

2026



Graduate **COMMENCEMENT**

MAY 16, 2026

WELCOME to the seventy-fourth graduate school Commencement exercises at Babson College. The College community is pleased and proud to share this memorable day with you.

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WELCOME

Ariel C. Armony, PhD
Provost and Executive Vice President

INVOCATION

Chaplain Matt Kinnemore

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD

SALUTATION

Jeffery Perry '87, P'23
Chair, Board of Trustees

GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTION OF STUDENT SPEAKER

Caitlin Capozzi
Vice President and Dean of Campus Life

GREETINGS AND PRESENTATION OF THE THOMAS KENNEDY AWARD FOR PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR

Christelle Brandt MBA'26
Student speaker

PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR ADDRESS

Brigitte Muehlmann
Professor, Accounting & Law Division

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RETIRING FACULTY

Donna Stoddard P'21 '25
Murata Dean of Faculty

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Adriana Cisneros

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Adriana Cisneros

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD
Master of Science in Business Analytics
Master of Science in Finance
Master of Business Administration
Master of Science in Management with a Concentration in Entrepreneurial Leadership

CLOSING REMARKS

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD

At the conclusion of the ceremony, family and friends are invited to join their graduates outside the tent to continue their celebration.

View the full program here:



Celebrate with us on Instagram @BabsonCollege
Video of this ceremony will be available at babson.edu/commencement