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GREETINGS FROM HONORS CAROLINA

Welcome to Carolina! All of us on the Honors Carolina team have been anticipating the arrival of your students since we first read their admissions materials many months ago. We're thrilled that they—and you—are now in Chapel Hill.

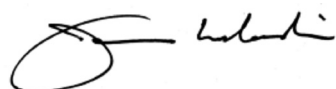
Over the next two days, you'll learn more about life at one of the world's great universities. This is a place where students and faculty are engaged in the work of invention, discovery, and artistic creativity. Our mission is nothing less than solving the world's great problems and improving the lives of our seven billion fellow inhabitants of this planet. Through Honors Carolina, we aim to involve the Class of 2021 in that endeavor from day one.

A global perspective is an essential element of a 21st-century education, and that's why we also have developed a number of exceptional Honors Carolina study abroad programs. During Orientation, we'll introduce you to exciting internship opportunities in Cape Town, London, Silicon Valley, and Washington D.C., and to our changing roster of Burch Field Research Seminars sited around the globe. We hope that we'll soon see your students on an archaeological dig in Peru, in a public health clinic in Vietnam, or on another equally exhilarating Burch adventure.

Most important of all, these two days of orientation will provide an opportunity for new Tar Heels to get to know one another and to begin building a sense of community that will soon grow to include current students, faculty, and alumni. The relationships they establish through Honors Carolina will last a lifetime.

Again, it's a great privilege to welcome you into the Carolina family. I know that your students will thrive here, and that they will leave a lasting mark on this university and the world beyond. Thank you for sharing them with us. All of us on the Honors Carolina team look forward to working with them—and learning from them—over the next four years.

With all best wishes,



James Leloudis
Professor of History
Associate Dean for Honors Carolina
Director of the James M. Johnston Center for Undergraduate Excellence
College of Arts and Sciences



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2017 FIRST YEAR FAMILY ORIENTATION SCHEDULE DAY ONE

*Note: *Sessions marked with an asterisk will be attended by both students and family members/guests.*

- 8:45–10:30AM** **ORIENTATION CHECK-IN** | Union West Lounge
Receive your Orientation materials and if needed, your CCI laptop pick-up time.
- 8:45–11:00AM*** **STUDENT STORES OPEN HOUSE** | Student Stores
Take a few minutes to get to know your official University Bookstore, home to Bull's Head Bookshop, the Tech Shop, the Pit Stop, and more.
- 9:00–11:00AM*** **STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES INFORMATION FAIR** | Aquarium Lounge, FPG Student Union
Engage with campus representatives to learn more about resources that are here to support you through your Carolina career.
- 11:15–11:55AM*** **THRIVE AT CAROLINA** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Join other new Honors Carolina students and families and learn more about what to expect over the next two days. The Associate Dean for Honors Carolina will discuss the hallmarks of a Carolina education and exciting Honors Carolina learning opportunities, on campus and beyond.
- 12:00–12:45PM** **LUNCH** | Top of Lenoir Dining Hall
- 12:55–1:25PM** **ACADEMIC ADVISING** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Gain insight into the Academic Advising Program with an overview of academic expectations, the undergraduate curriculum, and students' academic responsibilities.
- 1:25–1:40PM** **ACADEMIC SUCCESS** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Learn how to support your student toward academic excellence. The Center for Student Success and Academic Counseling (CSSAC) will offer insight into how you can help your student maximize academic resources to help them achieve their academic goals.
- 1:50–2:35PM*** **MORE THAN JUST A MAJOR** | FPG Student Union
Come learn about the ways your student's academic journey at Carolina will be "more than just a major." Both advisors and Orientation Leaders will share advice and offer tips on academic expectations, co-curricular activities, resources, and more. Sessions will focus on students' first year at Carolina.
- Business Interest** | Auditorium, FPG Student Union
At this session, you will learn about prerequisite courses that students must complete before applying to the Kenan-Flagler School of Business. Information on the application process and co-curricular activities will also be presented.
- Fine Arts/Humanities Interest** | Room 3206A-B, FPG Student Union
Whether you are studying music or English, explore the myriad opportunities that can complement and enhance your coursework and help you prepare for a career or graduate studies. Related majors: American Studies, Art History, Classics, Communication Studies, Comparative Literature, Dramatic Art, English, Germanic & Slavic Languages & Literatures, Linguistics, Media & Journalism, Music, Philosophy, Religious Studies, Romance Languages, Studio Art, Women's & Gender Studies.

