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Greetings from the Chancellor

Dear Graduates:

Congratulations on your graduation! While you have done the hard work, this is also a day for your family, friends and faculty members to celebrate.

The University was established in 1946 as a center offering evening classes to serve veterans returning from World War II. Over our short history, we’ve grown to become North Carolina’s urban research university with more than 30,000 students. While we are still young, we have a rich history of making the dream of higher education a reality for students, in North Carolina and beyond. Our many accomplishments have been made possible by the extraordinary students, exceptional faculty and staff, dedicated alumni, generous friends and strong leaders who helped us move forward.

You are earning a degree from a University on the rise. Great things are happening at Charlotte. We are thrilled that we’ve achieved a position as one of the nation’s top 100 public universities in the 2024 U.S. News & World Report Best College rankings, at No. 96. Further, Charlotte is one of the fastest rising national universities, moving up 41 spots in the rankings. It’s exciting to see Charlotte recognized for the work we’re doing to help students of all backgrounds succeed.

With record research expenditures, our University is on track to reach our goal as a globally recognized top-tier research university, further broadening our impact on our region and state. And further increasing our national reach, this past summer, our 49ers athletics made a transformational move to the American Athletic Conference.

What is happening – collectively and simultaneously – is happening only at Charlotte. You should be proud of the degree you have earned from UNC Charlotte, as it provides you with much more than career opportunities. Throughout your time at Charlotte, you have grown intellectually, emotionally and socially through lively classroom discussions, campus activities and internships. You have had opportunities to interact with individuals from other cultures and to engage in the greater Charlotte community.

I speak for the UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees, faculty, staff, alumni and friends when I offer congratulations, and tell you that we are proud of your accomplishments. Thank you for letting us be a part of this significant journey in your life.

You are now beginning a new relationship with the University as a proud member of the UNC Charlotte Alumni Association, more than 171,000 strong, across the globe. Use this network, get involved and stay engaged. May your Niner pride grow stronger as the years go by, and may you continue to cherish the friendships and memories you made on campus. Most importantly, always remember that wherever you go, you are a 49er!

Sincerely,

Sharon L. Gaber
Chancellor
Dennis N. Bunker III ’81, a native of Salisbury, North Carolina, began his commercial real estate career in 1981 after graduating from UNC Charlotte with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics. His early work in the industry consisted of self-investing in real estate, general brokerage and construction. Since 1991, his company, Bunker Land Group, has actively engaged in the development and investment of commercial real estate and provided site selection services for development and investment partners and clients. Property types include multi-family, single-family, retail, mini-storage, hotel, industrial and mixed-use.

Bunker is an advocate for continuing his education in the industry and has attained the prestigious professional designations of Certified Commercial Investment Member (CCIM) and MAI-appraiser, along with a Master of Science in Real Estate Development from Columbia University.

Bunker previously served as President of our Alumni Association, the University Foundation Board, and was inducted into the Charlotte Alumni Hall of Fame in 2012. He was appointed to the UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees in 2017 and has held the roles of secretary (2019-21), vice chair (2021-23), and chair (2023-current).

The UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees also includes Dontá L. Wilson ’97, Vice Chair; Christine P. Katziff, Secretary; John A. Bailey ’94; Geoffrey D. Gray; Wendy J. Grubbs ’83; J. Brett Keeter ’99; Hugh L. McColl, Jr.; Lawrence J. Shaheen, Jr.; Michael J. Smith; Sasha J. Weintraub; Teross W. Young, Jr. ’93; and Tife Olusesi, Student Body President.

The current University logo was adopted in August of 2021 and captures the trailblazing spirit of UNC Charlotte: a strong and powerful institution, boldly charging into the future, much like the city we call home. The centerpiece is a distinctive mark called the “All-In C” that places the classic 49ers’ gold-mining pick inside a collegiate-inspired “C” with beveled corners. It is an icon that represents the power to break new ground, the persistence to discover the unknown and the promise to build the future. The 9-degree forward tilt illustrates the brand's positive energy and forward momentum. The new University mark, along with the 2020 athletics mark, was designed by Todd Aldridge ’92, a distinguished alumnus of UNC Charlotte's College of Arts + Architecture and president of the Alumni Association Board of Directors.
**UNC Charlotte Bell**

The UNC Charlotte Bell, which for many years hung in the belfry of the old Elizabeth School at East Fifth Street and Travis Avenue in Charlotte, was given to Charlotte College in 1963 to be rung on ceremonial occasions.

It has been rung on special occasions including March 2, 1965, when Charlotte College became the fourth branch of the University of North Carolina System and on August 11, 2010, to celebrate clearing the final hurdle to field UNC Charlotte's football team.

**Commencement Bell Ringers**

The ringing of the UNC Charlotte Bell at Commencement is an honorable tradition that recognizes an outstanding student leader who has demonstrated exemplary 49er spirit.

The student leaders chosen to ring the bell for the Commencement ceremonies are Morgan N. Owings (Friday morning), Nicole E. Westlake (Friday afternoon), and Jayesh Jain (Saturday morning).

**Turning of the Tassel**

In earlier times, universities awarded each graduate a hood signifying their academic station. Over the years, the hood for undergraduates has been replaced by a tassel. Tradition requires that before graduation the tassel is worn on the right hand side of the cap. After graduation, as a symbol of a new degree holder, the tassel is worn on the left.

Ra’Quan A. Leary, Senior Class President, will lead the undergraduate candidates in the turning of the tassel.

**Bonnie E. Cone, Our Founder**

(1907-2003)

Bonnie E. Cone, the founder of UNC Charlotte, served the institution from its earliest days in 1946. Beginning as a teacher that year, she became director of the Charlotte Center of the University of North Carolina in 1947. She persuaded the legislature to keep the institution alive in 1949 when it was scheduled to close, resulting in the establishment of Charlotte College, which she served as president. The College became a four-year, state-supported institution in 1963. Cone was given her greatest acclaim for leading the successful campaign to convert Charlotte College into The University of North Carolina at Charlotte in 1965. She then served as vice chancellor for student affairs until her official retirement. Cone died March 8, 2003. In spring 2004, she was interred in Van Landingham Glen on the campus she loved and to which she dedicated her life.
Explanation of Honors Programs, Merit Scholars and Academic Distinction

Honors: The Honors College at UNC Charlotte provides students robust experiences crossing academic, cultural, community and personal contexts, including undergraduate research, engagement with cultural variety, and the creation of community within the University and across the Charlotte metropolitan area. The College supports students as they become agents of their own vision, developing intellectually, culturally and civically.

In all aspects of the Honors College experience, faculty, staff and students embody:
- Intellectual curiosity and growth
- Collaboration and mutual investment in excellence as scholar citizens
- Diversity, inclusion and equitable access
- Integrity and trustworthiness
- Treating all with dignity and respect

University Honors Program: Directly administered by the Honors College, the University Honors Program (UHP) is the oldest and largest multi-year honors program at UNC Charlotte, welcoming students from any major. As an interdisciplinary honors program, UHP encourages students to integrate learning from multiple academic disciplines with their own lived experiences, creating new knowledge that is more than just the sum of its parts. Our students put their learning into practice through electing an annual Honors Core Experience such as an internship, undergraduate research, community service or study abroad. To graduate with University Honors, a student must: complete all program requirements, including 20 hours of honors coursework; maintain a 3.0 cumulative grade point average and a 3.2 grade point average in honors courses; and receive a grade of "A" on the honors capstone thesis or project.

Department/College Honors: To graduate with honors recognition in a department or college honors program, a student will be recommended by the program's honors committee if they meet the grade point averages required (i.e., cumulative, in the department/college, and in honors courses), as well as complete the following:
- All required honors courses
- An honors capstone thesis or project, and receive an "A" for that course
- Any additional requirements specified by the program

Dual Honors: Students must complete requirements for a department or college honors program in addition to the requirements and coursework for either the University Honors Program or the Business Honors Program.

Merit Scholarships: Albert Scholars, Freeman Scholars, Johnson Scholars, Levine Scholars and Martin Scholars are recipients of major four-year merit scholarships funded by University donors. Students participate in programming that fosters intellectual, social and civic engagement and must continue to meet all scholarship conditions. [https://levinescholars.charlotte.edu](https://levinescholars.charlotte.edu), [https://honorscollege.charlotte.edu/about-us/merit-scholarships](https://honorscollege.charlotte.edu/about-us/merit-scholarships)

Graduation with Honors: Honors and merit scholars receive a notation on their transcript and a certificate. Honors and merit scholars’ graduation regalia includes custom-designed medallions and stoles denoting the honors and merit scholar programs.

Graduation with Academic Distinction: Undergraduate degrees are awarded Summa Cum Laude when the graduate's cumulative grade point average is 3.9 to 4.0, Magna Cum Laude when the grade point average is 3.7 or above but less than 3.9 and Cum Laude when the grade point average is 3.4 or above but less than 3.7. To be eligible to graduate with academic distinction, a student must earn a grade point average computed on at least 48 semester hours of credit completed in residence at UNC Charlotte. Honor cord colors are green/white for Summa Cum Laude graduates, white for Magna Cum Laude graduates, and green for Cum Laude graduates.

