Spring 2026 Registration is open from November 3 to December 15

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Course	Dates	Required Text
ADS 500A: Probability and Statistics for Data Science	01/06/2026 to 02/23/2026	1. Devore, J. (2016). *Probability and statistics for engineering and the sciences* (9th ed.). Boston, MA: Cengage Learning. ISBN: 978-1305251809 2. Camm, J., Cochran, J., Fry, M., & Ohlmann, J. (2021). *Business analytics* (4th ed.). Boston, MA: Cengage Learning. ISBN: 978-0357131916
ADS 500B: Data Science Programming	02/24/2026 to 04/13/2026	** **Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Shah, C. (2020). *A hands-on introduction to data science* (1st ed.). Cambridge University Press. ISBN: 978-1108673907

ADS 501: Foundations of Data Science and Data Ethics	01/06/2026 to 02/23/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Kelleher, J., Mac Namee, B. & D'Arcy, A. (2020). *Fundamentals of machine learning for predictive data analytics: algorithms, worked examples, and case studies* (2nd ed.). Massachusetts Institute of Technology. ISBN (print): 978-0262044691 ISBN (etext): 978-0262361101
ADS 502: Applied Data Mining	02/24/2026 to 04/13/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Tan, P., Steinbach, M., Karpatne, A., & Kumar, V. (2019). *Introduction to data mining* (2nd ed.). Pearson. ISBN (etext): 978-0134080284 ISBN (print): 978-0133128901 2. Larose, C. D. & Larose, D. T. (2019). *Data science using Python and R* (1st ed.). John Wiley & Sons, Inc. ISBN (etext): 978-1119526841 ISBN (print): 978-0133128901
ADS 507: Practical Data Engineering	01/06/2026 to 02/23/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Beaulieu, A. (2020). Learning SQL: Generate, manipulate, and retrieve data (3rd ed.). O'Reilly.

		ISBN: 978-1492057567
		2. Reis, J. & Housley, M. (2022). *Fundamentals of data engineering*. (1st ed.) O'Reilly. ISBN: 978-1098108250

ADS 508:
Data Science with Cloud Computing
	02/24/2026 to 04/13/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details.
		
		1. Fregly, C. & Barth, A. (2021). *Data science on AWS* (1st ed.). O'Reilly.
		    ISBN: 978-1492079347
		2. Fregly, C., Barth, A., & Eigenbrode, S. (2023). *Generative AI on AWS: Building context-aware multimodal reasoning applications* (1st ed.). O'Reilly Media, Inc.
		    ISBN-13: 978-1098159184

ADS 509: Applied Large Language Models for Data Science	01/06/2026 to 02/23/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Alammar J. & Grootendorst M. (2024). *Hands-On Large Language Models: Language Understanding and Generation* (1st ed.). *Blueprints for text analytics using Python*. " O'Reilly Media, Inc. ISBN: 978-1098150921
ADS 599: Capstone Project	02/24/2026 to 04/13/2026	**** Available through Digital Inclusive Access -** Please note there is a fee for this etextbook and you'll need to opt-out before the specified deadline if you prefer to use another vendor. See the "Textbook Information" section on your Student Success Center for details. 1. Gonzalez, L. R. (2024). *Cracking the Data Science Interview: Unlock Insider Tips from Industry Experts to Master the Data Science Field* (1st ed.).

		ISBN: 978-1805120193
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