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Explore big ideas, join vibrant communities, and shape a college experience that's uniquely yours.

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Public Research University
in New England,
Non-Medical School
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Top 50

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251

Total Degree Programs

EXCELLENCE IN ACTION

UMass **Amherst** advances academic excellence through research, teaching, and engagement across campus. Students and faculty drive discovery through programs, scholarship, and events that extend beyond the classroom.

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A Historical Antidote to Today's Fast Fashion Culture

Groundbreaking Graduate Student Emily Whitted conducts research on the rich history of textile repair in early America.

TECHNOLOGY IN ACTION Code, Collaborations, and Big Ideas

HackUMass brings innovation to life.

**FOR THE COMMON
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Building
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BLAZE YOUR OWN TRAIL

Discover more than 100 undergraduate majors, minors, and certificates in fields ranging from engineering to public health to literature. You can even design your own major through our individual concentration program. Whatever your path, UMass gives you the freedom to explore and the tools to excel.



Find a Program

With more than 100 majors, you have the freedom to explore your interests and build an academic path that reflects who you are and where you want to go.



Design Your Own Major

Through the Bachelor's Degree with Individual Concentration (BDIC) Program, students can create a personalized major, blending courses across fields to explore passions beyond traditional academic boundaries.



Study Abroad

Global learning opportunities immerse students in new cultures, expanding their perspectives and preparing them to thrive in a connected world.

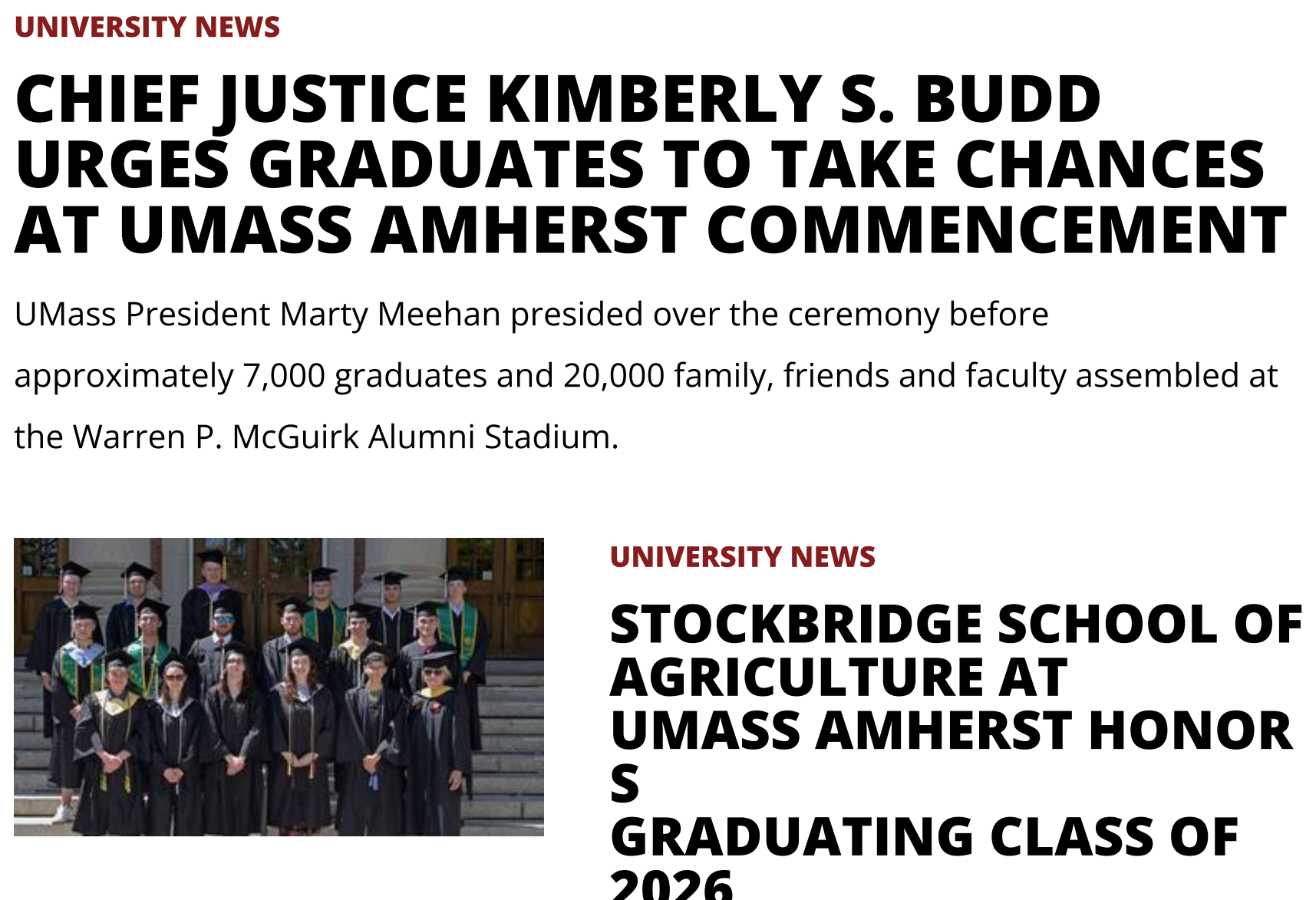
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UNIVERSITY NEWS

CHIEF JUSTICE KIMBERLY S. BUDD URGES GRADUATES TO TAKE CHANCES AT UMMASS AMHERST COMMENCEMENT

UMass President Marty Meehan presided over the ceremony before approximately 7,000 graduates and 20,000 family, friends and faculty assembled at the Warren P. McGuirk Alumni Stadium.



