WELCOME TO BOSTON COLLEGE &

THE

BOSTON COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

PROGRAM

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BCEP ORIENTATION

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BOSTON COLLEGE

Summer Session
Welcome to BC!
Dee Masiello

Director, Boston College Experience

A little about me …

- **Hometown:** Westwood, MA

- **Education:**
  - Undergrad: University of Massachusetts
  - Graduate: M.Ed. Northeastern University
  - Ed.D Candidate University of Southern California

- **Fun Fact:** I was once on the evening news in Saigon, Vietnam!
Matt Razek
Resident Director (RD)

A little about me …

- **Hometown**: Cleveland, OH

- **Education**:
  - Undergrad: Loyola University Chicago
  - Graduate: M.S. Indiana University
  - MBA Candidate, Boston College

- **Fun Fact**: I won my first game of FortNite with zero kills. #skill
Kelsey McClear
Program Coordinator (PC)

A little about me …

- **Hometown:** Detroit, MI

- **Education:**
  - Undergrad: Loyola University Chicago
  - Graduate: M.A. Candidate, Boston College

- **Fun Fact:** Was on a panel with Barack Obama after he was President and got a signed City of Chicago flag - visit my office to see!
Erica Osiecki

Program Coordinator (PC)

A little about me …

● **Hometown:** Easton, MA

● **Education:**
  ○ Undergrad: Boston College
  ○ Graduate: M.A. Student, Boston College

● **Fun Fact:** I studied abroad in London and while I was there, I got to visit the world of Harry Potter and see the authentic costumes and sets the actors used in the movie! (I’m a huge Harry Potter fan)
BCE Peer Advisors (PA)

Sophia Altimari
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BCE Peer Advisors (PA)

Jack Goldman
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Charissa Kim
BCE Peer Advisors (PA)

Roger Murray
Kyle Strom
Kara Verma
Who You Are

- 240 students aging 15-18 yrs
- Rising high school sophomores, juniors & seniors
- Citizens of 14 different countries
- Residents of 24 different U.S. states & Puerto Rico
- 57% Female   43% Male
Classes and Schedules

● Forensic Discovery
● Business and Leadership Institute
● English Language Immersion Program
● Creative Writing Seminar
● Introduction to Psychology
● Digital Communities Seminar
● Sports Management Institute
● College Writing Seminar

● Boston College Honors
● Boston College Math Experience

Can’t wait to learn!
Our Vision for the Summer

BCEP and CLXF

- Build a sense of community
- Learn and grow throughout the program
- Respect and care for one another
- Create a comfortable living space
- Experience life on a college campus
- Explore and get to know Boston
- Represent BC well
- Make new friends
- Have fun!
Weekly Schedule Overview

- **Classes** held Monday-Thursday AM and PM
  - (except 2 week program, also on Friday)

- **Weekly Activity Schedule**
  - Look for the schedule posted on the bulletin board in the Fenwick Lobby
  - Tuesday @ 4pm: College Prep Seminar
  - Thursday @ 4pm: College Prep Seminar
  - Friday: College Visits
  - Saturday: Discover Boston
  - Sunday: Evening Reflections

- **Nightly Socials** in the Residence Hall

- **Mini Boston programs** throughout the week
Community Service Opportunities

- Participate in service activities in the Boston area (2 total)
- Reflect on service and why we do it
- Sign up sheets will be posted Sunday nights
College Preparation Seminars

- Learn what types of colleges best suit you; get valuable tips from admissions officers
- Discuss social pressures faced during college
- Learn about time and stress management
- Speak with current BC students about their transition to college and overall college experience

College Visits

- Trips will include: Northeastern, BU, MIT, and Brown
- Open to students on a first come, first serve basis - sign up sheets will be posted Sunday nights
- Cap = 40 students
Discover Boston Trips

[Images of Boston attractions such as Aquarium, Beacon Hill, Charles River, Faneuil Hall, Fenway Park, and beaches]
Social Programming

**Saturday June 23rd:**
**Welcome Ice Cream Social**- Join BCE staff for ice cream and getting to know other BCE students
8:30pm Fenwick 3 Lounge

**Sunday June 24th**
**BCE Barbeque**- Join BCE staff and faculty for a welcome BBQ to celebrate the beginning of the Boston College Experience Program.
6pm CLXF Lawn

**Monday June 25th**
**Mario Kart Tournament**- It is March Madness style Mario Kart! Come to Loyola 1 Lounge to try and be the undisputed greatest Mario Kart player of all time! Bonus Pino’s Pizza.
8:30pm in Loyola 1 Lounge

**Tuesday June 26th**
**Family Game Night**- If you can’t beat the heat then you might as well enjoy it. Come on down and play some board games while enjoying buffalo chicken wings.
8:30pm in Fenwick 3 Lounge

**Wednesday June 27th**
**Paint with Picasso**- Paint night to make residence hall decorations, meet some new friends and create some fun decorations. Snacks included.
8:30pm in Fenwick 3 Lounge

**Thursday June 28th**
**Dodgeball**- If you can dodge a wrench you can dodge a ball, come do it all at the Upper Campus Basketball Court, form teams and get ready to dip, duck, dive and dodge. Winner gets a prize.
8:30pm on Upper Basketball Court

**Friday June 29th**
**Boston University College Tour**- Leave at 9am, *sign-up in Fenwick Lobby*
**Massachusetts Institute of Technology College Tour**- Leave at 3:45pm, *sign-up in Fenwick Lobby*

**Saturday June 30th**
**Yoga Under the Stars**- Come spend some time focusing on your deep breathing and mindfulness after your first week at BC.
8:30pm on CLXF Lawn

**Sunday July 1st**
**Making S’more Pops and Friends**- A classic summertime activity with a twist. Make indoor s’more pops and
RESOURCES AND POLICIES
RESOURCES

- Canvas (class website)
- Wifi
- Printing
- Recreation Center (Plex)
- Laundry
- Health Services
IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR AGORA ACCOUNT PRIVILEGES!

