

# 2026



## Undergraduate **COMMENCEMENT**

MAY 16, 2026

**WELCOME** to the one hundred and seventh undergraduate 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 Renee Leavitt

**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 PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR**

Jake Thibeault '26  
*Student speaker*

**PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR ADDRESS**

Ahmed Ahmed  
*Assistant Professor, Finance Division*

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RETIRING FACULTY**

Donna Stoddard P'21 '25  
*Murata Dean of Faculty*

**HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS**

Cyril C. Camus '92, P'26  
C. Dean Metropoulos '67, MBA'68

**CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES**

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD

**COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS**

C. Dean Metropoulos '67, MBA'68

**CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE**

Stephen Spinelli Jr. MBA'92, PhD  
*Bachelor of Science*  
*Bachelor of Science in Business Administration*

**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](https://babson.edu/commencement)