Your Social Media Goals

- Create excitement and buzz around the GMAT brand with shareable, taggable content
- Deliver key messages in a fun and engaging way that feels authentic coming from an undergrad
- Vary content to keep high interest level, a reason to follow
- Drive awareness of and attendance at events you are doing on campus

✓ Use the Social Media calendar as a roadmap, but be as creative as you want to be!

- ✓ Post at least 3 times a week
- ✓ Record and upload every post to portal

✓ End of semester engagement report – total likes, shares and comments generated, plus your top 3 posts!

Social Media Calendar

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Week One	 Ka-Ching Earn \$1 million more. MBA grads earn an average of \$2.5 million in annual base salary during the 20 years after graduation —\$1 million more in their lifetime than if they didn't get their MBA. See how much you can earn after your MBA <u>https://www.mba.com/ocp/you-and-business#salary</u>
Week Two	 Quote: "Money is flat because it is meant to be piled up." – Scottish proverb Celebrating Black History Month
	 Celebrate Black History month! Find out what is happening on campus; include link to your university celebrations Article: Discover Black Enterprises 300 most powerful executives in corporate America <u>http://www.blackenterprise.com/discover-black-enterprises-300-most-powerful-executives-in-corporate-america/</u> Quote " I have learned that success is to be measured not so much by the position one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has had to overcome while trying to succeed." - Booker T. Washington
Week Three	Good for Five Years/Dress for Success - Article: Feature NYT article Power Suit Gets an Update: Pantsuits All the Rage for Power Dressing! - Those jeans may not be in style in 5 years, but your GMAT scores certainly will be! Feature image of ripped skinny jeans

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Week Four	 Why a GME? Article: Is an MBA worth it? <u>https://www.cnbc.com/2016/05/05/is-an-mba-really-worth-it-this-billionaire-has-your-answer.html</u> Statistic: According to the Financial Times, over 24% of MBA graduates start their own businesses Quote: "You were born with the ability to change someone's life. Don't waste it." - Anonymous
Week Five	 Best Test Taking time is Now You're in beast mode! You'll never be better than you are now at taking tests. See how you'd do! <u>https://www.mba.com/us/gmat-mini-quiz</u> [replace with link to GMAT.com/undergrads when available] Quote: "You know all the things you've always wanted to do? You should go do them." or "Mr. I'll- do-it-later never owned a Bentley." - Anonymous
Week Six	 Celebrate Women's History Month Article: Top Female Entrepreneurs to watch in 2018 <u>https://www.cio.com/article/3243995/leadership-management/top-20-female-entrepreneurs-to-watch-in-2018.html</u> Article: Women now make up 40% of students at top MBA programs <u>http://fortune.com/2015/11/09/women-mba-40-percent/</u> Quote: "Leadership is about making others better as a result of your presence and making sure that impact lasts in your absence." – Sheryl Sandberg

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Week Seven	 KaChing GMAC statistics: \$60K average BA salary, \$110K average MBA salary GMAC statistics: 82% of alumni said their MBA increased their earnings potential See how much you can earn after your MBA <u>https://www.mba.com/ocp/you-and-business#salary</u> Quote "Money isn't everything but everything needs money." - Anonymous
Week Eight	 Good for 5 years/Dress for Success Feature InStyle article on on-trend work wear http://www.instyle.com/fashion/work-wear Rompers will not be on trend in 5 years, but your GMAT scores certainly will be! Feature image of last year's romper
Week Nine	 Best Test Taking time You're in beast mode! You'll never be better than you are now at taking tests. See how you'd do! https://www.mba.com/us/gmat-mini-quiz [replace with link to GMAT.com/undergrads when available] Feature quote "It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark." – Howard Huff
Week Ten	 Why a GME? Feature article: An MBA can help you change the world https://www.usnews.com/education/best-graduate-schools/top-business- schools/articles/2017-03-16/mba-programs-help-students-change-the-world 86% of alumni agree their MBA prepared them for leadership positions (per GMAC survey) "There's no way I was born to just pay bills and die." - Anonymous

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Opportunistic Social Media

Promote your University Test Centers

- If your school has a test center, use social media to remind your students of the Test Center and its location/address on campus
- Post at least 1 time a week
- Universities with a GMAT Test Center right on campus: Arizona State University, Florida International University, Indiana University, Bloomington, Florida State University, Michigan University, University of South Florida, Ohio State University, Purdue University, Texas A&M University, University of Alabama, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- Share "Dress for Success" Fashion Show event tips by distributing videos/photos from event
 - In partnership with Macy's, GMAC will be hosting Fashion Shows near 4 campuses where Macy's has a strong retail presence
 - Macy's will give tips on the latest fashion trends for the workplace
 - Your GNF contact will provide all assets and sample copy post-event

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• Instagram and Snapchat stories are especially good for promoting tabling or other events

• Remember to tag your school as a location when in Stories



Best Practices

- ✓ Include URL: gmat.com/GetStarted in every post
- ✓ Always use #GMATambassador (legal requirement to identify yourself) and #GMATmeansbusiness
- ✓ Use your university, business school, and student group handles and hashtags, where appropriate
- ✓ Tag your school as a location when in Snapchat or Instagram stories
- ✓ Request to be added to your school's story on Snapchat
- ✓ Finally remember to post 3 times a week and record all posts in the portal! If one of your posts gets a lot of engagement please report in the portal!