Pre-Health Interest | Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Interested in being a healthcare professional? In this session you will learn about health-related majors, required and suggested courses, co-curricular opportunities, and resources to assist you with the application process. Related graduate school paths: Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Pharmacy, Physician's Assistant, Physical Therapy, Radiologic Science and other health-related professions.

Science, Not Pre-Health Interest | Room 3408, FPG Student Union

In this session, science majors who do not intend a profession in a health-related field will learn about academic opportunities, resources, and suggested coursework for their first year. Related majors: Biology, Biomedical Engineering, Biostatistics, Chemistry, Clinical Lab Science, Computer Science, Pre-Dental Hygiene, Environmental Studies & Sciences, Exercise & Sport Science, Geological Sciences, Health Policy & Management, Mathematics, Mathematical Decision Sciences, Nutrition, Physics & Astronomy, Psychology.

Social and Behavioral Sciences Interest | Room 2422, FPG Student Union

Students interested in such fields as economics, history or sociology will learn about academic opportunities, resources, and suggested coursework for their first year. Related Majors: African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, Archaeology, Contemporary European Studies, Economics, Education, History, Human Development and Family Services, Geography, Global Studies, Information & Library Science, Latin American Studies, Management & Society, Political Science, Public Policy, Sociology.

Undecided Interest | Room 3411, FPG Student Union

The journey to your major can be one of self-exploration and growth. Learn about campus resources to help you explore your academic interests and identify the best fit major for you.

2:45–3:15PM*

PROFESSOR'S PERSPECTIVE | Great Hall, FPG Student Union

An Honors Carolina faculty member will discuss expectations for the Carolina classroom and strategies to facilitate student success.

3:15–3:30PM*

STUDENT SERVICES SNAPSHOTS | Great Hall, FPG Student Union

Learn more about Student Stores, the textbook reservation process, and Carolina Dining Services.

3:30–3:45PM

BREAK

3:45–4:55PM

PARTNERS IN TRANSITION | Auditorium, FPG Student Union

Sending a student to college is a transition for the entire family. Senior leadership from Student Affairs will discuss ways you can partner with Carolina to support your student towards graduation. Also, Orientation Leaders will highlight challenges that new students and family members often face during the first year.

4:55–5:15PM

TAR HEEL TALK | Auditorium, FPG Student Union

Wondering how much your student will need to study? What making friends was like in the first semester? How to get involved? Get the student perspective by asking current students questions about their Carolina experience.

5:15PM–6:25PM*

DINNER | Top of Lenoir Dining Hall

Following dinner, if you plan on attending Carolina Skies at the Morehead Planetarium, meet the Orientation Staff outside of Lenoir Dining Hall at 6:25pm.

6:45–7:45PM

CAROLINA SKIES | Morehead Planetarium

At 6:25pm, meet the Orientation Staff outside of Lenoir Dining Hall to walk to Morehead Planetarium. Relax in the Morehead Planetarium Star Theater for a showing of Carolina Skies, which will surround you with thousands of stars, constellations, and planets. It is a UNC tradition that is out of this world!