All notations for honors are based upon student achievements as of the preceding term and are tentative. Final determination of graduation with honors or with distinction is made upon completion of the student’s final term.
In April 1966, Dr. Dean W. Colvard became the first chancellor of The University of North Carolina at Charlotte. During his 12-year tenure, he presided over a period of rapid campus growth and development. Under his leadership, the institution was organized into colleges; residence halls were built, graduate work was initiated and long-range planning started. His accomplishments included helping to create the University Research Park and the University’s Urban Institute, whose mission is to seek solutions to the social, economic and environmental challenges facing Charlotte and its urban communities. Colvard joined the University from the presidency of Mississippi State University, and he also served as a dean at North Carolina State University. Following his retirement in December 1978, Colvard helped complete Charlotte's Discovery Place Museum and was the founding board chair of the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics. He also wrote books about his experience at NC State, Mississippi State and UNC Charlotte. In 2001, Colvard received the UNC Charlotte Alumni Association’s Alumnus by Choice Award, and in 2004, he received the Echo Foundation's Award Against Indifference. Colvard died in June 2007.
The Commencement program is printed prior to administering final examinations. Therefore, the inclusion of names of degree candidates in the program is not certification that degree requirements have been satisfactorily completed.
Greetings from the Graduating Class

L. Alexa Coupet
Bachelor of Science
Computer Science

Ladies and gentlemen, esteemed faculty, friends, family and most importantly, the 2023 graduates of UNC Charlotte:

Thank you for joining us today to celebrate this momentous occasion. My name is Alexa Coupet, and I stand before you not just as a graduate of UNC Charlotte but as a representative of a resilient and diverse community. I hail from Haiti, and today, I proudly represent computer science majors as well as the diverse community of learners we have here today.

Let’s set the stage for a narrative of hope and action. In a world filled with challenges, it is our duty as graduates to embrace both the optimism of hope and the transformative power of action.

My journey through UNC Charlotte has been a tapestry of challenges and triumphs. From the vibrant classrooms to the late-night coding sessions, each step has shaped me as both a learner and an ever-growing member of my community.

As an international student, the challenges of adapting to a new culture and facing academic rigors have been profound. Sacrifices were made, but they were investments in a brighter future. Today, I stand here not just as a graduate but as a testament to the power of hope fueled by action. The sleepless nights, the determination to understand complex codes – these were actions that turned aspirations into accomplishments.

But my story is just one thread in the tapestry of our graduating class. Look around at the incredible individuals sitting beside you – each with their unique journeys and achievements. Our success is not solitary; it’s a reflection of the collaborative spirit that defines UNC Charlotte.

Let’s remember the times we faced challenges together, supporting one another through late nights at Atkins. These shared experiences exemplify the hope we found in each other and the actions we took as a united force. As we stand at the beginning of a new chapter, let’s recognize the vast potential and opportunities awaiting us. The pursuit of knowledge doesn’t end today; it’s a lifelong journey. Continue to learn, adapt and take action to shape a future where your aspirations are realized. Through our collective actions, we can overcome challenges, making the world a better place for generations to come.

Before I conclude, let me express my deepest gratitude to the professors, staff and fellow students who have helped me along this journey. And to my family, whose unwavering support and sacrifices have been the foundation of my journey, I owe you a debt of gratitude that words can hardly express.

As we step into the unknown, let’s embrace hope and let our actions be a beacon of inspiration for others. Class of 2023, may our journey be marked not only by the challenges we’ve conquered but by the hope we’ve nurtured and the actions we’ve taken to shape a future filled with promise. Congratulations, and may our paths be paved with hope and illuminated by actions.

Thank you.
CANDIDATES FOR BACHELOR'S DEGREES

COLLEGE OF ARTS + ARCHITECTURE

Dr. José L. S. Gámez, Interim Dean

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Architecture
Holly Lynn Hayes .................................. Charlotte
Tarek Nasser Kaouk .................................. Charlotte
William Junsoo Pak .................................. Charlotte
Nadia Patricia Perez .................................. Raleigh
Nicholas James Pugliese .............................. White Plains, NY
Eric Anthony Schiavo .................................. Charlotte
Allen Keith Tucker .................................. Maiden
Magna Cum Laude

Art
Kara Lena Brit .................................. Wilmington
Avery-Ann Faith Downs ......................... Tulsa, OK
Emily Lauren Frye .................................. Newton
Summa Cum Laude, Honors in English
Anaja Danelle Hewlin ............................ Tarboro
Magna Cum Laude
Andrew Kim .................................. Charlotte
Rebecca Lynn Longenbach ....... Willard
Arin Garcia McCormack ............ Huntersville
Cum Laude
Joshua Lee Perez .................................. Charlotte
Matthew Robert Reilly .................. Calabash
John Xiong .................................. Newton
Magna Cum Laude

Dance
Brandyn M. Brown .................................. Matthews
Summa Cum Laude
Arelys Duran Llorens .............................. Davidson
Cum Laude
Taylor Rae Eagle ......................... Galion, OH
Alyssa Nichole Gray ...................... Rockwell
Magna Cum Laude
Christel Harvey ............................. Clemonns
M. C. Lupino .................................. Harrisburg
Alabi O. Orisadele ............................. Rolesville
Kaila MacKenzie Ward ............ Mooresville
Cum Laude
Charity R. Williams .................. Concord
Magna Cum Laude

Music
Moosa Azfar .......................... Concord
Magna Cum Laude
Juan Daniel Crisostomo ............ Asheville
Magna Cum Laude
Maxwell Henry Gill .................................. Charlotte
Eric Lawrence Kennedy .................. Kannapolis
Bianca Catalina Muñoz ............... Morrisville
Magna Cum Laude
Aaron Lasalle Taylor .................. Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude

Theatre
Sophia Bradley .................................. Raleigh
Tykique M. Guthkevin ............................. Wilmington
Sabrina Rose D’aiello ................. Murrells Inlet, SC
Jada Nicole Dozier .................................. Concord
Marina Diva Faillace ................... Charlotte
Sophia Marie Hardy ............................. Waxhaw
Mariah Angel Latorre .................... Charlotte
Rayden Sky Leyder ......................... Raleigh
Magna Cum Laude
Malik McCormick .................................. Charlotte
LeAnne Johanna Niedziela ............... Jamestown
Cum Laude
Emily Reid Parker ....... Huntersville
Summa Cum Laude, Arts + Architecture
Hons
Logan Thomas Pavia ........................... Mooresville
Amari Alanna Rice ...................... Irmo, SC
Magna Cum Laude
Brooke Marie Russo ................. Concord
Summa Cum Laude
Pavlo Sean Smith ............................ Charlotte
Dborah Lawana Truesdale .......... Charlotte
Ananda Nilatchala Zabala ............. Chapel Hill

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Art
Baily M. Ammons .................................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Danielle Grace Arias .......................... Staten Island, NY
Magna Cum Laude
Brooke Elizabeth Buchanan .............. Morganton
Cum Laude
Javier R. Collado Llantin ..................... Guayanabo, Puerto Rico
Kelli Noel Crockett ......... Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude, Arts + Architecture
Hons
Tesa S. Culpepper .................................. Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude
Annya Lys Mary Kaianne Fakir ........ Durham
Cum Laude
Elijah Gallegos ............................. Concord
Magna Cum Laude
Sidonia Mae Gibilisco ....................... Chapel Hill
Summa Cum Laude, Arts + Architecture
Hons
Mollie Glass ............................... Monroe
Titania Nicole Hunter ............................ Charlotte
Ilan-Alec Ciaran Hutchinson .... Walnut Creek, CA
Destiny Janiece James ...................... Concord
Taylor Laina Johnson .................. Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude

Graphic Design
Zachary Daniel Allred ................ Thomasville
Cum Laude
Leah M. Ballard .................................. Kannapolis
Magna Cum Laude
Sebastian Chung Nga Blandino ........ Concord
Summa Cum Laude
Tiana Lani Cohen ....................... Fayetteville
Katelyn Anne Dooley .................. Lewisville
Michelle Seleznjeva Lee .................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Nancy Lor .................................. Claremont
Summa Cum Laude
Cameryn Nicole Lytton ............. Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude, University Honors
Brian Matthew Pinder .................. Charlotte
Steven DeAndre Thompson .............. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Valentina Varela ..................... Winston-Salem
Cum Laude
Christa Grace Wickman ............. Vestal, NY
Vanessa Lauren Yakimoto .............. Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude

Music
Nicholas Paul Andruzzi ......................... Concord
Magna Cum Laude
James Alexander Johnson .................. Stanfield
Cum Laude
Connor Patrick Ridgeway ........ Hendersonville
Cum Laude

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Nicholas Paul Andruzzi .................. Concord
Magna Cum Laude
James Alexander Johnson .............. Stanfield
Cum Laude
Connor Patrick Ridgeway ........ Hendersonville
Cum Laude
BELK COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Dr. Tao-Hsien "Dolly" King, Interim Dean

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Accounting
Shushana Archilivna Abashidze ............................................ Ufa, Russian Federation
Yahiya Adnan Alghorani ..................................................... Charlotte
Tyler Ross Barefoot ........................................................... Cary
Hannah Elizabeth Brammer .................................................. Charlotte
Morgan Drake Bumgarner ..................................................... Conover
Geoffrey Cardenas-Izaza-Zagaza ...... Winston-Salem
Magnus Cum Laude
Emelly D. Castellon ............................................................. Chicago, IL
Loren Janean Cristina ...................... Winston-Salem
Davis Andrew Curry .......................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Yoselin Figueroa Delgado ...................................................... Charlotte
Andrew J. Farrug ............................................................... Matthews
Summa Cum Laude
Lakshmi Gopalraj ............................................................... Morrisville
Magnus Cum Laude
Jordan Daniel Gorski ......................................................... Wake Forest
Frederick Ryan Bjorn Hall ...................................................... Stanfield
Summa Cum Laude
John Alexander Hartso ....................................................... Lenoir
Alice Josephine Holmes ...................................................... Greensboro
Summa Cum Laude
River Austin Jinks ................................................................. Belmont
David Kdam .......................................................... Greensboro
Benjamin William Kopaskie .............. Ashland, MA
Cum Laude
Aslan Chea LaClair ......................................................... Statesville
Magnus Cum Laude
Par Sue Thluii Ling ............................................................ Salen, Burma
Andy X. Liu .......................................................... Cary
Cecilia Luong .......................................................... Charlotte
Thao Linh Ly .......................................................... Charlotte
Ryan Christofer Lynch ....................................................... Kernersville
Ashlund Paige Maahayef ...................................................... Statesville
Summa Cum Laude
Elizabeth Ann Manajek ..................................................... Waxhaw
Evoli Norahs Manning ..................................................... Mint Hill
Cum Laude
Macy Maeve McDaniel ........................................................ Rutherfordton
Cum Laude
Adam Christopher Measimer ...... Mount Pleasant
Cum Laude
Joshua Obregen .............................................................. Charlotte
Kayla Helen O'Grady ....................................................... Mooresville
Cum Laude
Chtiera Sharon Onokalah ...................... Raleigh
Jennifer Pages .............................................................. Candor
Summa Cum Laude, Business Honors, Johnson Scholar
Debora Patricia Peña Garcia .............................................. Managua, Nicaragua
Emely Cassandra Peralta Herrera ...... Charlotte
Cielo Pina-Arroyo ....................................................... Mocksville
Magnus Cum Laude
Addison Mckenna Ray ...................................................... Trinity
Palmer Mark Robinson .................................................... Kannapolis
Harvir Singh ............................................................. Cary
Magnus Cum Laude
Tyler David Stanton .......................................................... Waxhaw
Magnus Cum Laude
Tiffanie Susinski .............................................................. Lancaster, SC
Summa Cum Laude
Angeley Payingchia Vang ................................................... Salisbury
Cameron Ryan Wakefield ..................................................... Charlotte
Daniel William Wallace .................. Charlotte
Annalene Frances Washburn ............... Fletcher
Cum Laude
Alan Michael Watson ...................................................... Advance
Cassandra Weber .......................................................... Charlotte
Andrea Laricee Williams .................................................. Charlotte
Nicholas Xavier Wilson ..................................................... Milwaukee, WI

