Services Information</a> to get set up and ready for the start of year</li> <li>Watch the <a href="#">Welcome and Introduction to PGT Study</a> from Dr Manuel Lopez-Ibanez, Director of Postgraduate Teaching at AMBS</li> </ul>		
11am-12 noon	<p><b>MSc Business Analysis and Strategic Management Programme Induction 1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meet your Programme Directors and the teaching team: presentation followed by Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Ground Floor, Room G.003
1-2pm	Academic Writing Session	Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Fourth Floor, Room 4.009
2-4pm	<p><b>Team Quest Treasure Trail</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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 explore the campus and the city afterwards.</li> </ul>	Blue Hat Teambuilding	Meeting point: AMBS Building, Ground Floor, Room G.003

### Tuesday, 17 September 2024

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more about <a href="#">AMBS Student Societies</a></li> <li>Complete the <a href="#">BMAN61230 Health &amp; Safety Course</a></li> <li>Complete the <a href="#">BMAN74940 Academic Malpractice Awareness Course</a></li> </ul>		
11-11.30am	Critical Thinking and Case Analysis Session	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.009
1-2pm	Breakout Groups – Case Study Discussion	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.009 <b>Breakout rooms:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Room 3.008</li> <li>Room 4.010a/4.010b</li> </ul>
2-3.30pm	3 x 20 minute presentations	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.009
3.30-4pm	<p><b>AMBS Student Fair</b> (drop-in session)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more about Student Societies (including an opportunity to join) as well as other support services and resources available for you as an AMBS student.</li> </ul>		AMBS Building, Third Floor, HIVE Event Space

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### Wednesday, 18 September 2024

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
11am-12 noon	Teamwork Session	Julie Froud	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.009
1-2pm	Breakout Groups – Teamwork Activity	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.006a/3.006b  <b>Breakout rooms:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Room 3.008</li> <li>Room 3.013a/3.013b</li> </ul>
2-3pm	Teamwork Session Part 2 – Presentations	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Third Floor, Room 3.006a/3.006b

### Thursday, 19 September 2024

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Important information about support available from the <a href="#">AMBS Student Support &amp; Wellbeing Team</a></li> <li>Have a look at some useful checklists from the <a href="#">Transitioning to life at University</a> to help you prepare for your studies</li> <li>Passionate about improving the student experience? <a href="#">Find out more and apply to become a Student Representative</a></li> <li><a href="#">Academic Advisor information</a></li> </ul>		
11am-12 noon	Postgraduate Careers Service Induction: Your MSc programme as a step into professional practice	AMBS Postgraduate Careers Service team	AMBS Building, Ground Floor, Room G.003
1-2pm	<b>AMBS Building Tour</b> (optional) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Between 1-2pm 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. Please sign up at the meeting point at 1pm.</li> </ul>	Student Ambassadors	Meeting point: AMBS foyer

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Friday, 20 September 2024

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete the <a href="#">Ethical Grand Challenges</a>, our online activities focussing on Sustainability, Social Justice and Workplace Ethics.</li> <li>Have a look at the <a href="#">University of Manchester Library website</a> to see the resources, training and support available for you.</li> <li>Visit <a href="#">My Learning Essentials webpage</a> - our Library's award-winning skills programme that provides online guidance and resources, workshop sessions, as well as drop-in support.</li> </ul>		
11am-12 noon	<p><b>Ask us anything!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Optional informal drop-in session with the Information, Advice &amp; Guidance (IAG) team and the Curriculum &amp; Programmes (C&amp;P) team</li> </ul>	IAG team and C&P team	AMBS Building, Third Floor, HIVE Event Space
12.30-2.30pm	<p><b>Collect your free exclusive AMBS hoodie!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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.</li> </ul>		<p><b>Student Support Hub</b></p> <p>AMBS Building, Second Floor, Room 2.091</p>
3-6pm	MSc Business Analysis and Strategic Management Social Event	Dr Dimitrija Kalanoski and Dr William il-Kuk Kang	AMBS Building, Tenth Floor, Penthouse



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**

AMBS is building number 29.



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