

WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE

21-25 SEPTEMBER 2026

MSc Finance

Welcome to Alliance Manchester Business School (AMBS) and the MSc Finance 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 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.



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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!



We are here to support you every step of the way



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Monday, 21 September 2026

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	Follow the steps on IT Services Information to get set up and ready for the start of year		
11.30am - 1pm	Team Campus Challenge 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.	IAG team and Student Ambassadors	AMBS Building, Ground Floor, Room G.003
Anytime between 1-3pm	Collect your free exclusive AMBS hoodie! 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

Tuesday, 22 September 2026

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
11am-12 noon	PGT Coordinator's Welcome to the Division of Accounting and Finance	Professor Roberto Mura	Crawford House, Theatre 1 <i>*Crawford House is number 31 on the campus map, which is a 6-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
2-3pm	Postgraduate Careers Service Induction: Your MSc programme as a step into professional practice	AMBS Postgraduate Careers Service team	Crawford House, Theatre 1 <i>*Crawford House is number 31 on the campus map, which is a 6-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
Anytime between 3-4pm	AMBS Student Fair (drop-in session) 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

Wednesday, 23 September 2026

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	- Complete the BMAN61230 Health and Safety Course via Canvas - Complete the BMAN74940 Academic Malpractice Awareness Course via Canvas - Passionate about improving the student experience? Find out more and apply to become your programme's Student Representative - Watch the Welcome and Introduction to PGT Study from Adam Frost, Director of Postgraduate Taught Programmes at AMBS - Read more about the Academic Advisor information		
11am-12 noon	MSc Finance Programme Induction Meet your Programme Director: presentation followed by Q&A	Dr Sarah Zhang	Booth Street East Building, Theatre A <i>*Booth Street East Building is number 26 on the campus map, which is a 7-minute walk from AMBS.</i>
12-12.30pm	MSc Finance Programme Social - This is an opportunity for you to talk with your peers, share experiences, and make friends in a relaxed setting. - Light refreshments will be provided.	Dr Sarah Zhang	AMBS Building, Second Floor, Hive Cafe area
Anytime between 1-3pm	Wellbeing Wednesday (drop-in session) 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

Thursday, 24 September 2026

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	- Important information about support available from the AMBS Student Support & Wellbeing Team - Have a look at some useful checklists from the Transitioning to life at University to help you prepare for your studies		
10-11am	AMBS Building Tour (optional) Between 11am-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 15 students per tour group on a first come first served basis. Please sign up at the meeting point at 10am.	AMBS Student Ambassadors	Meeting point: AMBS foyer

Friday, 25 September 2026

Time	Activity	Delivered by	Location
Anytime today	- Have a look at the University of Manchester Library website to see the resources, training and support available for you - 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	Dr Christopher Godfrey	Crawford House, Theatre 1 <i>*Crawford House is number 31 on the campus map, which is a 6-minute walk from AMBS.</i>



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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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