2017 FIRST YEAR FAMILY ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

DAY TWO

*Note: *Sessions marked with an asterisk will be attended by both students and family members/guests.*

- 7:30–9:00AM** **RESIDENCE HALL CHECK-OUT** | Cobb Residence Hall
Families and Guests must check out of Joyner Residence Hall between 7:30 and 9:00am or you will incur an improper check-out fee. This fee covers the cost of rekeying your room due to the quick turnaround of the room so that it is ready for the next orientation family. Please discard all trash and return your key and flex pass to the Cobb basement. Upon check out, staff will show you where to store your luggage for the rest of the day.
- 8:00–8:45AM*** **BREAKFAST** | Top of Lenoir Dining Hall
- 9:00–9:25AM*** **Groups 1–13: INTEREST SESSION 1** | All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 5–6 for Interest Session Descriptions.

Groups 14–20: FAMILY INVOLVEMENT AND CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Aquarium Lounge, FPG Student Union
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.
- 9:30–9:55AM*** **Groups 1–7, 14–20: INTEREST SESSION 2** | All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 5–6 for Interest Session Descriptions.

Groups 8–13: FAMILY INVOLVEMENT AND CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Aquarium Lounge, FPG Student Union
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.
- 10:00–10:25AM*** **Groups 8–20: INTEREST SESSION 3** | All Interest Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union
See pages 5–6 for Interest Session Descriptions.

Groups 1–7: FAMILY INVOLVEMENT AND CAMPUS LIFE INFORMATION FAIR
Aquarium Lounge, FPG Student Union
Meet campus representatives to learn more about opportunities to maximize your time in the Carolina family.
- 10:35–11:05AM*** **CAMPUS SAFETY @ CAROLINA** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
The safety of our community is of the highest priority at Carolina. Leaders from the Department of Public Safety and Student Affairs will discuss important campus safety initiatives, resources for students, and how we all contribute to a safer Carolina.
- 11:15AM–12:05PM** **CAROLINA COMMUNITY** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
During this session, family members will be given an overview of policies that set expectations for student behavior at Carolina. Additionally, presenters will review on-campus resource information that supports student well-being and success, as well as discuss strategies for engaging with your student about these topics.
- 12:10–1:05PM** **LUNCH** | Top of Lenoir Dining Hall

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- 1:15–1:45PM** **HEALTH AND WELLNESS AT CAROLINA** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Learn about Campus Health Services (CHS) and Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) including insight into how students access services, how students can thrive at Carolina, what is covered by the Campus Health Fee, and how student health insurance and private insurance is used to access services.
- 1:55–2:40PM** **RESIDENCE HALL LIVING: CAROLINA HOUSING** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Staff from Carolina Housing will share information about living and learning on campus. This session will conclude with a question and answer opportunity.
- 1:55–2:40PM** **RESIDENCE HALL LIVING: GRANVILLE TOWERS** | 2422, FPG Student Union
Staff from Granville Towers will share information about living and learning on campus. This session will conclude with a question and answer opportunity.
- 2:40 – 3:25PM** **COFFEE WITH THE DEANS** | Aquarium Lounge, FPG Student Union
Enjoy coffee with the Associate Dean for Honors Carolina, James Leloudis, and the Assistant Dean for Honors Carolina, Ritchie Kendall.
- 2:40–3:25PM** **TAR HEEL TASKS** | Meet in the FPG Student Union West Lounge
Use this time to visit a campus office to ask questions or to drop off paperwork. Orientation Leaders will be available to lead you on a walking tour of campus, including the following locations and offices:
 North Campus:
 Franklin Street
 Model Granville Towers Room
 Scholarships & Student Aid
 South Campus:
 Campus Health Services
 Carolina Housing
 Office of the Registrar
 Office of the University Cashier
 Campus Tour
- 3:35–4:00PM*** **HARK THE SOUND CLOSING CEREMONY** | Great Hall, FPG Student Union
Lux, Libertas. You are now part of the light and liberty that is Carolina. Join us as we celebrate the completion of your first step as an official member of the Carolina Community.
- 4:00–4:45PM*** **OPTIONAL CAMPUS TOUR** | Meet in the FPG Student Union West Lounge
Learn more about campus through this informative tour led by a current student.

