## Faculty Colleagues,

All faculty teaching credit-bearing courses in the spring semester must enter their course material adoptions, including any course packs, by **October 24**. Late adoptions will not be guaranteed to be available for students by the first day of class. While there were some growing pains with our new bookstore partner, Barnes and Noble College (BNC), this fall we expect a much smoother process in the spring semester if adoptions are entered on time.

Please go here: https://sso.bncollege.com/bes-sp/bessso/saml/villanovaedu/aip/logon

- Sign on with single sign on.
- Select Spring 2026 term.
- Enter all required course materials for each course. Be sure to pick either the print
  or digital version of your materials (**Do not add both** digital and print of the same
  book).
- All course pack materials and Harvard Business Cases must be entered <u>here</u>. We will not be able to use tabs in course packs.
- If there are no required materials or you are only providing free materials for your course you must select "I'm not using any materials for this class."
- Detailed instructions on the adoption tool are <u>here</u> or you can watch a <u>demo</u> <u>video</u> or <u>training video</u>.
- If you are a coordinator for courses or a department chair with unassigned courses, please contact the bookstore.

Your contact for the bookstore is 610-519-4160 or <u>coursematerials@villanova.edu</u> for any questions.

Remember we have a <u>textbook access program</u> whereby credit-bearing students (excluding LAW, EMBA, Grad Tax, and Study Abroad) receive their required texts for a fixed fee. Students will have the ability to opt out of the program and purchase materials on their own if they desire. You must have materials officially adopted in the BNC system for them to be included. *Remember you cannot have students print or purchase any course textbook materials on their own outside of this program*.

Good luck with midterm grading. Please feel free to reach out with any questions.

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