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Dear Ed.M. Residential Students,

I hope you are doing well! As promised, this is the second in a series of important emails intended to help you with your Fall Term registration process. A copy of this communication will be uploaded to our "[Communications to HGSE Students](#)" page. The Registrar team is available to assist you if you encounter any roadblocks or have any questions; [please visit our website for in-person and virtual hours](#) or email us at registrar@gse.harvard.edu.

The topics covered in this email include:

- Equity & Opportunity Foundations Elective Requirement
- Ed.M. Programs Time Blocks
- Cross-Registration
- Grade Options and Letter Grade Policy

Equity & Opportunity Foundations Elective Requirement

The list of courses that may be taken to fulfill the Equity & Opportunity Foundations elective requirement, along with additional guidance and information about this requirement, may be found on the E&O Foundations Canvas page [here](#).

Ed.M. Program Time Blocks

When making course and other plans for the year, please note that students in the Ed.M. master's programs should plan for program-related courses and/or activities during the following time blocks throughout the year:

- Mondays from 1:00-2:15pm
- Wednesdays from 1:30-4:15pm

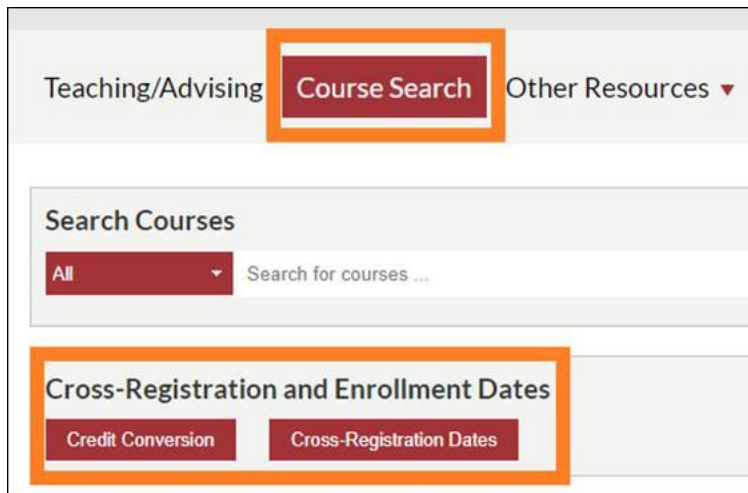
If you have questions about your program and its use of these time blocks, please contact your program's assistant director.

Cross-Registration

Like HGSE course registration, cross-registration into any of the other Harvard schools and MIT is done through my.harvard.edu. **Please note that classes at other Harvard Schools start as early as Monday,**

August 28 and cross-registration may have already started. Please take a few moments to review the [cross-registration process](#) with other schools at Harvard. Also, visit our [Cross-Registration](#) page for additional information.

Please note that credits and units vary among schools; to determine the amount of credits a cross-registered course will count for at HGSE, click on the Credit Conversion tool on my.Harvard Course Search Tab. Similarly, Harvard schools and MIT have different registration deadlines and start dates; to determine such dates, click on the Cross-Registration Dates tool. Finally, if you are considering cross-registering at MIT, we highly recommend doing so during the Fall Term; during the Spring Term, MIT starts classes later than HGSE and at times our add/drop deadline is earlier than their open registration date.



If you are interested in cross registering into the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University, please submit [this form](#).

Grade Options & Letter Grade Policy

Students are expected to indicate their grade option (letter grade or satisfactory/no credit) for each course selected at course enrollment. **As you plan out your course of study for the year (or for two years if part-time), please keep in mind that, in general, Ed.M. students must take at least 16 credits for a letter grade.**

Please note that cross-registered courses taken for letter grades (e.g., A, B, C, D, and E or F) count toward this minimum. Cross-registered courses taken satisfactory/no credit (or the equivalent option at the host School) **do not**. Grades issued through cross-registration are recorded as such and are not converted by HGSE. These are the schools that offer Letter Grade courses: **Divinity, FAS, Business School Doctorate, HKS, Public Health, and MIT.**

Contact Us

If you have any questions, please contact us at registrar@gse.harvard.edu.

Have a great semester!

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