FIRST YEAR FAMILY ORIENTATION INTEREST SESSIONS

INTEREST SESSION TIMES AND LOCATIONS Sessions are located in the FPG Student Union on Day Two from 9:00–10:25am	ROOM
The Arts at Carolina	2423
Campus Recreation	3411
Carolina Covenant Scholars	3205
Carolina, the NCAA, and the Varsity Student-Athlete	3201
Early College*	3503
Fraternity & Sorority Life	3408
Go Anywhere with Honors Carolina**	Great Hall
Public Service	2420
Student Billing	3409
UNC Study Abroad	Auditorium
Undergraduate Research	2422
Underrepresented Students	3209
University Career Services	3206 A–B

*Only offered in Interest Session Blocks 1 and 2

**Only offered in Interest Session Blocks 2 and 3

THE ARTS AT CAROLINA | Room 2423

The arts are alive and thriving at UNC! Discover how your student can get involved with art, dance, drama, and music as a Carolina student. Opportunities exist for all students, regardless of major.

CAMPUS RECREATION | Room 3411

Discover the wide range of opportunities offered by Campus Recreation. Uniting individual and team sports, fitness and wellness facilities, outdoor education, and over 50 sport clubs, our student-centered recreation program has something for everyone, including numerous employment opportunities.

CAROLINA COVENANT SCHOLARS | Room 3205

This session is designed specifically for Carolina Covenant Scholars and their families to gain more insight into the Covenant Scholarship Package. It features information related to the financial aid award process, student billing, work-study opportunities, and programming activities and services that are unique to Covenant Scholars.

CAROLINA, THE NCAA, AND THE VARSITY STUDENT-ATHLETE | Room 3201

Families of varsity student-athletes are encouraged to attend this session to learn valuable financial and academic information from the Athletics Compliance Office.

***This session will span over Interest Session Blocks 1, 2, and 3.**

EARLY COLLEGE* | Room 3503

Early College Students are defined as students who were dually enrolled in high school and college. The Academic Advising Program will share strategies for how students can maximize their Early College experience for an effective transition to the academic expectations at Carolina. The session will explain how course equivalences can fulfill general education and major requirements, as well as provide suggestions to increase academic success by appropriately balancing the first-year academic course load.

***Only offered in Interest Session Blocks 1 and 2**

FRATERNITY & SORORITY LIFE | Room 3408

Student representatives, along with staff from the Office of Fraternity & Sorority Life and Community Involvement, will provide information about the 59 Greek organizations at Carolina. Learn about membership expectations and how to join.

GO ANYWHERE WITH HONORS CAROLINA | Great Hall

Our most important responsibility at Honors Carolina is preparing students to succeed once they graduate. Learn about resources and programs designed to help Honors Carolina students market their skills and obtain relevant experience that will position them for success. Additionally, you will learn about more than a dozen Honors global programs—including internships, fellowships, research opportunities, and study abroad programs – that immerse students in new cultures and ways of learning.

****Only offered in Interest Session Blocks 2 and 3.***

PUBLIC SERVICE | Room 2420

Discover ways to make a difference in communities across North Carolina and throughout the world. The Carolina Center for Public Service offers opportunities through the APPLES Service-Learning and Buckley Public Service Scholar programs. Alternative breaks, courses, internships, and fellowships connect students with the community, strengthening Carolina's tradition of service and engagement.

STUDENT BILLING | Room 3409

The Office of the University Cashier will provide information about the student billing procedures, deferments, refunds, and payments.

UNC STUDY ABROAD | Auditorium

Come learn about the study abroad opportunities at UNC and how they can enhance your student's Carolina experience. An advisor will be present to discuss the details about UNC Study Abroad.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH | Room 2422

Has your student ever wanted to research art history in Spain, study ecology in the South Pacific, or help find cures for cancer right here in Chapel Hill? The Office for Undergraduate Research can help students achieve these goals. Students at UNC can conduct research in humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences beginning their first year. Talk with an office representative about how to get started.