Economics
Nathan J. Allan ................................................. Raleigh
Tristan L. Caffrey ....................................................... Branchville, NJ
Summa Cum Laude
Bryce Matthew Carroll .................................................... Harrisburg
Cum Laude
Gabriel Anthony Earp .................................................... Raleigh
Magnus Cum Laude
Bradley Eric Foulks ....................................................... Lexington, SC
Connor Jacob Graeff ....................................................... Concord
Dylan Halloway ........................................................... Concord
Drew A. Hendrix ........................................................... Shelby
Cum Laude
Wyatt Cole Jones ......................................................... Louisburg
Summa Cum Laude
My-Lin Tanna Kennedy .................................................... Raleigh
Austin Palmer Knight ...................................................... Jacksonville, FL
Thomas Michael Lewis ...................................................... Monroe
Ashley Brooke Long ..................................................... Cornelius
Magnus Cum Laude
Alex Lu .......................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Julissa Martinez-Tadeo ..................................................... Liberty
Benjamin Philip Moore ..................................................... Hickory
Graham Thomas Muldowney ........................................ Charlotte
Cum Laude
Nyla Sanaa Ngofo ..................................................... Winston-Salem
Summa Cum Laude, University Honors
Prachi Dharmeshkumkar Patel ........................................... Concord
Magnus Cum Laude
Nicklaus Cole Percise ................................................... Wake Forest
Abigail E. Reynolds ....................................................... Apex
Dennis Hubertus Roedlch ................................................. Huntersville
Daniel D. Stone ............................................................ Locust
Andrew Richard Szklinski ............................................... Weddington
Magnus Cum Laude, Business Honors
Gedeon Bodika Thiamanga .................................................. Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo
Jason Patrick Wood ..................................................... Youngsville
Serena Lynn Woody ......................................................... Charlotte

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Business Analytics
Mekhi Ahmad Kareem Abdullah .......... Concord
Cum Laude
Carter Patrick Alldredge ............... Huntersville
Zara Maryam Ansari ...................................................... Raleigh
Cum Laude
Ryan Addison Bogert .................................................... Indian Trail
Uma Maruti Chavali ....................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude, Business Honors
Daniel Devaraju ......................................................... Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Katelyn Anne Dooley ..................................................... Lewisville
Nathan Garrett Dunnivant ........................................ Charlotte
Samuel Robert Eyerman ................................................ Cary
Summa Cum Laude
Natallie Marie Harris .................................................. Apex
Magnus Cum Laude
Brandon Alexander Hernandez Calderon ................................................................. Charlotte
Steven Lloyd Holder ....................................................... Huntersville
Griffin Edward Ingold .................................................... Hillsborough
Mark Steven Jarrett ........................................................ Charlotte
Cum Laude
Ashlyn Launbsy ......................................................... Concord
Cum Laude
Yuri Uriel Levey .......................................................... Charlotte
Jocelyn Mckie .............................................................. Greensboro
Wesley S. Medlin ......................................................... Charlotte
Stephanie Mercado-Nunez ............................................... Charlotte
Abdirahman Mohamed ...................................................... Raleigh
Abdirahman D. Mohamed ................................................ Raleigh
Cum Laude
Mitchel Mohammad Morovati ...... Plainfield, IL
Summa Cum Laude
Emmanuelle Olavarria-Torres .......... Salisbury
Dhyay V. Patel .......................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Mark Soegaard Pedersen .......... Holly Springs
Alex James Radford ....................................................... Raleigh
Magna Cum Laude
Kaylee Elizabeth Rone .................................................. Matthews
Virdha Noor Shafqat ...................................................... High Point
Summa Cum Laude
Juan Humberto Silva Martinez ........ Monroe
Brian Robert Sirois ......................................................... East Hampton, CT
Magnus Cum Laude
Jean Jacob Suber ......................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Mazhar Toqeer ............................................................ Charlotte
Mayank Dushyant Vachhani ............. Cary
Cum Laude
Shufa Wu .............................................................. Murphy
Summa Cum Laude
Finance
Shushana Archilivna Abashidze ............................................ Ufa, Russian Federation
Ibrahim Abdel fattah Abdel majid ........ Charlotte
Magnus Cum Laude
David Ahmedov ......................................................... Indian Trail
Hazem Anas Al Hammouri ................................................... Dubai, United Arab Emirates
Cum Laude
Ebba Moua Alalaq ..................................................... Aljubail Industrial, Saudi Arabia
Magnus Cum Laude
Daniel Alvarado Bata ....................................................... Charlotte
Timothy Asava Amadi .................................................. Willow Spring
Wesley Joseph Anthony ................................................... Greensboro
Samir Sai Appikatla ......................................................... Charlotte
Ashwin Babu .............................................................. Fuquay-Varina
Logan Kenneth Baldwin ................................................ Greensboro
Jordan Thomas Ball ......................................................... Mebane
Kaylin Maria Bang ..................................................... Southern Pines
Cum Laude
Adam Prokic Benedicr .................................................... Apex
Cole Hansen Bloomer ...................................................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Matthew Christopher Bogie .......... Lakeville, MA
Zachary Michael Bolling ................................................ Charlotte
Brittany Michelle Brannaka ........................................ Cornelius
Elmna Bvkovic .............................................................. Lincolnton
Magnus Cum Laude
Gabriel Graham Brooks .................................................. Gastonia
Ryan Matthew Brudzinski .......... Clifton Park, NY
Melissa Bustamante ...................................................... Clover, SC
Isabell Pavlova Litnevskaya.............Charlotte
Salin Meereewee Martin.............Goldsboro
Zachary Allen Morgan..............Charlotte
Cum Laude
Joshua Obregon..................Charlotte
Kimberly Esmeralda Osorio Zaragoza..........Charlotte
Rishika A. Patel......................Morganton
Cum Laude
Megan E. Reid......................Freeport, The Bahamas
Achar Safrab..............Charlotte
Amaan Wazir......................Livermore, CA
Cum Laude
Dana Renee Warren..............Matthews
Haoran Zhou......................Weifang City, China

Management
Abigail Jane Armstrong...........Lumberton
Jose Luis Arredondo, Jr........Greensboro
Grainger Wesley Beal..............Lenoir
Caleb James Beckstein..........Waxhaw
Magna Cum Laude
Katerina Berezovska...............Charlottesville
Cum Laude
Leah C. Black......................Monroe
Cum Laude
Raegan Currence Bland...........Charlotte
Marie D’Ayana Boyd..............Raeford
Summa Cum Laude
Hudson Blair Brennan..........Greensboro
Brett Aaron Clayton..............Oxford
Armin Cohadarevic..............Charlotte
Francisco Pastor Cox Quezada.....Mint Hill
Austin Taylor Dayvaul............Concord
Aredys Duran Llorens.............Davidson
Cum Laude
Peyton Kelly Eldridge..........East Bend
Magna Cum Laude
John Fam..........................Charlotte
Jorge Yahir Gomez Arelano.......Sanford
Stephen Gregory Goodman......Iron Station
Eljah Phillipe Grafon.............Concord
Austin L. Green.................Charlotte
Spencer James Hardy..............Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Madelyn Rose Heintz..............Cornelius
Jack Kenneth Scott Henshall.....Greensboro
Grant Rodrigo Hernandez.......Forest City
Summa Cum Laude
Caroline Amelia Howard.........Matthews
Austin Christopher Huffman......Gastonia
Leah Hope Hughes.................Thomasville
Summa Cum Laude
Kaleb Jones........................Apex
Christian Samud Kaplan........Mooreville
Kain Michael Kiser................Dobson
Ciona Lalsen........................Mooreville
Tai L..............................Mooreville
Cum Laude
Jacob Tann Lee...............Charlotte
Ryan Michael Lively..............Mooreville
Jessica Amairani Mendoza Duarte.....Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Emily Claire Moore...............Lexington
Cadence Mae Murphy..............Troutman
Magna Cum Laude
Nick Cassel Newlin.................Waxhaw
Elizabeth Julia Neyens........Waxhaw
Anjali N. Patel.....................Surat, India
Quinton Trevon Patten...........Blythewood, SC
Jared Anthony Racine............Weaverville
Kaely Simone Shazer..............Matthews
Cum Laude
Kalkidan S. Shenkute..............Charlotte
Stephanie Savannah Stilwell......Charlotte
Darby John Sweetz............Carolina Beach
Cum Laude
Bonificacio Tellez Caro.........Bessemer City
Ashok Thapa......................Charlotte
Dalton Jack Tilley...............Belmont
Rebekah Faye Turner..............Waxhaw
Kyle D. Vick......................Raleigh
Magna Cum Laude, Business Honors
Chase William Wheeler.........Charlotte
Ethan Guy Williams..............Winston-Salem
Lacy Marcellus Williams.........Jacksonville
Piper Haley York.................Greensboro
Cum Laude

