The MS-Information Technology program at UMass Boston is 42 credits in total. Students with equivalent prior coursework may waive up to 3 classes according to the policy below, allowing them to complete the degree in as few as 11 classes.

Course Waiver Criteria

- A grade of B or better in the equivalent course(s). For waivers that require completion of two courses, a waiver will not be granted unless the student has earned a B or better in both courses.
- Prior courses must be completed within 7 years of applying to the College of Management.
- Please note that students requesting reconsideration of course waiver decisions will be asked to provide syllabi and/or course descriptions for the courses in question.

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<th>Required Core Course</th>
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<td>MBAMS 630: Statistical Analysis for Managers</td>
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The following courses are degree requirements and cannot be waived:

- MBAMGT 650: Organizational Analysis and Skills
- MSIS 614: Business Data Communications
- MSIS 615: Object Oriented Information Systems
- MSIS 618: Database Management
- MSIS 619: Systems Analysis and Design
- MSIS 670: Enterprise Business Intelligence
- MSIS 630: Project and Change Management
- 4 Elective Courses