UNDERREPRESENTED STUDENTS | Room 3209

Establish connections with representatives from the American Indian Center, the Center for Higher Education Opportunities Program, the Center for Global Initiatives, and the Center for Student Academic Coaching to learn about services provided and resources available for underrepresented populations.

UNIVERSITY CAREER SERVICES | Room 3206 A-B

Your student came to Carolina to accomplish big things, and our job is to help them have a positive impact on everything that they do. Throughout their time at UNC, University Career Services (UCS) will help them use their strengths and values to make the best decisions about majors/minors, pursue the highest-quality internships and other experiential learning opportunities, and prepare themselves to be fully career-ready to take on the many options they will have after graduation.

HONORS CAROLINA TEAM

Members of the Honors Carolina team are committed to undergraduate excellence. Please let us know how we can help you make the most of your next four years at Carolina.



James Leloudis (leloudis@unc.edu)

Associate Dean for Honors Carolina and Director of the James M. Johnston Center for Undergraduate Excellence

Dean Leloudis provides overall leadership for Honors Carolina and the Johnston Center for Undergraduate Excellence. He is an award-winning professor of history whose teaching and research focus on late-19th and 20th-century America. Dean Leloudis graduated from Carolina in history with highest honors, and then earned a master's degree at Northwestern University and a PhD from Carolina.



Ritchie Kendall (rkendall@email.unc.edu)

Assistant Dean for Honors Carolina

Dean Kendall coordinates the selection of Honors Carolina students and is responsible for Honors course programming and extracurricular activities. He is an award-winning English professor who has served as director of undergraduate studies, director of graduate studies, and assistant chair of the Department of English and Comparative Literature. Dean Kendall earned his undergraduate degree from Yale, and then master's and PhD degrees at Harvard.



Inger Brodey (brodey@email.unc.edu)

Associate Professor of Comparative Literature and Director of the Office of Distinguished Scholarships

Inger Brodey is a scholar, instructor, and mentor who works closely with Carolina students and alumni applying for nationally competitive fellowships and scholarships. She is an award-winning professor of Comparative Literature and serves as the Director of Comparative Literature Program. Professor Brodey studied at the Albert-Ludwigs Universität in Freiburg, Germany, as well as at Waseda University in Tokyo before earning her PhD degree from the University of Chicago.



Jason Clemmons (jclem@email.unc.edu)

Associate Director for Curriculum, Recruiting, and Operations

Jason Clemmons leads the Honors Carolina staff and supervises all aspects of the program's daily operations. He received a B.A. in English from Carolina in 1997 and has worked here ever since.



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Senior Associate Director of Development for Honors Carolina, Arts and Sciences Foundation, College of Arts and Sciences

Anne Collins leads development for Honors Carolina. She maintains strong relationships with benefactors and friends who provide private support to advance the program's academic priorities. Anne holds a bachelor's degree in religious studies and a minor in bioethics from the University of Virginia.



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Advising & Career Guide

Chad Collins provides guidance to students that foster their exploration of academic and career goals and helps them seek out meaningful academic and professional development experiences to prepare them for employment or post-graduate study. He holds a bachelor's degree in psychology and religion from the University of Rochester, a master's degree in college student personnel administration from Canisius College and is MBTI certified.



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Events and Client Services Manager

Aëron Delaney is responsible for planning and coordinating all Honors Carolina events, communicating with clients on Graham Memorial reservation space and availability, and managing building access and security. She holds a bachelor's degree in geography from Carolina.



Gina Difino (gina_difino@unc.edu)

Director of Global Education and Fellowships

Gina Difino provides guidance to students embarking on international experiences and works with faculty to develop new programs around the globe. She holds a bachelor's degree in anthropology from Grinnell College and a master's degree in international education from the SIT Graduate Institute.



