

Congratulations, Graduates!

Important information and reminders:

- **Forward your @tufts.edu address:** After you graduate/complete your program, you are still active in the Tufts White Pages for 90 days. After the 90-day period is up, you will receive reminders via email for 4 weeks to set up mail forwarding. As long as you have set up forwarding for your @tufts.edu before your account expires, you will be able to keep that address; basically, as an email "alias". You will not be able to use that address for outgoing email as there will not be a mailbox attached to it. This also means that if there are any saved emails in your Tufts email inboxes (that you want to keep), they need to be forwarded to a personal address or saved in some other way. Visit tuftstools.tufts.edu.
- **Update your contact information** with the Alumni Relations team today.
- Join the **Tufts Friedman School Alumni Association** [Facebook](#) and [LinkedIn](#) groups. We post jobs, information about events, alumni opportunities, etc.!
- Join the [Tufts University Career Network LinkedIn group](#). This is Tufts University's largest career networking community for alumni and students from all Tufts schools, faculty, staff, employers and friends. This is a forum to share career-related information and jobs and internships, request informational interviews, and provide advice across industries and geographic locations. By joining this group, you are open to responding to requests from Tufts students and alumni seeking career advice and informational interviews.
- **Career Services:** Take advantage of the [career resources](#) available to you. Please regularly check the [job, internship, and fellowship postings](#) on our website. Most of the opportunities that you would see in the weekly digest are posted here.
- **Box, Canvas, and Zoom:** Once the account has switched to Alumni status, you will be unable to log into anything on the Tufts network or affiliated with Tufts (like Zoom). Before the account switches, you will need to download all of the files you want to keep from each of the services, such as Canvas and Box. However, you will still be able to log in to SIS (as long as you remember your username and password) to [download an Unofficial Transcript or request an Official Transcript](#).
 - ✓ Canvas: Click [HERE](#) to learn how to download all of one's course submissions. In order to download course content files from Canvas, you must do them individually, as there is not a bulk download function. To learn how to download a single file, click [HERE](#).
 - ✓ Box: This can be done with an application called "Box Sync" which will download your files to your desktop. Once your Tufts online access is turned off, you will lose access to your Box account. If you would like to continue to use Box, you will need to set up a separate account and will need to start paying a monthly fee. More information may be found at: <https://www.box.com/pricing>. Graduating students may also check out this page to learn more: <https://it.tufts.edu/guides/box-data-storage-and-collaboration/leaving-tufts-and-preserving-content>
 - ✓ You also will not have access to any Tufts network share drives if you had permission to utilize any of them. Contact it@tufts.edu with questions.

Friedman School Alumni Benefits:

- **Join the Tufts Online Alumni Directory:** Please [register](#) today to search the directory for *all* Tufts alumni worldwide, network with alumni, take advantage of library privileges, and more!
- For information regarding your **library privileges as alumni**, please visit the "Get Started with Access for Alumni" page on the Hirsh web site: <http://hirshlibrary.tufts.edu/get-started/access/alumni>. You may also use the Hirsh's "Ask Us" page: <http://hirshlibrary.tufts.edu/research/ask-us>.
- **Tufts Loan Assistance Repayment Program (LRAP):** LRAP helps qualified Tufts graduates employed full time in the public or nonprofit sectors repay a portion of their annual educational loan debt. Applicants must be in repayment or grace period status on their Tufts-certified student loans. The LRAP application deadline is once per year and is always December 1st. Please visit the [LRAP website](#) to get more information and to access the application, or contact the LRAP office at lrp@ase.tufts.edu with any questions.
- **Free Classes:** All alumni are eligible to take one Friedman course per semester free of charge, pending space and approval of the Registrar; please email the [Registrar](#) for details.
- **Volunteer Opportunities:** Join the Alumni Association Executive Council and check out other [alumni volunteer opportunities](#). Please contact [Jessica Halladay](#), Assistant Director of Alumni

Relations, with any questions.