

# A College Education for All

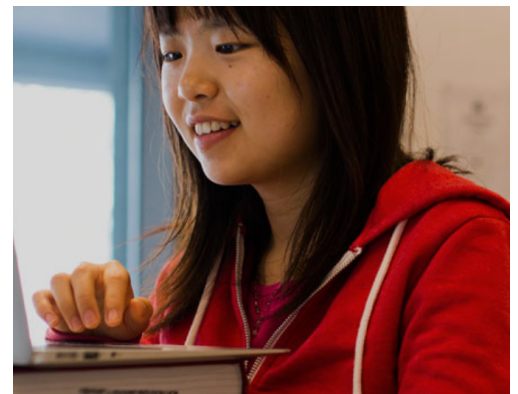


## NORTHEASTERN'S EMPHASIS ON ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Privilege, demographics, and socioeconomic status all play a significant role in the trajectory of a student's post-grade school path. Knowing that our communities thrive when diverse and vibrant minds come together, Northeastern has a number of scholarships and opportunities for support that prioritize serving, elevating, and empowering underrepresented and disadvantaged students.

**We Care Emergency Fund.** First generation students are bright, capable, and eager to learn, but they often lack resources to help them in emergency situations. The We Care Emergency Fund helps students by providing temporary financial support to assist with unforeseen circumstances, so that they can stay in school, succeed, and graduate.

**Experiential Learning Funds.** The Northeastern experience goes far beyond coursework—and also includes its signature co-ops and global opportunities. The University Parents, Alumni, and Friends Co-op Support Fund and a number of other funds remove financial obstacles, allowing underrepresented and disadvantaged students the same opportunities as their peers in and out of the classroom.



**The John D. O'Bryant African American Institute.** Named for the first African American appointed as vice president at Northeastern, the institute strives to live up to its namesake, a trailblazer who fought to ensure that Black students receive an equal education. Your philanthropy can help this institute and other cultural centers expand their role in providing exceptional opportunities for academic success, civic engagement, and social inspiration.

**The General Studies Program.** Offering personalized advising and mentoring, the General Studies Program allows first-year Northeastern students to thrive by providing them opportunities to explore their interests, access support, and connect with the campus community. Approximately 100 students a year, many from underresourced school systems, benefit from skilled instructors, committed advisors, and peer tutoring programs that ensure they have a great start to their Northeastern experience, setting them up for success in the future.

Philanthropy will ensure that all of these students receive the extra support they need to become the best versions of themselves, in their personal and educational journeys.