MassTransfer Alternate Major Form

Because you are completing your graduation requirements this semester and/or over the summer, we are not yet able to determine if you will have the minimum final GPA required for your first-choice major. Thus, we are asking you to choose an alternate major for which you would like to apply. Write it below, and upload this form to your application portal. Be sure to upload it as a “Transfer Alternate Major.”

Please visit this website for a list of majors offered at the University of Massachusetts Amherst. Additionally, information about MassTransfer selective major requirements can be found on the second page of this document and on the MassTransfer website.

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Alternate Major

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Name (Print clearly)                      Date
The following majors have selective admission criteria:

- Architecture & Art: Portfolio submitted and approved by department.
- Business, Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing, Operations Management, and Sport Management: (1) completing an associate’s degree program approved for the Isenberg School of Management; (2) a minimum GPA of 3.0 at every college/university attended; (3) a minimum grade of C in calculus or B in precalculus; and (4) grades of B- or higher in all business predictor courses.
- Communication: Minimum community college GPA of 2.7.
- Computer Science: Minimum community college GPA of 2.7 and completing an associate’s degree program approved for the College of Information and Computer Sciences.
- Dance: Successful audition with the Department of Dance.
- Engineering: Minimum community college GPA of 2.7 and completing an associate’s degree program approved for the College of Engineering.
- Hospitality and Tourism Management: Minimum community college GPA of 2.7.
- Journalism: Minimum community college GPA of 3.0.
- Kinesiology: GPA of 2.7-3.0 or higher, as well as above-average grades in math and/or science coursework.
- Music: Successful audition with the Department of Music.
- Science Majors: Must have strong grades in related math and/or science coursework.

Students are not admitted directly into BDIC or Education. Transfer students are not eligible for Nursing or Exploratory Track options.