Management Information Systems
Natalie Claire Bates..............Kingsport, TN
Summa Cum Laude, Business Honors,
Levine Scholar
Genese Yvonne Chandler.........Greensboro
Una Maruti Chavali............Charlotte
Cum Laude, Business Honors
Bill Cash..........................Charlotte
Hobic London Davis..............Shelby
Alicia Michelle Dillard..........Charlotte
Anthony Joseph Galante..........Charlotte
Cody Neal Hedger.................Mount Holly
Griffin Edward Ingold............Hillsborough
Sean Johnson......................Clayton
Breahna Gail Annette Keyes....Kings Mountain
Marina Amaya Lam................Lexington
Ashlyn Launsby...................Concord
Cum Laude
Logan Jacob Lepper..............Jefferson City, MO
Cum Laude
Corey J. Logan..................Mooresville
Jake James Magri...............Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Tejai Sonny Manyonyging........Charlotte
Wesley S. Medlin................Charlotte
Marco Mohktar Meherab...........Waxhaw
Magna Cum Laude
John Morgan Mills...............Statesville
Abdirahman D. Mohamed..........Raleigh
Cum Laude
Ikram Mohamud.................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Sakaria H. Mohamud..............Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude
Jada Necole Mundine.............Morrisville
Brandon Duc Nguyen..............Greensboro
Yetunde Rebecca Ogunleye.......Charlotte
Ruth Tomisin Olajide............Charlotte
Marc Andrew Padilla..............Mount Pleasant
Joshua N. Palacios...............Charlotte
Quintin Tyler Perrineau..........Macon
Jason Antonio Porter..............Fayetteville
Salam Rammouneh.................Ramallah, Palestinian Territory
Magnka Cum Laude
Andrew Neil Randall..............Horse Shoe
Kaylee Elizabeth Rome...........Matthews
Luisa Schenk.....................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Virdha Naqir Shafqat.............High Point
Summa Cum Laude
Brian Robert Sirosi...............East Hampton, CT
Magn Cum Laude
Cameron David Spawn..............Edneyville
Christopher Blake Thompson.....Statesville
Allysa Thi Tran.....................High Point
Mitchell Stone Urbania.........Charlotte
Cum Laude
Mayank Dushyant Vachhani.......Cary
Cum Laude

Marketing
Damien Xavier Agee..................King
Beatriz Aguayo Moreno........Durham
NaKai Jelani Anderson..........Durham
Cum Laude
Neeka Arooji......................Weddington
Summa Cum Laude
Natnael Asmare Asres...........High Point
Ashwin Babu......................Fujuy-Varina
Aisulu Skye Ball...............Mocksville
Connor Hayden Bearden...........High Point
Cameron Matthew Hazelwood...Binkley
............................................Wake Forest
Trey Michael Bowen..............Statesville
Madison Elizabeth Boyles........Troutman
Danielle Lisa Brown..............Charlotte
Kendra Renee Bucci..............Woodbury, CT
Christina Marie Bukowski........Charlotte
Rodney Alexander Burrus........Mount Airy
Summer Elizabeth Campbell.....Kings Mountain
Summa Cum Laude
Yrasema A. Cardenas..............Charlotte
Neysa Lorriana Casarez........Gastonia
Magn Cum Laude
Vivian Paj Nhaia Chang........Kannapolis
Davis Morton Comer.........Charlotte
Kathryn Elizabeth Cope...........Levisville
Jack Aaron Cornachione.......Mooreville
Ani Fabiana Correa..............Durham
Jonas Michael Cummings..........Charlotte
Hope Lynn Curtis.................Huntersville
Cum Laude
Bryant Ziegler Davis..........Willow Spring
Magn Cum Laude
Humberto Omar Deras............Thomasville
Malik Isaiah Diallo..............Dallas
Josh Flasch......................Waxhaw
Sydney Dawn Fox.................Taylorville
Cum Laude
Gregory Thomas Fye..............Linden, NJ
Magn Cum Laude, Business Honors
Isis Michel Gonzalez Cruz.......Charlotte
Terrell D’Andre Grier............Charlotte
Cum Laude
Arlethe Maria Guevara Rodriguez.....Charlotte
Evan J. Guillebeau.........Charlotte
Iya Samir Hamoodi.............Raleigh
Katelyn Brooke Hege...........Pilot Mountain
William W. Hess.................Huntersville
Kaitlin Belle Hord..............Matthews
Magn Cum Laude
Abreah Hoyte.....................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Tori Allison Inman..............Hendersonville
Jacob Samuel Johnson.........Jasper, GA
Cum Laude
Kylie Gabrielle Johnson..........Mooreville
Magn Cum Laude, University Honors
Makayla Grace Johnson.........High Point
Jerl Joseph......................Charlotte
Necharika Kadiri...............Concord
Dora Bukasa Kasaya.............Lubumbashi, Democratic Republic of the Congo
Cum Laude
E.K. FRETWELL, U.S. HIGHER EDUCATION LEADER  
(1923-2012)

Dr. E.K. Fretwell used his national higher education leadership to gain recognition for UNC Charlotte. He became the University’s second chancellor in January 1979 after serving as president of State University of New York College at Buffalo, and before that as assistant commissioner for higher education of the New York State Education Department. During his career, he led some of America’s most prominent higher education associations - president of the American Association for Higher Education, president of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, chair of the American Council on Education, and chair of the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation. In addition, Fretwell was named one of the 100 most effective chancellors and university presidents in the United States in a national study. After retiring in 1989, he served as interim president of the five-campus University of Massachusetts, authored several books on university management, and consulted on higher education around the country and the world. He was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Public Service degree during UNC Charlotte’s spring 1998 Commencement ceremonies. In 2002, he received the UNC Charlotte Alumni Association’s Alumnus by Choice Award. Fretwell died October 18, 2012.
COLLEGE OF COMPUTING AND INFORMATICS

DR. BOJAN CUKIC, DEAN

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Computer Science

Malik Abukhalaf ... Charlotte
Maxwell Thomas Adelman ... Charlotte
Mereb Ahmed ... Huntersville
Mustafa Yusuf Al-Sais ... Charlotte
Michael Owen Allen ... Hampstead
Rachel Asliann Austin ... Concord
Kevin Osiris Baez ... Huntersville
Zachary Tyler Barrier ... High Point

Cum Laude
Grant Isaac Basham ... Arden
Benjamin Harrison Beasley ... Matthews

Summa Cum Laude
Kenneth Edward Cochran ... Charlotte
Justin A. Davenport ... Matthews

Cum Laude
Elizabeth Dawn Durham ... Atlantic Beach
Trenton Chance Finley ... Fayetteville

Summa Cum Laude
Miguel Angel Trejo Hernandez ... Mocksville
Benjamin Jansson ... Concord
Joseph Anand Jedaraj ... Cary

Cum Laude
Kayla Nicole Johnson ... Monroe
Ha Nul Jung ... Huntersville

Summa Cum Laude
Waleed Omar Karsh ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Joseph Khang ... Hickory
Joshua F. Kang ... Hickory
Isaac T. Kim ... Holly Springs

Magnus Cum Laude
Phat Thong Le ... Charlotte
Casey Marie LeBlanc ... Harrisburg
Andy Lee ... Charlotte
Alvin Li ... New Bern
Jared Logan ... Raleigh
Dominique Sara Louangphrab ... Mount Holly
Sahit Reddy Manikonda ... Concord

Justin Mendoza ... Charlotte
Pearson Scott Mitchell ... Winston-Salem
Antonio Molina III ... Concord
John Parker Moorefield ... Charlotte
Asongayi Nkemzi ... Raleigh
Charles Andrew Overton ... Raleigh
Joseph E. Petrongelli ... Jacksonville

Cum Laude
Tyrone Delran Reed ... Charlotte
Malek I. Rchaouate ... Charlotte

Magnus Cum Laude
Nolan Elias Rhodes ... Statesville
Koby Micheal Richardson ... Sanford
Alerea Monet Roberts ... Garner
Ilyas Safi ... Apex

Cum Laude
Edward Mark Seitz ... Matthews
Zoe Grace Sosa ... Charlotte

Summa Cum Laude
Orin Pascal Sparks ... Charlotte
Rylee Tep Thach ... Charlotte
Kobe Isaiah Thomas ... Stanley
Sadikshya Tiwari ... Chitwan, Nepal

Cum Laude
Andrew Dylan Valder ... Jupiter, FL

Summa Cum Laude
Ronald Yang ... Richfield
Alex C. Waller ... Charlotte
Lionel Williams ... Brookshire, TX
Timothy Cade Wolter ... Cornelius

Cj Xiong ... Connelly Springs
Leng Yang ... Taylorsville

BACHELOR OP SCIENCE

Computer Science

Hamzez Abdurazzag ... Waxhaw
Christian Acosta Castanon ... Mooresville

Cum Laude
Akhl Adusumilli ... Fort Mill, SC
Najaf Ali ... Harrisburg
Kyaras Aliasghari ... Morrisville

Cum Laude
Harris Sayed Alimi ... Charlotte
Abdullahalm Khali Aljabali ... Coldwater, MI
Sydney Janez Allen ... High Point
Ali Jamil Alzayer ... Qatif, Saudi Arabia

Cum Laude
Yousouf Salah Amer ... Thomasville
Saiudeep Anand ... Cary
Steven James Andrews ... Apex
Mackenzie Seththirath Antrim ... Charlotte
Samir Sai Appikatla ... Charlotte
Christopher Samuel Aron ... Hickory
Abrey Kennedy Austin ... Marshallville

Cum Laude
Mohammad Azad ... Charlotte
Magnum Cum Laude
Sumukh Badari ... Cary

Cum Laude
Kenneth Naoki Balint ... Charlotte
Brendon Bailey Banks ... Mount Holly
Ryan Michael Bass ... Clemmons