UNIVERSITY NEWS

STOCKBRIDGE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AT UMMASS AMHERST HONOR S GRADUATING CLASS OF 2026

The new graduates will shape the beauty, health, and sustainability of the natural environment, steward for the common good, and answer pressing needs for sustainable food systems.



UNIVERSITY NEWS

UMMASS AMHERST GRADUATE SCHOOL CONFERS OVER 2,200 DEGREES AT MAY 15 MASTER AND EDUCATION SPECIALIST COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Presiding over the celebration, Interim Dean of the Graduate School Elizabeth Jakob reflected on the diversity of the Class of 2026, noting that degree recipients include 650 international students from more than 60 countries.



UNIVERSITY NEWS

UMMASS AMHERST GRADUATE SCHOOL CONFERS 393 DOCTORAL DEGREES AT MULLINS CENTER CEREMONY

The Graduate School conferred doctoral degrees to recipients—including international students representing more than 60 countries—during a ceremony May 9 at the Mullins Center before more than 3,000 family, friends and faculty.



May 17

2026 UMMASS Amherst Commencement

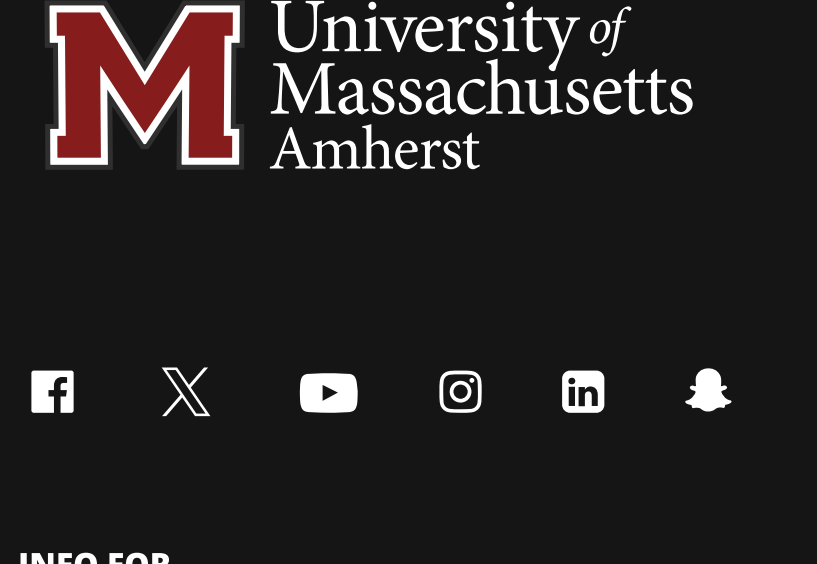
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New2U Move-Out Collection

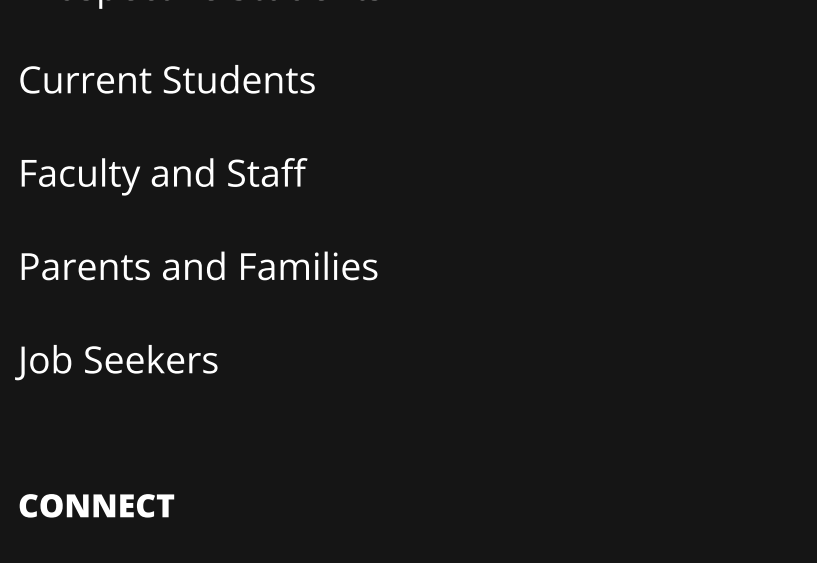
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



May 19

MS in Management Virtual Information Session

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.



May 22

MS in Business Analytics Virtual Information Session

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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