Amber Duntley (aduntley@email.unc.edu)

Enrolled Student Services Coordinator

Amber Duntley coordinates an array of student services, from course registration to Senior Honors Thesis reporting. Amber holds a bachelor's degree in studio arts from Tufts University's School of the Museum of Fine Arts and a master's degree in arts administration from Boston University.



Andre Evans (andree@email.unc.edu)

Building Custodian

Andre Evans oversees the facilities maintenance of Graham Memorial, including housekeeping services, safety systems, equipment, and repairs. Andre also manages the event setup for activities hosted in the building.



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Associate Director for Student Development and Special Projects

Shandol Hoover develops and maintains an active Honors Carolina network that connects currently enrolled students with Honors Carolina alumni, parents, and friends. She also oversees co-curricular programs for Honors Carolina students. Shandol holds a bachelor's degree in psychology and kinesiology from Purdue University and a master's degree in college student personnel from the University of Maryland.

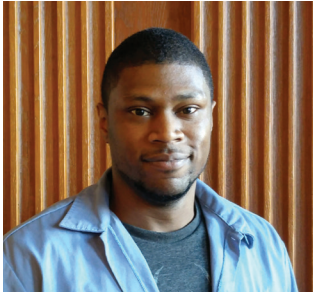


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Assistant Director for Recruiting and Operations

Special Assistant to the Honors Deans

Erin Marcinowski serves as administrative liaison for the Honors Carolina deans, providing executive-level support and program coordination. She manages recruiting events and visits, conducts new student orientation workshops, and is the primary public contact for program inquiries. Erin holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Mount Olive.



Will Martin (willmart@email.unc.edu)

Building and Environmental Technician

Will Martin maintains Graham Memorial as the "university's living room" by attending to the custodial needs of our classrooms, offices, and event spaces. Will also assists with event preparation for events hosted in the building.



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Advising & Career Guide

Kristin Pawlowski provides guidance to students as they explore academic and career goals, and helps them identify learning opportunities, in and outside of the classroom, that will prepare them for employment or post-graduate study. Kristin holds a bachelor's degree in environmental science and interdisciplinary studies from Lehigh University and a JD from the University of South Carolina School of Law.



Malindi Robinson (malindi@email.unc.edu)

Program Assistant, Office of Distinguished Scholarships and Honors Carolina

Malindi Robinson helps the Office of Distinguished Scholarships identify and guide students and alumni who are candidates for prestigious and nationally competitive fellowships and scholarships. She is also webmaster for the Honors Carolina department and supports Honors Study Abroad and Burch Programs. Malindi holds a bachelor's degree in journalism from Ohio University.

HONORS CAROLINA PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Honors Carolina connects exceptional students who share a passion for learning with renowned faculty who love teaching. The program opens the door to everything one of the world's top public research universities has to offer. Study in cities around the globe. Work with faculty mentors on ground-breaking research. Design your own unique educational experience. The only limit is your imagination and desire.

Here are some of the opportunities you student can look forward to as a member of Honors Carolina:

Honors Carolina First Year Residential Community

The Honors Carolina first year residential community in Horton and Hinton James Residence Halls offers a living-learning environment in which sharing ideas and forging friendships take center stage. Conversations from the classroom spill over into the study lounge. Suitemates bond over meals at the dining hall and explore a variety of academic, cultural, service, and athletic events together. With this community as a launch pad, students begin building their Carolina network from day one.

Honors Carolina in the Classroom

Honors Carolina offers priority access to more than 200 small, faculty-led seminars that spark thoughtful discussion and debate. These courses rely on research and hands-on learning to explore the sciences, humanities, fine arts, and professional programs.

Interdisciplinary Minor in Medicine, Literature, and Culture

The Honors Carolina interdisciplinary minor in medicine, literature, and culture encourages students to examine medicine not only as a scientific enterprise, but also as a cultural practice embedded in changing ideas about disease, the doctor-patient relationship, medical institutions, and medical ethics. The program was developed in collaboration with the Department of English and Comparative Literature and the Department of Anthropology in the College of Arts and Sciences, the Department of Social Medicine in the UNC School of Medicine, and the School of Media and Journalism.

