Class of 2023 Welcome Webinar

- this webinar will be recorded
- the recording and slide deck will be posted on the For New Admits website

Amanda Gill, Justine Roades & Leah Rozeboom – Associate Directors
Evening & Weekend MBA Program
Justine Roades

Responsible for:
• Advising last names A-G
• Elective course portfolio
• International opportunities

Fun Fact: I have two signed letters from President and First Lady Barack and Michelle Obama!
Amanda Gill

Responsible for:
• Advising last names H-O
• Core curriculum

Fun Fact: Like you, I pursued a master’s degree at UC Berkeley while working full time. I received my MA in Global Studies in December. #studentsalways
Leah J. Rozeboom

Responsible for:
• Advising last names P-Z
• Elective course portfolio

Fun Fact: I placed in a national puzzle competition and was contacted about appearing on a televised network gameshow for my unique talent.
Agenda

1 – Academics
• Fall Core Curriculum
• Core Waiver Exams
• Course & Program Materials
• Academic & Social Cohort Reps

2 – Events
• WE Launch
• Data & Decisions Pre-Term Workshop
• Sexual Harassment Prevention Training

3 – Resources
• Program Office Staff
• Career Management Group
• Financial Aid
• Bear Necessities
• Others

4 – Wrap Up
• Connect with your class
• Upcoming dates
• Questions
ACADEMICS

YOU GOT THIS

\[ x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \]
Fall Core Curriculum

Academic Calendar

Class of 2023 Core Schedule

- **WE Launch**
  Signature Event
  Orientation weekend (required)

- **FALL A**
  Economics for Business Decision Making
  Learn to think systematically about achieving competitive advantage

- **FALL B**
  Marketing Management
  Look strategically at marketing decisions
  Data & Decisions
  Become a critical consumer of statistical analysis
Core Waiver Exams (Fall Term)

• Fall waiver exams for Microeconomics, Marketing and Data & Decisions
• **Sign up before Thursday, July 9**
• Test dates: Wednesday, July 15 @ 12:00 PM (noon) through Sunday, July 19 @ 11:59 PM
• Sign up if you have *any* interest in waiving or think you could pass.
  – There will be **no** opportunity to take the waiver exam at a later date
  – We will **not** entertain requests to defer a course so you can take the waiver exam the following year.

**SPRING TERM WAIVER EXAMS**

• Information on Spring waiver exams (held in early December) to come later
• Students who qualify for an automatic waiver (CPA, CFA certifications, etc.) should submit documentation to Amanda Gill
Course & Program Materials

• Required textbooks will be listed for each cohort on the For New Admits website.
• You are responsible for acquiring your textbooks.
• Course readers (electronic access only) are included in your tuition fees and will be available via study.net.
Academic & Social Cohort Representatives

• Great leadership opportunity
• Serve as key point of contact between your professors, classmates and EW Program Office
• Applications open on or around **July 10** (when cohorts are assigned)
• Submit your [application online](#) by **August 2**
• **ACR interviews** in early August
• **SCR elections** in early August
EVENTS
WE Launch

Virtual Sessions: July 13 – July 26

View the schedule for WE Launch:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DpO0ajOmdOMRYJm_FJ2bnHwPr0AzC1H02VjcsrgD-E/edit?usp=sharing

*WE Launch Website coming soon in the Bear Necessities!
Data & Decisions: Pre-Term Workshop

- 100% online and housed within bCourses (our learning management platform)
- Designed to help you navigate the first 12 chapters of the D&D textbook and be ready for the quiz on Day 1 of Data & Decisions in Fall B
- Students with quantitative backgrounds should use the workshop as a guide to determine whether they should take the D&D waiver exam
- Watch for an logistics announcement from Professor Dinova
- If you have questions, use the Message Board and James, the GSI, will answer
Sexual Harassment Prevention Training

• 2-part campus-wide requirement
  • Online training
    • Watch for task in CalCentral
  • In-person training
    • Facilitated by EW Program Office (part of WE Launch)
• Both parts are required
• Must be completed in order for you to enroll in Spring classes.
Immunizations & Tuberculosis Risk

• UC Berkeley requires all students to show proof of specific immunizations and complete a TB Risk questionnaire
• Failure to complete this task will impede enrollment in Spring 2021
• Notification comes via CalCentral
• Forms can be filled out online via eTang Patient Portal
• Check the UHS website for updates
RESOURCES
EW MBA Program Office Staff

Jamie Breen
Assistant Dean

Mark Gorenflo
Executive Director

Avni Kansara
Director of Student Experience

Janelle Hofeditz
Director of Strategic Initiatives

Amanda Gill
Associate Director

Justine Roades
Associate Director

Leah Rozeboom
Associate Director

Vicki Orlando
Assistant Director

Jessica De Anda
Student Experience Specialist
Academic Advisors

Do you have one?
Yes!

Who is it?
- Last names A-G: Justine Roades
- Last names H-O: Amanda Gill
- Last names P-Z: Leah Rozeboom

What do you talk about?
- Course planning
- Academic support
- Studying techniques
- Next steps in your program
- Work/life balance
- Academic strategy
- Disability/accommodations
- Emergencies
Non-Academic Questions

EWMBA Program Office

ewmba_office@haas.berkeley.edu
Career Management Group

• Welcome video in early July
  – watch your email!

• Q&A on Tuesday, **July 7** from 12:00-12:30 PM
  – Q&A Registration Link

• WE Launch session on **July 15**
Financial Aid

• Dedicated office for Haas students
• Upcoming webinars
  – Loan Comparison: Wednesday, June 24 12:00-1:00 PM
  – Money Matters: Wednesday, July 22 12:00-1:00 PM
• Contact Financial Aid
  – Schedule a consultation
  – finaid@haas.berkeley.edu
  – https://haas.berkeley.edu/financial-aid/evening-weekend-mba/
Billing & Payments

• Per unit fees for the 2020-2021 academic year = TBD
• Payment in full is due August 15 unless you sign up for the Fee Payment Plan (FPP) which allows fees to be paid in 5 monthly installments
• Sign up for FPP before August 15 to avoid late fees
• Review your CalCentral account frequently; this is where your official academic and financial details live
Bear Necessities

Your *need-to-know* newsletter
Other Resources

• EWMBA website for incoming students
  – https://haas.berkeley.edu/ewmba/newadmit/
  – https://haas.berkeley.edu/ewmba/newadmit/faq/

• EWMBA website for current students
  https://haas.berkeley.edu/ewmba/
WRAP UP
Connect With Your Class

EW MBA – All Years Facebook Group

@HaasEW MBA
@berkeleyhaas

Haas EW MBA Class of 2023

@HaasEW MBA
#berkeleyhaas
Upcoming Dates

Wednesday, June 24 (12:00-1:00 PM)
- Loan Comparison: Financial Aid webinar

Monday, July 6
- Complete profile on Slate

Tuesday, July 7 (12:00-12:30 PM)
- CMG Q&A

Monday, July 13
- Submit photo for your Cal 1 Card (student ID card)

Monday, July 13 – Thursday, July 23
- WE Launch sessions

Wednesday, July 15 – Sunday, July 19
- Core waiver exams

Wednesday, July 22 (12:00-1:00 PM)
- Money Matters: Financial Aid webinar

Friday, July 24 – Sunday, July 26
- Required WE Launch Sessions

Monday, July 27 & Tuesday, July 28
- Evening courses begin (Blue & Gold cohorts)

Saturday, August 8
- Weekend courses begin (Axe & Oski cohorts)

Friday, August 15
- Fall tuition payment due
THANK YOU!

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