Cum Laude
Nicholas Carl Battista ... Weddington

Cum Laude
Samuel David Baynes ... Charlotte

Magnus Cum Laude
Diego A. Beaupreauth ... La Romana, Dominican Republic

Kush Bhuva ... Statesville

Magnus Cum Laude
Oliver Maxwell Bond ... Willow Spring
Isaac Paul Bothe ... Concord

Magnus Cum Laude
Reid Alexander Bost ... Statesville
Ayman Anas Boukharrar ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Colin Matthews Boyette ... Hillsborough
David Patrick Boyle ... Denver
Christian Grayson Bradley ... Shelby

Jason Andrew Bryant ... Indian Trail

Cum Laude
Cameron James Burkey ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Henry Matthew Burns ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Jina Emelia Butkovic ... Solon, OH

Cum Laude
Samuel Isaac Capel ... Jackson Springs

Cum Laude
David A. Cardenas Acosta ... Charlotte

Martin Joel Carignan ... Huntersville
Jacob Delaney Caudill ... Cary
Christine Chee ... Charlotte
Kevin Chen ... Cary
Colin Childers ... Charlotte
Hassan Asif Chughtai ... Raleigh

Cum Laude
Walker Alexander Clem ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Parker Brannon Cook ... Matthews

Cum Laude
Lorraine Alex Coupet ... Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Cum Laude
Jose Nicolas Cruz ... Charlotte
Riley Cyron ... Holly Springs

Neelkumar V. Dadhania ... Charlotte
Alan Bryce D’Amico ... Harrisburg

Magnus Cum Laude
Anurag Dasari ... Hyderabad, India

Cum Laude
Kyle Salvatore Davis ... Mint Hill

Cum Laude
Jacob Douglas Dent ... Matthews
Jaimik V. Dholiya ... Charlotte

Cum Laude
Darwin Diaz ... Kannapolis

Srinath Dittakavi ... Cary
Lisa Marie Dittrich ... Matthews

Summa Cum Laude
Derek Lamont Drew ... Jr ... Goldsboro
Santiago Dubon Sanchez ... Tegucigalpa, Honduras

Cum Laude
Cameron B. East ... Charlotte

Magnus Cum Laude
Adam Craig Edwards ... Wadesboro

Cum Laude
Luke Alexander Farthing ... Harrisburg

Summa Cum Laude
Fred Tamar Fields ... Spring Hope

Olivey Lloyd Finnamore ... Cary

Cum Laude
Nicholas Ashen Finnmore ... Louisburg

Magnus Cum Laude
Christopher Man Loong Fong ... Apex
Denzel Markes Fowler ... Matthews
Jared Wayne Fulks ... Advance
James Elliot Gaskins ... Winston-Salem

Magnus Cum Laude
Nisha George ... Durham

Vedi Gharibian ... Matthews
Pasipanodya Nunuzhayi Gosehe-Mubaiwa ... Charlotte

Magnus Cum Laude
Kevin Mauricio Gonzalez Carranza ... Ambato, Ecuador
Sarah Logan Grace ... Winston-Salem

Cum Laude
Kyle Robert Gramer ... Charlotte

Magnus Cum Laude
Nicole Grapain-Delgado ... Concord

Magnus Cum Laude
Khoi M. Ha ... Charlotte

Henry Douglas Hall ... Charlotte
Tristan D. Hall ... Charlotte
Michelle Love Hamilton ... Charlotte
Christian Andrew Hardin ... Clemmons

Magnus Cum Laude
Michael Anthony Haskins ... Indian Trail
Summa Cum Laude
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Exercise Science
Zeina Jamal Alasar ........................................... Charlotte
Keyanna Brenae Allen................................. Farmingdale, NY
Jashaun Jermaine Anderson....................... Greenville, SC
Tyler Charles Bazeck................................. Huntersville
Carm Laude
Candace Marie Bailey .................. Washington
Carm Laude
Cornelia Vincent Barnwell.............. Burlington
Carm Laude
Makel Jamal Bennett .................. Indian Trail
Derek Bishal ............................................... Fayetteville
Rachel Alyssa Bollick .................. Trinity
Katherine Drena Britt.................. Concord
Carm Laude
Alyssa Grace Bullard .......... Fayetteville
Carm Laude
Liam Matthew Clary ......... Gastonia
Desiree Collins ....................................... Charlotte
Natalie Catherine Corbin ........ Spartanburg, SC
Carm Laude
Jaden A. Craig ...................................... Charlotte
Gerard Quenton Crews .............. Raleigh
Alysia Monique Dauntain.......... Charlotte
Carm Laude
Bailee Victoria Davenport ........ Durham
Daniela Diaz ................................).. Durham
Trent Cameron Eason .......... Wilmington
Carm Laude
Jaiden Marie Estrada .................. Charlotte
Carm Laude
Mackenzie M. Flowe ............... Asheville
Carm Laude
Lakirah Makenna Forney ........ Hampstead
Ta’Kiyah Shydia Gause .................. Raeford
Priyam Thais Gill ................. Fuquay-Varina
Sofia Isabel Godinez ......... Mooreville
Carm Laude
Amara Jade Graham .... Hamilton, NJ
Carm Laude
Mykala Dion Hamilton .......... Charlotte
Hanna Summer Hampel ................. Concord
Carm Laude
Makaela Marie Hawkins ........ Greensboro
Hannah Leigh Hefner .................. Stony Point
Krista Kelley Hendrick ........ Wake Forest
Brynne Caroline Ingram ........ Climax
Carm Laude
Eric James Jones .................. Huntersville
Cody Elijah Kidd ................. Albemarle
Landen Eugene Kresge .......... Concord
Carm Laude
Christina Xie .................. Cary
Carm Laude
Lutuo Xiong ........................................... Catawba
Tuocheezon Xiong ................. Morganton
Sandy Yang ............................................. Leland
Carm Laude
Noah David Yarborough ........ Raleigh
Sathwik Yarlagadda .......... Waxhaw
Carm Laude
Andrew George Yateem .... Mint Hill
Yuepei Yu .............................................. Concord
Stephen Zargo ......................... Concord
Data Science
Andrew D. Giocondi .................. Fort Mill, SC
Carm Laude
William Elliott Reid ................. Harrisburg
Jessica A. Ricks .................. Reynoldsburg, OH
Carm Laude
Caleb David Watson ................. Advance
Carm Laude
Matthew Gregory Wells .... Waxhaw
College of Health and Human Services
Dr. Catrine Tudor-Locke, Dean

