Under the guidance of Mariann Manno, MD, Associate Dean for Admissions, the Admissions Committee selected 162 students for matriculation into the first year class of the School of Medicine. Our class was chosen from 3,914 applications.

### TOP 10 UNDERGRADUATE SCHOOLS REPRESENTED BY FIRST YEAR CLASS

- **Boston College**
- **Boston University**
- **Brandeis University**
- **Cornell University**
- **Dartmouth College**
- **Harvard University**
- **Northeastern University**
- **Tufts University**
- **University of California at Los Angeles**
- **University of Massachusetts**

### About the First Year Class

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First year students Osemwengie Enabulele, Palak Walia, Desmond Bennette, Abhilash Gazula, Sendy Ha, Erica Christenson, Brooke Moore, Alyssa Stetson, Nolan Condron, Kara Kennedy, Amanda Whitehouse, Kathryn Norman served on the planning committee to create a dynamic 2nd Look Day for accepted applicants.

**Community Service / Volunteerism**

Team Leader Uganda Village Project
Volunteer Neuroscience Critical Care Unit-Johns Hopkins Hospital
Humanitarian Medical Mission to Vietnam
Almost Home Kids Volunteer-Lurie Children’s Hospital, Chicago, IL
Emergency First Responder, WPI, Worcester, MA
Peace Corp Volunteer-Malem Hodar, Senegal
Volunteer Long Term Dementia Unit-Elaine Center, Hadley, MA
Nurse’s Assistant, University Clinic of Tuebingen, Germany
Habit for Humanity Volunteer-Tutwiler, MS
Teach for America-Middle School Science and Health Teacher, Bridgeport, CT
Horizons for Homeless Children-Playspace Volunteer, Worcester, MA
AmeriCorps Vista-Center for Family Services Navigator Program, Clementon, NJ

**Publications/Presentations/Research**

Yale Dept. of Orthopedics-Doctor Reimbursement Paper
Body fat and body mass index in Asian Population, Journal of Obesity
Blood Marker for Metabolic Syndrome, Metabolic Syndrome and Related Disorders
3rd Author Publication: Gestational Diabetes, American Diabetes Association
MGH Rapid Autopsy Program Abstract-European Society of Medical Oncology
Surgical Oncology Research Intern, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
HIV Lab and Honors Research Project-University of Mond
UMMS Baccalaureate MD Pathway Program

Honors/Awards/Recognitions

- Eagle Scout - Boy Scouts of America
- Stanford University Award of Excellence
- Roger Maynard Male Scholar-Athlete of the Year, Wesleyan University
- National Engaged Leader Award/National Society of Leadership and Success
- Phi Beta Kappa, Epsilon of Indiana Chapter
- Biomedical Engineering Senior Design Project of the Year Award, Boston University
- American Heart Association Fellowship Recipient

Hobbies/Artistic Endeavors/Athletics

- Producer, Actor, Lighting Designer, Harvard Radcliffe Dramatic club
- Yale Jashan Bhangra Dance Team
- Certified Private Pilot
- Ironman Timberman Triathlon
- MIT Asian Dance Team
- Tufts University Symphony Orchestra
- Trombone player - UCLA Bruin Marching Band
- Boston College Varsity Co-Ed Cheerleading

Class Composition:

- MD-MA: 104
- MD-Non MA: 50
- MD/PhD: 8

Total Matriculates: 162

Average Total GPA: 3.73
Average MCAT: 90th percentile
Admissions Office Staff:
Mariann Manno, MD
Associate Dean for Admissions
Director, Baccalaureate MD Program

Karen Lawton, MBA
Director of Admissions

Paul Charles, BA
Program Coordinator,
Baccalaureate MD Program

Brenda Fusaro
Interview Coordinator

Jennifer Lee Shea, MTA
Admissions Coordinator

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