

Grab a Cup of Coffee *or Tea* and Join the Chat



Welcome to Suffolk MBA Online New Student Orientation (NSO)

The purpose of **New Student Orientation** is to allow students an opportunity to become familiarized with the operations involved in using Suffolk's Online Learning Platform, powered by Blackboard.

Students will participate in a chat session, a threaded discussion, and view and/or download materials from a sample course.

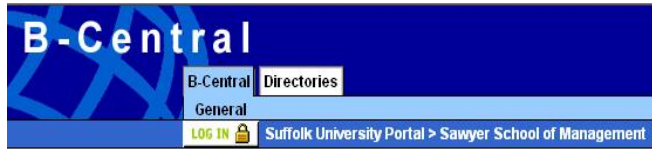
You will also have an opportunity to meet Suffolk MBA Online Faculty and classmates.

NSO also ensures students have an adequate Internet Service Provider (ISP) connection to get the most out of their online experience.



How will I participate?

- Log on to [Campus Cruiser](http://prod.campuscruiser.com)
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- Click on the [login](#) button
- Enter your **Campus Cruiser logon** information

If after following the login instructions on the Campus Cruiser Login Page, you are still unable to log-in, please email the Campus Cruiser Help Desk at:

E-mail: cruiser@suffolk.edu
Phone: 617-573-8421
Location: 1 Beacon Street
Office Hours: 8:45 AM - 4:45 PM

- The **Campus Cruiser Homepage** appears. You will see different tabs.



- Click on the [Blackboard](#) tab
(Note: you will have access to your Suffolk email, SAIL, Blackboard, all on one sign-on)

- Enter your **Blackboard logon** information

Suffolk University Blackboard System

Faculty and student access to Blackboard is through the Campus Cruiser portal. Please login at [Campus Cruiser Login](#)

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Have an Account? Login Here.

Enter login information here and click the Login button below.

Username:

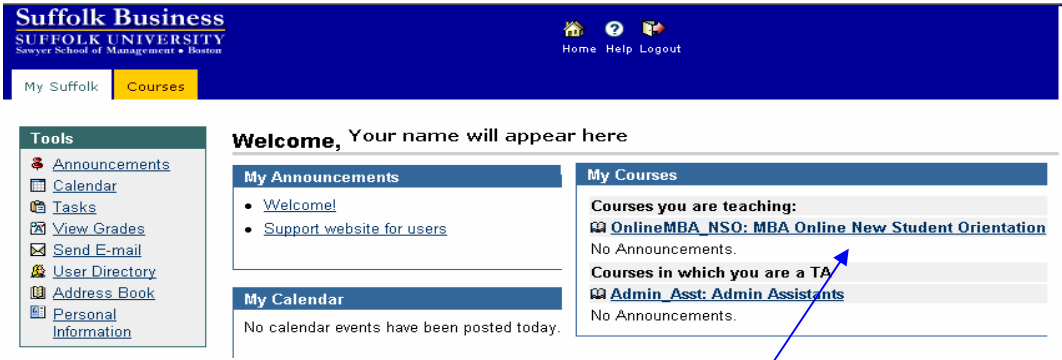
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Blackboard

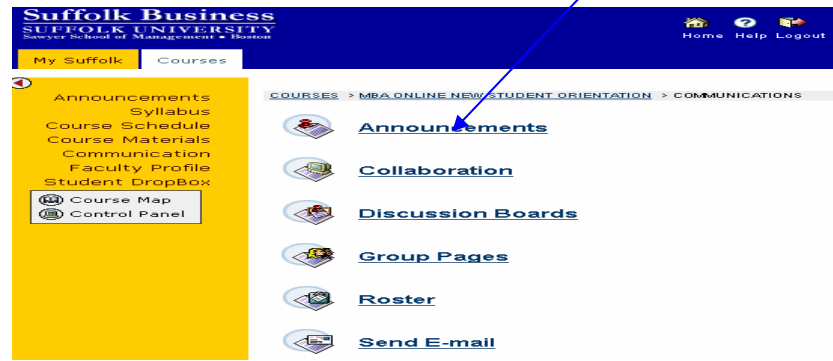
- The **Blackboard homepage** will appear