Faculty-Mentored Research

Cutting-edge research is an integral part of the culture at Carolina. More than 90% of Honors Carolina students get involved in undergraduate research projects through summer fellowships and by completing a senior honors thesis. Honors Carolina students enjoy countless opportunities to work alongside faculty members who are conducting breakthrough research. Engaging in original inquiry and investigation allows students to develop new skills and experience the thrill of discovery.

Career and Professional Development

As soon as you set foot on campus, Honors Carolina is focused on your future. Work with an Honors Carolina Advising & Career Guide to develop a four-year plan that allows you to explore new interests, connect with distinguished faculty and alumni, and launch your career.

Community and Connections

Enjoy all the perks of being a Carolina student, plus the added advantage of making connections with a small group of peers who share your passion for learning. From dedicated first year housing to weekly dinners with faculty and alumni, Honors Carolina is the foundation of your new home in Chapel Hill.

Guest Lectures

Honors Carolina sponsors several notable guest lectures each year, including the Frank Porter Graham Lecture, the Hillard Gold '39 Lecture, and the Morehead-Cain Visiting Distinguished Professor Lecture. Honors Carolina students have opportunities to meet with speakers for small-group discussions prior to the public lectures.

Distinguished Scholarships

The Office of Distinguished Scholarships helps students and alumni put their best foot forward when applying for nationally competitive and prestigious scholarships and fellowships. Students visit the office to discover award opportunities that match their academic, personal, and professional interests. They also learn how to craft a compelling application and conduct effective interviews.

Honors Carolina Fellowships

Honors Carolina offers fellowship opportunities for students who want to conduct research in Chapel Hill or create their own unique learning experience and travel the world.



Weir Honors Fellows in Beijing.



Students at Winston House, Honors Carolina's European Study Center in London.

Burch Fellowships

Burch Fellows create their own unique educational experiences and travel the globe to pursue their passions. Designed for students with extraordinary ability, promise, and imagination, Burch Fellowships provide up to \$6,000 to support off-campus learning experiences like these: working with NASA astrobiologists to answer questions about the possibility of life on other planets, jamming with jazz musicians in Cuba, or traveling to the Philippines to study how bamboo can mitigate the effects of climate change.

Carolina Blue Honors Fellowships

The Carolina Blue Honors Fellowship enables students to embark on a summer internship focused on learning and working in international sports entrepreneurship. Fellows receive up to \$5,000 to support self-designed learning experiences like these: working for an Australian Baseball league franchise, leading a social media campaign for a pro cricket franchise in the India Premier League, or helping a soccer start-up get off the ground in Tanzania.

Froelich Honors Fellowships

The Will Froelich Honors Fellowship allows incoming first year students to study abroad, pursue a project of civic engagement, finance an internship, or work with a faculty mentor on independent research. Fellows receive \$7,500 to fund experiences throughout their undergraduate careers.

Robinson Honors Fellowship

Robinson Honors Fellows delve deeply into the history and culture of Europe and the Mediterranean, from the golden age of Greece to the upheaval of World War I. Fellows receive up to \$6,000 to pursue projects that explore art, literature, history, music, philosophy, political thought, and religion.

Taylor and Gold Summer Research Fellowships

Taylor and Gold Fellowships support students engaged in faculty-mentored research projects during the summer. Fellows receive up to \$4,000 to continue work they have begun with a faculty member, to get a head start on a senior honors thesis, or to travel to distant libraries, labs, or archives that might otherwise be beyond reach.

Weir Honors Fellowships in Asian Studies

Weir Honors Fellows become fluent in Mandarin and gain practical, independent work experience in China, home to one of the world's oldest civilizations and the 21st century's fastest growing economy. Fellows spend the Spring semester in Beijing for intensive language

Global Honors

Honors Carolina students enjoy opportunities to live and study in some of the world's greatest cities. All programs are led by UNC faculty directors and award graded academic credit toward graduation.

