

# CITY PLANNING & URBAN AFFAIRS PROGRAM

BOSTON UNIVERSITY, METROPOLITAN COLLEGE

Immersive Learning, Sustainable Planning

SUMMER TERM I 2019 COURSE FLYER

# UA 510 SPECIAL TOPICS Global Cities

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**Tuesday/Thursday  
6:00-9:30PM**

**Location: CAS 318**

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course provides a framework for understanding the global network of cities and how particular cities occupy niches within that network. Using Boston and Massachusetts "Gateway Cities" as examples, students explore the long-term forces shaping global economic activity and urban development, including transportation, telecommunications, international trade, immigration, innovation, higher education, and cultural exchange.

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