Sonia Nicole Lanuza ............... Charlotte
Kathryn Davis Ledbetter .......... Harrisburg
Carm Laude
Anna Elise Mann ............. Mooresville
Carm Laude
Randy Martinez-Resendiz ....... Hickory
Felipe Chukwuka Mazi ........... Rolesville
Zoe Avery Michalak ............ Stokesdale
Carm Laude
Alyssa Vera Ann Michaux ....... Taylorsville
Dava Rebecca Miller ............. Lexington
Suhur Hayde Mohamud .......... Charlotte
Alexandra Grey Moore .......... Eden
Carm Laude
Kathryn Elizabeth Nesbit ....... Winston-Salem
Carm Laude
Hunter James Nicoll .............. Calabash
Stephen Sharman Norman .... Charlotte
Daniela D. Nunez Torres ....... Waxhaw
Jackson Patrick O’Harra .... Matthews
Alabi O. Oraidele ............... Rolesville
Kiarde Sequan Paige .......... Burlington
Olivia Anne Perry ................ Sanford
Carm Laude
Markus Alexander Plitt ....... Hendersonville
Carm Laude
Jeremiah Lathan Powell ....... Jamestown
Julia Elizabeth Reccardi ....... Waxhaw
Emily Rose Rinere .......... Mooresville
Samantha Recerra Villegas ....... Catawba
Carm Laude
Kasey DeAnne Sanford ...... San Diego, CA
Daliyah Jamil Saymeh .. Charlotte
Carly Ann Scholl ............. Mooresville
Carm Laude
Kenny Serrano Elizalde ...... Durham
John William Seymour .......... Moyock
Hannah Grace Sherwood ...... Cornelius
Carm Laude
Kunal Sheth ............. Jamestown
Carm Laude
Jenna Leanne Simpson .......... Mount Airy
Carm Laude
Tyler Aiden Sims .............. Belmont
Carm Laude
Sarah Skumpijja ............... Pittsboro
Ryan Scott Smithers .......... Wake Forest
Karla Gessel Solorzano .......... Charlotte
Gabriella Renee Stiltner .... Edenton
Amry McKenzie Szymanski .... Charlotte
Carm Laude
Marin Belle Taylor ............. Indian Trail
Trey Thomson .................. Charlotte
Sarah Meredith Thornton .... Stony Brook, NY
Carm Laude
Laura Blair Trull ............... Mount Holly
Landon John Tuck ................. Rockwell
Madison Grace Tuttle .......... Shelby
Carm Laude
Bianca Chantal Ventura .. Matthews
Sophie Alexander Whalen ...... Johns Island, SC
Carm Laude
Darius J. Williams .......... Henderson
Carm Laude
Madelynn Sally Williams ........ Monroe
Carm Laude
Grace Mei Ling Yu .......... Smithfield
Carm Laude
Health Systems Management
Manar Basem Abdulfattah .... Charlotte
Carm Laude
Alyssa Skye Adair ............. Kernersville
Tianna Simone Adams .......... Charlotte
Carm Laude
Florence Jeema Aka ........ Charlotte
Carm Laude
Hayleigh Nadine Andrade .... Charlotte
Joseph Daniel Anthony IV ...... Monroe
Alice Louisa Arrell .............. Waxhaw
Lasya Atluri ................. Charlotte
Carm Laude
Georgeanna Lee Barefoot ...... Wake Forest
Claudia Michele Barger .......... Salisbury
Bryson Javiyon Barrett .... Wilson
Alexia Lea Marie Barrow ...... Manteo
Samantha Recerra Villegas ....... Catawba
Carm Laude
Emalha Natea K’ulani Beltran .. Concord
Brandon Lamon Bennett ...... Greensboro
Emily Elise Berry .......... Belmont
Anthony N. Bethea, Jr .......... Fairmont
Mackenzie Rebecca Bly .......... Charlotte
Macy Grace Bodenhheimer ...... Winston-Salem
Carm Laude
Taylor Renee Boykin Roach .. Apex
Derek Andre Boykins .......... Beaufort, SC
Robert Earl Braswell IV ...... Blythewood, SC
Andrea Bailey Brock .......... Belmont
Sean Matthew Brown .......... Waxhaw
Jada Judea Nichole Brown Patrick .. Bolton
Adam Quin Bui .................. Charlotte
Shadrick T. Byrd .......... Coy, AL
Joanna Judith Garza Caballero ....... Hickory
Carm Laude
Kassandra Calderon .......... Charlotte
Carm Laude
Jacob Lee Campbell .......... Mocksville
Carm Laude
Summer Elizabeth Campbell .... Kings Mountain
Carm Laude
Scarlett Lea Canaday .......... Lincolnton
Shyam Viren Mehta..........................Charlotte
Olga Mialik......................................Charlotte
Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Hannah Allexis Millican.........................Gastonia
Magn Cum Laude
Amit Santosh Mohite..........................Durham
Desmond Deshawn Morgan ........Winston-Salem
Magn Cum Laude
Lauren Elizabeth Moulton..............Waxhaw
Solange Precious Muluka....................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Alex Mayombo Mulumba ......................Harrisburg
Noah imani washington Munford .... Charlotte
Ogechukwu I. Obi-Rapu........Greensboro
Wyatt Lanier Olgers ........Belmont
Mahi Rajiv Pandit ..........................Mumbai, India
Unison Sungil Park ...................Charlotte
William David Parker, Jr............Monroe
Zoe Onyeca Parson ......................Rameshe
Magn Cum Laude
Jaysean Khalil Pratt ......................Maplewood, NJ
Isabel Seana Quevedo ............Concord
Cum Laude
Anthony Ramirez ........................Monroe
Elaina Shreya Reddimmalla ........Monroe
Bolivar Reyes .......................Fort Mill, SC
Ashley Grace Riley ................Durham
Magn Cum Laude
Cristal Valerie Rodriguez ..........Huntersville
Miranda Marie Rojas ........Greensboro
Maria Isabel Romero-Martinez ..........Mocksville
Colin Riley Rucker ...................Raleigh
Ashnippets Sarkaria ..............Cary
Christopher Sims ..........................Paducah, KY
Diana Halena Smith ..............Stanley
Koumba Soumare ........................Charlotte
Katie Irene Stewart ............Cum Laude
Kameron Reshon Stinson ..........Charlotte
Devin Denzel Thomas ........Monroe
Hannah Elizabeth Thomas ..........Hendersonville
Sheby Lynn Thompson ..........Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Mayra Alejandra Alvarez Torres ....Charlotte
Cum Laude
Michelle Trinh ................Harrisburg
Cum Laude
Lauri Yaniec Turchios ..........Clinton
Cum Laude
Isaiah Varon Turnage ........Greenville
Michaela Marie Turner ........Ellerbe
Magn Cum Laude
Victoria Christina Tysor ........Raleigh
DeShoun Glenmore Walker ..........Charlotte
Xavier Rommel Wallace ..........Charlotte
Anna Kate Warlick ..................Grover
Cum Laude
Alexandria Washington ..........Las Vegas, NV
Simone Monai Watson ........Charlotte
Alyson Elise White ..........Fletcher
Magn Cum Laude
Antawnette Shamila Williams ..........Charlotte
Basuani Mercedes Williams ..........Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING
Nursing
Amira Nedal Almanasasser .............Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Maria Cristina Arelanno .............Matthews
Magn Cum Laude
Olivia Catherine Bragg ........Belmont
Magn Cum Laude
Olivia Anne Briley .............Kernersville
Magn Cum Laude
Danielle Elizabeth Camps .............Charlotte
Cum Laude
Kaylen Jonica Carroll ...............Washington
Magn Cum Laude
Kyerstin Morgan Ashay Cooper ........Bessemer City
Magn Cum Laude
Hannah Christine Deese ..........Hillsborough
Magn Cum Laude
Macie Danielle Downing ..........Catawba
Magn Cum Laude
Durga Dulal .............................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Carmen Alexis Farris ...............Charlotte
Cum Laude
Camden Michaela Goodson .........Hendersonville
Cum Laude
Jennifer Marie Hart ..............Kannapolis
Cum Laude
Brianna Margaret Hicks ............Garner
Magn Cum Laude
Catherine Paige Huggins ........Hudson
Cum Laude
Lisa Phontip Inxiengmay .............Charlotte
Cum Laude
Rayne Louise Johnson ..............Wake Forest
Magn Cum Laude
Lauryn Kellie Jones ................Concord
Magn Cum Laude
Madison Leigh Jordan ..........Rockingham
Magn Cum Laude, Honors in Nursing
Madeyour Keeever ........Phoenix, AZ
Jillian Rae Kirkwood ........Eastover
Magn Cum Laude
Austin Nathaniel Lawrence ........Concord
Cum Laude
Anna Kathryn Linton ............Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude, Honors in Nursing
Sarah Elizabeth Linton ............Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Alyssa Danielle Maready ..........Jacksonville
Cum Laude
Labrisa Monae Martinez ..........Tarboro
Magn Cum Laude
Georgia Therese Migos ...............Sanford
Cum Laude
Do Hoang Nhi Nguyen ..........Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam
Cum Laude
Eleanor Frances Norwine ..........Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Xochilt Nunez Ariza ..............Salisbury
Magn Cum Laude
Grace Caroline Parker ..............Concord
Magn Cum Laude
Anna Pearl Phelps ...............Wilmington
Magn Cum Laude
Megan Elizabeth Pittman ..........Apex
Cum Laude
Summa Cum Laude
Catherine Elise Pope ............Wake Forest
Cum Laude
Zoe Tatum Reid ..................Apex
Magn Cum Laude
Evelyn Rios-Lopez ..................Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Krupa Kanaiyalal Rupani ....Wilkesboro
Cum Laude
Tabatta Rocio Sanabria ..........Charlotte
Magn Cum Laude
Angelica Snow ................Matthews
Cum Laude
Summa Cum Laude
Marissa Alyse Spinner ..........Charlotte
Cum Laude
Bryanna Patricia Stevenson ..........Wilmington
Magn Cum Laude, Honors in Nursing
Stacy Thao ....................Troutman
Magn Cum Laude
Olivia Marie Thomas ..............Cincinnati, OH
Magn Cum Laude
Patrick Dylan Vargas ...............Durham
Cum Laude
James H. Woodward, Building for the Future

Dr. James H. Woodward became UNC Charlotte’s third chancellor in 1989, immediately establishing himself as one of the leading executives of the Charlotte metropolitan region. A U.S. Air Force veteran, he worked in private industry and taught at North Carolina State University, the U.S. Air Force Academy, and the University of Alabama at Birmingham, where he was a senior vice president for academic affairs, prior to coming to UNC Charlotte. Under his leadership, UNC Charlotte launched ambitious plans for both physical and intellectual growth. Woodward built strong support among the region’s corporate and political leaders, obtained approval to expand the University’s mission to include doctoral programs, and raised the University to doctoral/research intensive status. He established UNC Charlotte Uptown to serve students in the central business district. An engineer, Woodward generated support to build the James H. Barnhardt Student Activity Center and the Irwin Belk Track and Field Center, obtained state funding for doubling the size of the J. Murrey Atkins Library, and was instrumental in garnering public support to pass a $3.1 billion statewide bond referendum that enabled UNC Charlotte to construct or renovate nearly a dozen buildings. He retired in 2005. Woodward has received numerous honors, including the naming of the science and technology building in 2005 as James H. and Martha H. Woodward Hall in recognition of his 16 years of service. In May 2011, UNC Charlotte awarded him an honorary degree, Doctor of Public Service. Woodward received the UNC Charlotte Alumni Association’s Alumnus by Choice Award in 2012. In November 2017, he was awarded the North Carolina Award for Public Service, the highest award a civilian can receive from the Governor.
December 2023 Commencement

Friday Afternoon Ceremony

Cato College of Education
The William States Lee College of Engineering
College of Humanities & Earth and Social Sciences
College of Science

The National Anthem ........................................ Haley K. Wright
                                Bachelor of Music
                                Greenville

Call to Order .................................................... Jennifer L. Troyer
                                Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Greetings from the UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees .................. Dennis N. Bunker III
                                Chair, Board of Trustees

Greetings from the Graduating Class ................................ Zoe Z. Klein
                                Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education
                                Raleigh

Alumni Association Welcome ...................................... Frenchie Wilson Brown
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Greetings from the Graduating Class
Zoe Z. Klein
Bachelor of Arts
Elementary Education

Good afternoon:

My name is Zoe Zavarello Klein, and I am graduating from the Cato College of Education, majoring in elementary education with a minor in reading education.

I was so excited when I found out I had the opportunity to present this speech to you all today, not just because I get to say: “Hi, grandpa, hi, grandma! Thank you for everything. I love you so much!” But also because two years ago I was accepted into the University of North Carolina at Charlotte as a transfer student who had recently decided to return back to school after taking some time off from college five years prior. You could say my first attempt at college was not quite a success.

As I am sure most people in this room have felt at some point in their educational career, school is challenging. I personally struggled growing up and even into adulthood with academics.

But for me, everything kind of clicked when I had my first experience in an elementary school as an educator, specifically at the university’s lab school, Niner University Elementary.

I saw myself in the children I was lucky enough to work with, kids who did not believe in themselves and had yet to realize their full potential. I knew I was called to be a part of the team that helps change this mindset.

I was eventually recruited by some of my amazing professors to apply to become a Mebane Scholar where I would be presented with opportunities to extend my teaching abilities in reading education.