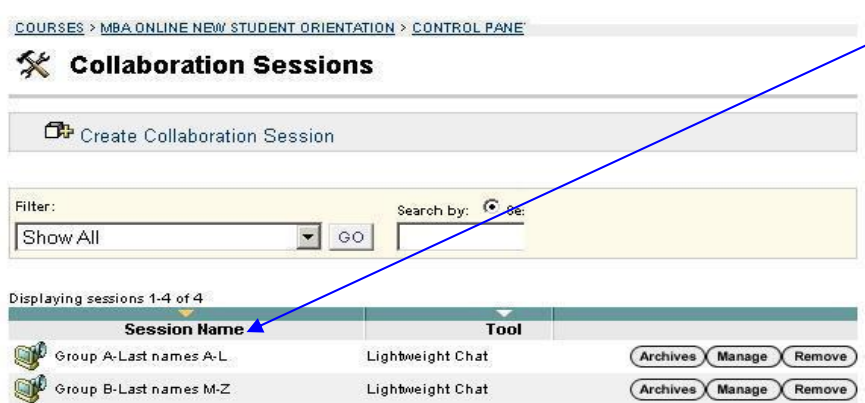
- To access course(s), click on the NSO course link under **My Courses** module.

Once within the New Student Orientation Course:

Click on [Communication](#) and then on [Collaboration](#) to access the chat.



The Collaboration page hosts the chatroom.



Click on the respective chat, under **Session Name** and Join the Chat

Note: Chatroom assignments are by last name

*When you log on to the NSO, look under the **Announcement Page** for the latest information on Chatroom groups.*

Online NSO Agenda

Note: There are 2-5 minute intervals between sessions to allow faculty time to move from room to room. To stay connected while the transition is taking place, feel free to chat amongst yourselves.

6:45-7: 00P.M. Students Log on and view introductory video

7:00-7:55P.M. GROUP A

Topic
eTools
Threaded Discussion
Exams
Course Evaluation

GROUP B

Topic
Chat Protocol
Group Work /Group Presentation
Help Desk
Horizon Live

(5 minute interval)

8:00 – 9:00P.M. GROUP B

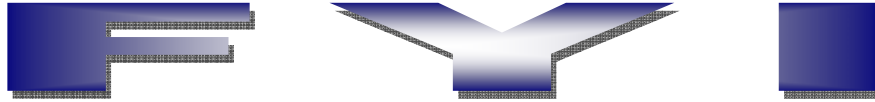
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9:00 - Wrap-up

Thank you for your participation! If you want to review anything that took place in the NSO, you may review the chat logs.



Advising Information

Welcome to the Suffolk MBA Online Program! Part of my role as Assistant Director of MBA Programs at Suffolk University is student advising. Once admitted to the Suffolk MBA, students receive an individualized Program of Study (POS) that indicates requirements for completion of their degree. It also indicates any course waivers or transfer credits awarded, based on the completion of prior course work. As you progress through the program, please feel free to contact me for any academic advising you may need. I can be reached at:

cmaher@suffolk.edu (617.573.8306).

Christine Maher, Assistant Director, MBA Programs

HELP DESK

The helpdesk is available 24/7, expertly staffed, and ready to assist you. The Help Desk can be reached via phone, live online chat, or email. **1-866-886-4861**

Operational Information

All program related or operational kinds of questions should be addressed to Ana Perez, Assistant Director, MBA Online Program: aperez@suffolk.edu (617 573.8334).

Email

For information on how to activate and access your Suffolk email account, please log on to www.suffolk.edu/email. If you experience difficulty, please call the Office of Technology Management at 617.573.8524 or via email at otm@suffolk.edu.

Other Offices

<u>Office</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>Service</u>
Registrar:	617 573.8430	Grades, Registration, Course Add/Drop, Withdrawal...
Student Accounts:	617 573.8407	Payment and Billing Issues...
Financial Aid:	617 573.8470	Loans, Grants, Scholarships...
Graduate Admissions:	617 573.8302	Reactivation (re-application)...
Dean of Students	617 573.8239	Leave of Absence
Suffolk Bookstore	617 227.4085	Textbooks, Gifts...

Information is subject to change

Suffolk MBA Online



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www.suffolk.edu/mbaonline

