

After I Graduate, What Happens to My Email, Box and Canvas Access, etc., and How Do I Stay Connected?

- **Forward your @tufts.edu email address via tuftstools.tufts.edu:** After you graduate/complete your program, you will still have access for 90 days starting from your conferral date. After the 90-day period is up, you will receive reminders via email for 4 weeks to set up your Tufts email forwarding via [Tufts Tools](#). As long as you have set up forwarding for your @tufts.edu before your account expires, you will be able to keep your email address; basically, as an email "alias". Once you've graduated you will not be able to use your Tufts Email account to send out email but you will always be able to receive any emails sent to your Tufts Email account to the Personal Email address you enter in Tufts Tools. 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.
- **Box, Canvas, and Zoom:** Once your 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. 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.
 - **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>.
- **Electronic Official Transcripts:** [Click here for instructions how to obtain your electronic official transcript after you graduate](#).
- Once you've graduated, please [update your contact information](#) with the Alumni Relations team.
- You will also want to join the **Tufts Friedman School Alumni Association** [Facebook](#) and [LinkedIn](#) groups for job posts, information about events, alumni opportunities, etc.!
- **Career Services:** Take advantage of the **Ellie Block and Family Career Services Center's** [career resources](#) available to you.
- 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.
- **Join the Tufts Online Alumni Directory:** Please [register](#) after you complete your graduating semester to search the directory for *all* Tufts alumni worldwide, network with alumni, take advantage of library privileges, and more!
- **Create an @alumni.tufts.edu address** (via the [Tufts Online Alumni Community](#)): This alias email will allow you to forward for life. Tufts alumni email is not an email program that will allow you to view, read, and store mail. It is a mail forwarding service.
- 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 School NUTR course per semester free of charge, pending space and approval of the Registrar or one Friedman School NUTB course as long as you can attend the required MNSP Residency in-person class sessions. Please email the [Friedman School's Registrar](#) for details.
- **Volunteer Opportunities:** Join the Alumni Association Executive Council and check out [alumni volunteer opportunities](#). Please email nutrition-alumni@tufts.edu with any questions.