This past September, the Cato College of Education named their building Mebane Hall after the Mebane Foundation who supported our work as scholars and made the contributions that created the Mebane Early Literacy Center. This center provides teacher candidates with the necessary skills to be impactful reading teachers.

A tremendous part of my successes while at UNC Charlotte is due to the incredible support system that this institution has provided through its professors, academic resources, and fantastic faculty and staff members.

But also because two years ago I made the decision to try again. I cannot count the number of times a day I say “try again” or “move on if it is too difficult and come back later” to my students and I emphasize the importance of failure. It is what leads us to success.

Although today marks the end of an exceptional achievement for us all, it is also the beginning of something new. I hope that as you all begin this new chapter, you give yourself grace and remember if it does not work out the first time, just try it again, and if it is too difficult, move on and come back later. From my experience, it seems to work out better the second time around anyway.

Congratulations to everyone who is walking across this stage today, and thank you to everyone who has provided support to someone graduating; we could not have done it without you.
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Tyler Scott Eaton .................................. Huntersville
Margaret Catherine Eisenmacher ........ Matthews
Cum Laude
Kryschelle Lynca Ann Fakir .............................. Durham
Summa Cum Laude, University Honors
Madeleine Taylor Ferrell .................. Indian Trail
Adrienne J. Fleming .................................. Charlotte
Amber Marie Flowers .................................. Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Robert Albert Flynn .......................... Huntersville
D. Deon Folson .......................... Kings Mountain
Cum Laude
Olivia Grace Foster .................................. Apex
Magna Cum Laude
Ashley Fournillier .................................. Washington
Chloe Amber Freeburn .......................... Fuquay-Varina
Cum Laude
Jarod Paul Franszak .................................. Charlotte
Jayme Madison Goldman .......................... Greenville
Jalen Alexander Goode ...................... Cary
Cum Laude
Damari Jaheim Goodwin .......................... Charlotte
Alexander Joseph Greer .......................... Charlotte
Shelby Tyler Greer .......................... Concord
Wilmer Anibal Grullon-Salcedo .......................... Charlotte
Jennifer Guerrero Merino .......................... Kannapolis
Jess C. Hale ................................................. Fenton, MO
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Spencer James Haro .................................. Columbia, SC
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Madelyn Rose Heintz .............................. Cornelius
Fedelina Heredia Feliz .................................. Charlotte
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Cum Laude
Stephanie Maria Hernandez .......................... Charlotte
Marlaine F Hess .......................... High Point
Cum Laude
Alyssa Marie Hess .................................. Charlotte
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Meghan Elizabeth Hildebrand .................................. Purcellville, VA
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Emmalee Ryen Hill .................................. Kannapolis
Melissa Hooper .................................................. Houston, TX
Cum Laude
Jasmine Lashae Hopkins .......................... Garner
Magnas Cum Laude
Gabriel Keenan Horn .......................... Harrisburg
Summa Cum Laude
Rachel Elizabeth Horrell .......................... Harrells
Summa Cum Laude
Amanda Marie Howard .......................... Waxhaw
Deja Monet Hughes .................................. Durham
Cum Laude
Lexi Ann Iannucci .................................. Harrisburg
Faith Kathleen Jamerson .......................... Matthews
Facade Jarrett .................................................. Raleigh
Cum Laude
Jada A. Jones .......................... Concord
Wyatt Cole Jones .................................. Louisburg
Summa Cum Laude
Jacob M. Juarez .................................. Harrisburg
Bara’ah Hafeza Khader .............................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Joshua Carson Kistler .............................. Charlotte
Mackenzie Elizabeth Koehn .................................. Hubert
Cum Laude
Deepshika Gayatri Kovvali .......................... Morrisville
Cum Laude
Georgia Kratt .................................. Mooresville
Sophie Rae Kropog .................................. New Orleans, LA
Tracy S. Kusorobgo .................................. Charlotte
Lily Noel Layton ............................................. Wilmington
Riana Kaya Lee .................................. Charlotte
Caleb Limkemman .................................. Huntersville
Sierra Nicole Long ............................................. Durham
Jameson Antonio Lopez, Jr .................................. Charlotte
Monishka Madan ............................................. Winston-Salem
Mackenzie A. Manherz .......................... Sanford
Latoya S. Mann .................................. Rock Hill, SC
Lucas De Melo Marques .................................. Charlotte
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Christian Nicole Martin .......................... Raleigh
Melanie Martinez .................................. Gastonia
Dadin Watsy Massanga .......................... Kings Mountain
Techiera Nicole Matthews .................................. Godwin
Nyarah Elise Mayo .................................. Charlotte
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Samantha P. McCarthy .............................. Huntersville
Cum Laude
Breonna Leigh McClung .............................. Denver
Alexander Abraham McDaniel .......................... Hickory
Cum Laude
Salaii E. McNeill-Sumpter .......................... Charlotte
Mudit Bhasmang Mehta .............................. Charlotte
Avery Meierer .................................................. Troutman
Samuel Dennis Meierer .................................. Troutman
Vlad Anastasia Merrill .............................. Zaporizhzhia, Ukraine
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Danielle B. Miller .................................. Charlotte
Ian Carter Miller .................................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Jasmine Monique Mitchell .......................... Charlotte
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A. Natasha Morgan .................................. Matthews
Taylor B. Morgan .................................. China Grove
Cum Laude
Victoria Danielle Morrow .......................... Concord
Niemat Amin Mubarak .................................. Charlotte
Anthony Robert Narducci .................................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Jodi Tran Nguyen .................................. Charlotte
Carolina Irene Norris .................................. Wilmington
Magnae Cum Laude
Kaitlyn Marie O’Brien .......................... Waxhaw
Cum Laude
Patricia Ortiz .......................... Charlotte
Neysalehe Pagan Torres .............................. Charlotte
Elena Rilei Palmetto .................................. Lexington, SC
Karime Penuuri ............................................. Charlotte
Giana Perez-Cruz ............................................. Winston-Salem
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Lilly Claire Quinn ............................................. Raleigh
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Emily Reide Radulovic .............................. Raleigh
Saniya Ranjan .................................................. Apex
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Ryan T. Rench .................................. Harrisburg
Aidin T. Rezvani .................................. Hendersonville
Marielisa Reyes .................................. Salisbury
Magnae Cum Laude
Logan Parris Richardson .......................... Mooresboro
Laura Richmond .................................. Rockingham
Magnae Cum Laude
Juan Jose Ricoy Santos .................................. Charlotte
Kayla Rae Riley .................................................. Creedmoor
Cum Laude
Chloe Noelle Rimkus .............................. Wake Forest
Briania Grace Risner .................................. Statesville
Dixon Eugene Rivers .................................. Charlotte
Alexandra Lorna Rohlstad .............................. Charlotte
Serena Kay Roselli ............................................. Denver
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Paige Alexis Rosenfeld .................................. Ellicott City, MD
Magnae Cum Laude
Julia Elizabeth Ryan .................................. Charlotte
Magnae Cum Laude
Salina Sam Saba .................................................. High Point
Cum Laude
Hajarabent Sadiq .................................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Imani Sharee Shamsid-Deen .......................... Charlotte
Luke Raym Shannon .................................. Cornelius
Cum Laude
Ika Hasana Shepherd .................................. Charlotte
Benjamin Samuel Shifman .................................. Raleigh
Megan René Skora .................................. Huntersville
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Kaylin Maye Slinsky .................................. Indian Trail
Amaya Rachelle Sloan .................................. Kenansville
Cum Laude
Hope Michelle Smith .............................. Mooresville
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Anna L. Snyder .................................................. Charlotte
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Cum Laude
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Summa Cum Laude

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Jaquawn Malik Coffie..................... Monroe
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Cum Laude
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Mayra Stefania Arteaga Guevara .... Charlotte
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Voke Pelumi Emerewen .............. Knightdale
Ronald P. Ewing ......................... Dallas
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Cum Laude
Kassady Camile Grant ................. Charlotte
Joshua J. Grindel ......................... Taylorville
Savannah Leigh Harris ........... Indian Trail
Rashel Hernandez ...................... Forest City
Liliana Irankunda ....................... High Point
Coty Jones ............................... Winston-Salem
Sesin Y. Kahsay ......................... Matthews
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James Austin Lee ..................... Beech Mountain
Jaime Lynn Lescinski ............... Hillsborough
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Cascelia Louise Lolim .................. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Trinity Annette Mack .................. Pembroke
Cum Laude
Victoria Elisa Manson ................. Durham
Cum Laude
Kahli Davette Matthews .............. High Point
Lucas Jordan McIntyre .............. Cary
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Ian Carter Miller ....................... Charlotte
Cum Laude
McKenna Elizabeth Mills .......... Charlotte
Mahala Mamie Jean Nicole Milton .... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Alisha Mittal ............................ Cary
Suad Abdirahman Mohamed .......... Charlotte
Jorden Mckenzie Mongelli .......... Belville
Markayla Monroe ....................... Raeford
Cum Laude
Kinyoita Kersey Moss ................... Polkton
Nicole Camila Mur Garcia ........... Charlotte
Cherea Taylor Murphy ................ Concord
Meagin Jeanne Murphy .............. Davidson
Kenneth Olaya ........................... Mount Holly
Elizabeth Shea Parache ............ Charlotte
Dongjin Park ............................... Seoul, South Korea
Tashanya Lechea Parks ............. Kinston
Aashik Kirit Patel ....................... Durham
Grace Kelly Patrick ..................... Cary
Paulyn Denise Tan Perez ........... Tarlac, Philippines
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Loungnapha Phoummachanh ....... Conover
Emeralda Pineda ........................... Sanford
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Gabrielle Lashawn Ruiz ............ Havelock
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Carson M. Sadinsky ................. Charlotte
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Kaila Leasia Yvette Snipes ........ Elgin, SC
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Tabitha Renee Stewart ............... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Kimberly Nohemy Suazo .............. Forest City
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Erika Brandine Surratt .............. Gastonia
Meghan Augusta Swiger ............. Charlotte
Cum Laude
Marissa Bernice Thompson .......... Winston-Salem
Kelin Thorpe-Megginson .......... Kannapolis
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Cum Laude
Laura Veloz .......................... Orlando, FL
Cum Laude
Rashod N. Wallace .................. Wilmington
McKenzie Taylor Walters .......... Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude
Sheera Aolani Webster ............... Charlotte
Ramesha Ta’kal Williams .. Badin
Kenzie Danielle Wilson .......... Maiden
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Hailey Michelle Wood .......... China Grove
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Nicole Natay Agueru Mena .......... Charlotte
Cum Laude
Kathia Lorena Alvarado Alfaro .... Thomasville
Magaly D. Ballines ...................... Monroe
Ana Christine Bristol ................. Charlotte
Ariadna Naielth A. Falcon .......... Shelby
Chloe Amber Freeburn .............. Fuquay-Varina
Cum Laude
Maylin Fuentes Jimenez .......... Stanfield
Mariza Barra Nolazo ............ Chapel Hill
Cum Laude
Bailey E. Justice ..................... Marion
Magna Cum Laude
Anabella Rose Karriker .......... Cornelius
Cum Laude
Jaime Issac Mejia, Jr ................. Charlotte
Andre A. Montes De Oca Gamez ..... Charlotte
Gabriel Thornor Oliphant ........ China Grove
Patricia Ortiz .................. Charlotte
Paige Alexa Rosenfeld .......... Ellicott City, MD
Magna Cum Laude
Cruz Melissa Solis Garcia .......... Statesville
Cum Laude
Daborah Lawana Truesdale .......... Charlotte
Kelly Jessica Vasquez Cruz ........ Gastonia
Cum Laude
Vanessa Simone Vaughn .......... Charlotte
Laura Veloz .......................... Orlando, FL
Cum Laude