With the exception of the students in the six week programs:

BCE participants are NOT BCE students. You are considered Affiliates of the College therefore your access to services on the Agora Portal are **limited to use of the Canvas Learning System ONLY.**

**You DO NOT qualify for Eagle ID cards.** Please DO NOT attempt to obtain one through Student Services.

**You MAY NOT reload your meal card through Agora.** We have provided you a food budget that takes into consideration three meals a day M-F and two meals per day on Saturday and Sunday for the duration of your study. There will be many events during the program where you will provided food. Please note, If you run out of funds on your Meal card you will have to pay in cash or credit at the dining halls are your own expense so be sure to budget wisely!
2018 Summer Hours

**The Eagle’s Nest**
(2nd Floor of McElroy)
Mon. □ Fri., 7:30am □ 7:30pm
Sat. 11:00am □ 7:00pm

**The Loft @ Addie’s**
(2nd Floor of Corcoran Commons)
Mon. □ Fri., 8am □ 2pm
Sun. 11:00am □ 7:00pm

**café 129**
(3rd Floor of 129 Lake Street)
Mon. □ Fri., 8am □ 2pm
Living on Campus

Living on Campus is a PRIVILEGE...

- Use respectful language
- Make good, ethical decisions
- Know & follow policies
- Know items that are prohibited in the halls
- Accept responsibility for your actions

Failure to abide by community living expectations can result in removal from campus housing
I’m locked out … What do I do?

- Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM
  - Try to find a PA or PC
  - Check with your roommate

- Every night from 8 PM - 7 AM
  - Contact the PA on duty

- All other times
  - Contact BCPD
Life in C-L-X-F

- Only BCE students and approved staff may enter the residence halls during the program.
- Residence Hall floors are separated by gender with dedicated bathrooms.
- Students are **only** allowed on same-gender floors and rooms.
- Respect your roommate(s) and your shared space.
- Storing of items in common spaces is not allowed:
  - Hallways, Stairwells, Lounges
Leaving BC’s Campus

BCE participants MAY NOT leave the campus alone while in the program.

To leave campus participants must:
• Be accompanied by at least two other students.
• Have written approval from a Program Coordinator.

To leave campus overnight, you must:
• Complete and submit the sign out form signed by a parent/guardian no less than 24 hours in advance to leave overnight
FIRE SAFETY

If you hear a fire alarm in the building:

• Immediately proceed outside by the basketball courts and find your group leader (holding a sign with the #)
• DO NOT RE-ENTER THE BUILDING UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO!
Nightly Curfew

There are NO exceptions to these rules!

- Unless you have provided an acceptable justification in advance (accompanied by parental/guardian approval) ALL participants must be in the building by **10pm Sunday - Thursday night** and by **11pm Friday & Saturday night**
- All residents **MUST** check in each night with a staff member in Fenwick 3 lounge between 8-10 or 11pm.
- You **MUST** be in your room by **11:30pm Sunday – Thursday** and by **1am on Friday and Saturday**
- Failing to do this could result in dismissal from the program.
**SAFETY AND SECURITY**

- Always carry your ID and remember your pin. You will need it to enter your room and use the bathroom.
- Stealing is a crime of opportunity. Do not leave valuables unattended.
- Only males are allowed on the 1st and 4th floors; Only females are allowed on the 2nd and 3rd floors (unless you are going to a lounge).
- If you have a guest of the same gender in your room, door must remain propped open.
- If someone seems suspicious, report it to the PA’s on duty or PC.
- Do not prop exterior doors. The only entrance into CLXF is via the Fenwick 2 lobby.
Noise and Quiet Hours

Sunday - Thursday
Start at 10pm

Friday - Saturday
Start at Midnight

Courteser Hours

- 24/7
- In student rooms
- In public spaces
(outside the building, in the lounges, hallways, etc.)
If A Situation is Being Documented

- Cooperate with ALL university officials. Including, but not limited to: PAs, PCs, BCPD
- Have your ID ready

- If you have an issue with the way the situation was handled, you can speak with a PC in our meeting. This is not the time to argue.
- Take responsibility for your actions.
Alcohol and Drugs

Possession or use of drugs and/or alcohol are strictly prohibited and will result in immediate expulsion from the program with no refund.

Students are also not to be in possession or use vapes/Juuls, or any form of electronic cigarette.
I WILL RESPECT...

- Myself
- My Roommates
- Our PAs and PC’s
- Other Community Members
- BC Community
- Housekeeping Staff
- University Officials
- Policies
- Positively represent BCEP on and off-campus
Boston College Police Department
617-552-4440

PA Duty 1 (8pm-7am)
857-290-0827

PA Duty 2 (8pm-7am)
857-290-0828
WHAT’S NEXT?

Dismiss by Small Group:
Introductions
& Virtual Campus Tour

6pm: BBQ on Upper Campus; If it rains, we will have the food in the O’Connell House (next to basketball courts)