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Dear International ACAC Members.

After an energetic and eventful site visit in Boston at the end of last month, I am getting amped for the annual conference in July! The team at Northeastern and our International ACAC Staff are working hard to ensure that this conference is exciting for one and all.

A quick reminder, **Early Bird Registration ends next week**, so take advantage of that deadline while you still can! On-Campus housing and our hotel blocks still have availability, and details can be found below.

This month's Conference Update is jam-packed with other information to help you make the most of your time in Boston. You'll find instructions on how to submit a topic for our "Chatter that Matters" sessions and the launch of sign-ups for many of our 2025 Conference Special Events.

Wishing you all the best, and looking forward to connecting soon.

Best wishes, Liam McCartney (he/him/his)

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Registration Reminder

If you haven't already, be sure to register for the conference.

- · Early Bird registration rates are available through April 16.
- · Read more about tiered registration rates.

- Website
- Visa Letter Request Form
- Registration Timeline and Costs
- Conference Shipping Instructions (PDF)

Conference Registration Form:

Register Here

Please keep in mind the <u>payment and refund policies</u>. Cancellations and transfers will only be accepted through the stated deadlines.

Special Events Registration

Sign up now for the <u>2025 Conference Special Events</u>! These are fun, extracurricular activities designed to promote camaraderie, celebrate community, and raise money for the International ACAC Global Fund.

Golf Scramble

Registration for the Golf Scramble will be available in May

Tuesday, July 15 at 7:00 AM Cost: TBA

5K-3K Run/Walk

Register Here for the 5K-3K Run/Walk

Wednesday, July 16 at 7:00 AM Cost: \$30 USD advance registration. \$35 USD day-of.

Good Morning Yoga

Register Here for Good Morning Yoga

Thursday, July 17 at 7:00 AM Cost: \$20 USD

Spin Class (Indoor Cycling)

Register Here for Spin Class

Thursday, July 17 at 7:00 AM Cost: \$20 USD

Chatter That Matters - Submit a Topic

Do you have a topic that you would like to discuss with other members? Or do you have the desire to facilitate a productive conversation among peers, discussing timely and interesting subjects? Get ready for Chatter That Matters!

Chatter That Matters Submission Form

If you are arriving to Boston early, we hope you will choose to participate in this initiative.

Similar to last year, Chatter That Matters will take place on Tuesday, July 15 between 9:00 AM and noon. The deadline to submit a Chatter That Matters topic is Friday, May 9. Please use the <u>Chatter That Matters Submission Form</u> for both potential topics and interested facilitators.

Return of the Raffle

The <u>International ACAC Raffle</u> is a fun, time-honored tradition at the International ACAC Annual Conference that brings wonderful items from around the world for attendees to bid on while raising money for the International ACAC Global Fund.

Prizes are donated by the entire spectrum of attendees, featuring a panorama of items from all corners of the world and all sides of the desk. We encourage anyone attending the conference to donate prizes and to purchase tickets to bid.

Be on the lookout for ticket sales and the prize submission form, coming next update.

Other Important Reminders

Need a visa to attend the conference? Request a letter of invitation to support your visa application.

If your organization is planning to host an event in Boston overlapping with the dates of the conference, please be reminded of the <u>Hosting Off-Campus Events Guidelines</u>.

Learn more about on-campus housing, or find the instructions for booking a local hotel with the group rate, on Northeastern's <u>accommodation website</u>.

#StrongerTogether Photo Challenge

Togetherness is what International ACAC is all about. Be it advising together, teaching together, traveling together, or growing together, we are better because of our community.

Show us how you and other members are **#StrongerTogether!** We want to highlight our community and celebrate the ways we benefit each other. Email your photos to **Admin@InternationalACAC.org** for a chance to be featured on our website, in upcoming conference updates, and at the annual conference in Boston.





