

PLANNING YOUR TIMELINE FOR APPLYING TO OPTOMETRY SCHOOL*

December 1, 2019	Early Portfolio deadline for alumni.
December 2019- January 2020	Early comprehensive advising appointments available for eligible alumni.
January 3, 2020	The Portfolio of Accomplishments and Reflections is due by 11:59pm EST in order to qualify for a comprehensive advising appointment and an interview workshop .
January 2020	Notice of qualification for comprehensive advising appointment, and an interview workshop sent to your Boston University email address.
February 2020	Invitation to register for an interview workshop.
February-April 2020	Comprehensive advising appointments for eligible applicants.
March-May 2020	Interview workshops available for eligible applicants.
April/May 2020	Optometry Admission Test (OAT). Latest recommended time for 2021 applicants.
June-August 2020	OptomCAS application will become available (https://optomcas.liasoncas.com). Have letters of recommendation sent to OptomCAS by your recommenders. OptomCAS accepts up to 4 letters.
August-December 2020	Complete each school's supplemental application by their specific deadline.
September 2020	Attend Preprofessional Advising Interview Meeting.

*All timelines are subject to change as OptomCAS releases new information.