Cape Town: Explore the rich and complex history of South Africa while living and learning in one of the most beautiful and diverse cities in the world. Immerse yourself in post-apartheid South Africa through an internship with an organization helping to create a democratic civil society.

London: Study at Honors Carolina's own Winston House on historic Bedford Square, attend seminars within the shadow of the British Museum, conduct research at the British Library, and learn from professors who make London their home. Internships are available in fields ranging from global finance to healthcare and the arts.

Singapore: Honors Carolina students may enroll in the University Scholars Program at the National University of Singapore. Students live in Cinnamon College (an honors residence), take honors seminars, and participate in a wide range of co-curricular and social events with their Singaporean classmates.

Washington, DC: The Honors Seminar on Public Policy and Global Affairs provides a unique "study abroad" experience in our nation's capital. The program includes internships and weekly seminars that allow students to engage directly with organizations that influence domestic and international affairs. Students are exposed to a range of public policies that influence global economic prosperity, national security, and America's role in the broader international community.

Burch Field Research Seminars: Burch Field Research Seminars combine faculty scholarship and undergraduate teaching to produce unique hands-on learning experiences in changing locations stateside and around the globe. Recent offerings include Silicon Valley: *Entrepreneurship*; Germany & the Netherlands: *European Smart Cities and Renewable Energy*; London & Florence: *Music and Performance*; Rwanda & the Hague: *Genocide and Human Rights Law*.

study, then complete an eight-week summer internship in either Beijing or Shanghai exploring careers in fields such as banking, law, journalism, public health, and historic preservation.



HONORS CAROLINA FAQs

What do students have to do to remain an Honors Carolina student in good standing?

First year Honors Carolina students are required to successfully complete an Honors First Year Seminar and a second Honors course. In addition, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.000 or greater.

By graduation, students must have completed 24 hours of Honors course work or course equivalency while maintaining a cumulative GPA of 3.000 or higher.

How do I graduate with Honors?

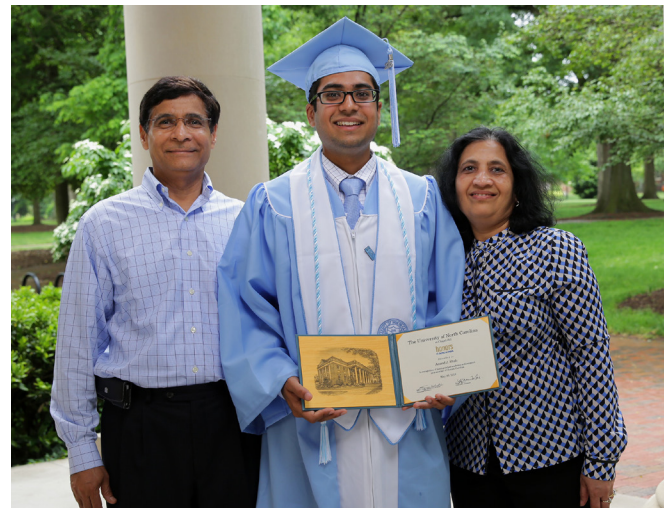
Students who produce and successfully defend a senior Honors thesis within their chosen major will graduate with Honors or Highest Honors. For many students, the thesis becomes a first publication or an important part of their application to graduate or professional school.

Are members of Honors Carolina required to complete a senior Honors thesis?

No. However, only students who successfully complete and defend a senior Honors thesis graduate with Honors or Highest Honors.

How are Honors Carolina students acknowledged?

Honors Carolina students in good standing have the denotation of Honors Laureate on their official transcript and are invited to attend a graduation reception in their honor following the May Commencement ceremony.



Honors Carolina graduate and his family at the Honors Carolina Graduation Open House.