Writing, Rhetoric, Digital Studies
Diana Galvan .......................... Clinton
Jackson Warren Martin .......... Cornelius
Tom Kiern Quach ................. Charlotte
Magna Cum Laude
Christina Nicole Rodriguez ......... New York, NY
Madalyn K. Sullivan ............... Shelby
Magna Cum Laude

The "49ers" nickname was chosen in recognition of the importance of the year 1949 in the history of the University. UNC Charlotte, which began as an off-campus center of the University of North Carolina, would have died in 1949 had Bonnie Cone and her supporters not convinced the N.C. Legislature that Charlotte needed a permanent institution of higher learning. Charlotte College was established that year. It is fortuitous that the University campus is located on N.C. Highway 49 and that Charlotte has a rich gold mining history. A bronze statue of the 49er Gold Miner sits in the Cato College of Education and College of Health and Human Services Plaza. The statue recalls the region's history as a gold mining center and symbolizes the pioneering spirit and determination that has led to UNC Charlotte's dramatic growth.
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Biology

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Linda Dayana Pineda-Sabas..........................Gastonia
Cum Laude
Jacob D. Pistolis .......................................Huntersville
Sapphira K. M. Ringer .................................Pensacola, FL
Brianna Grace Risner .................................Statesville
Devon Richard Robinson ..............................High Point

Magna Cum Laude
Alana Sofia Rosario .....................................Charlotte
Brandon Alexander Saavedra .......................Mount Airy
Stefano Schmalzbauer ....................................Charlotte

Magnae Cum Laude
Brian Christopher Schuller .........................Huntersville
Cum Laude
Jolely Ann Seitz ..........................................Matthews

Cum Laude
Dian Alex Sengkhamphon .............................China Grove
Cecia M. Sheffield .......................................Charlotte
Isabel Dawn Smith .......................................Fayetteville
Cruz Melissa Solis Garcia ..............................Statesville

Cum Laude
Cruz Vanessa Solis Garcia ............................Statesville
Joseph Daniel Son .......................................Charlotte
Kayleya Schanel Stewart ..............................Winston-Salem
Brandon Malik Summy .................................Winston-Salem
Kaley Young Szarka .....................................Locust
Ivah LeeAnn Tyson .......................................Arden

Cum Laude
Aabrionna Williams .....................................Henderson
Connor James Willis .....................................Cleveland, OH
Cum Laude

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology

George Ade Fru ...........................................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Leonela Alcancara Romero ............................Troutman
Jaden Dean Anderson .................................Spokane Valley, WA
Ashley Carol Arroyo Navarro ......................Yadkinville
Sohaih Asfaq ..............................................Matthews
Magaly D. Ballines .......................................Monroe
Giovanni Aquilla Bass II .........................Cary

Cum Laude
Kalyssa Orasa Benjamin ...............................Charlotte
Amanda Marie Blaufuss .................................Charlotte
Chiylkiane Apoline Quindara Boado ..........Fayetteville

Magna Cum Laude, Honors in Biological Sciences
Olba Bosenko .............................................Charlotte

Magnae Cum Laude
Alexandra Kay Bouplon ..............................Clemmons
Cum Laude
Zachery J. Bush ..........................................Tampa, FL

Cum Laude
Anthony John Casiola ................................Charlotte
BiClairlinee Cesar .......................................Charlotte
Jamea Tatyonna Laann Chalmers .....................Charlotte

Cum Laude
Winston-Salem
Justin Emanuel Chatmon ..............................Cary
Megan Renee Cole ......................................Rockingham
Carson Johann Cole .....................................The Colony, TX

Cum Laude
Tiffany Marie Cook .....................................Spring Grove, PA
Josseill Cortes ..........................................Mount Airy
Madyson Taylor Dalton ..............................Winston-Salem
Mekiah Quana Dark .....................................Elon

Cum Laude
Sridhanuseshrav Devanand ............................Apex

Shannon M. Dunn ........................................Stony Point, NY
Serena Michelle Eason .................................Castle Hayne
Abigail Lauren Emery .................................Hendersonville
Cum Laude
Gregory J. Ethridge .....................................Charlotte
Caje J. Etters ..............................................Kings Mountain
Alexia Forbes .............................................Dubois, PA
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Cum Laude
Darrius Richard Denzel Green .......................Mooresville
Shelby Nobuko Harlin ....................................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Jennifer Anne Heald .................................Salisbury
Rebecca Paige Hilliard ...............................Hillsborough
Alexandra Brennan Honeycutt .....................Concord
Margaret Selena Hopper ................................Bolivia
Ayse Abdurrahman Juma ..............................Indian Trail
Cum Laude
Briania Kayla Joseph .................................Mount Holly
Cum Laude
Emily Brianne Keck .................................Hilliard, OH
Magnae Cum Laude, University Honors
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Payton Emma Landis ..................................Albemarle
Magnae Cum Laude
Martha Levik ..............................................Charlotte
Henry Omar Lor .........................................Charleston, SC
Rebecca Marie Lucero ...................................Charlotte
Carlos Daniel Lugo Balanzer .......................Concord
Alexa Chrystal Mancia Cruz ..........................Lenoir
Isabel Maria Mar ........................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Lia Jian Felicia Maslyk ..................................Leland
Magnae Cum Laude
Sydney Elin Maus .......................................Monroe
Magnae Cum Laude
Khari Rayna McLendon ..............................Greensboro
Magnae Cum Laude
Ahmed Mohamed ........................................Concord
Magnae Cum Laude
Islam M. Mohammed .................................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Amit Santosh Mohite ..................................Durham
Alison Nichole Moore ..................................Charlotte
Cum Laude
Traci Earnhardt Morrow .............................China Grove
Alysson Johana Navarrete Gomez ..............Charlotte
Rebekah Abigail Netzley .............................Kannapolis
Summa Cum Laude
Phung Thi Ngoc Nguyen ............................Greensboro
Autumn Nobles ...........................................Charlotte
Ryan Dean O'Hare .....................................Matthews
Magnae Cum Laude
Celine Angelicca Ortiz ...............................Charlotte
Naiya J. Patel .............................................Charlotte
Jyasia Erishauna Pegues ..............................Charlotte

Cum Laude
Mason Nathaniel Petty ...............................Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Emma Lea Prentke .....................................Waxhaw
Brandon Godfrey Rawlins ..........................Huntersville
Summa Cum Laude
Jose Nirmans Reyna Aguilar .................Guatemala City, Guatemala
Dylan Matthew Riddle .................................Charlotte
Summa Cum Laude
Mathematics

Marcus Jermaine Bolton ........ Fayetteville
Joseph Isaiah Crisp .................... Connelly Springs
Magna Cum Laude
Connor Daniel Helm .................. Concord
Gaiva Holden ..................................... Asheveille
Amanda Marie Matera ............ Statesville
Jasmin Peralta ......................... Charlotte
Virginia Ann Stevens ............... Bennett
Magna Cum Laude
Madison Brianna Tucker ........... Concord
Matthew David Williams ........... Charlotte
Lea Grace Wissell .................. Cornelius
Summa Cum Laude

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Mathematics

Jonah Dembe........................... Weddington
Jacob R. Elmore ..................... Lincolnton
Magna Cum Laude
Christian Anthony Greco ............ Charlotte
Katherine R. Hooper .................. Holly Springs
Gabriel Keenan Horn ................. Harrisburg
Summa Cum Laude
Lea Meta Wa Mbiya ..................... Concord
Garrison Dale Pendergrass .......... Concord
Camaron Maxwell Peters .......... Belmont
Caleb Micheal Showalter ............ High Point
Zachary Jules Sprague ............. Chillicothe, OH
Cum Laude
John Raymond Turley .............. Mint Hill
Madeleine Bruges Wheeler .......... Waxhaw
Magna Cum Laude

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Mathematics

Joshua Brian Arsenault .......... Wake Forest
Zamiya DaCosta ...................... Charlotte
Bailey Nicole Glover ............... Wilson
Tyler James Hopkins .............. Charlotte
Darren Nikolai Tice King .......... Matthews
Joshua C. Leins .................... Charlotte
Alexis C. McMuray ................. Charlotte

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Physics

Elliot Cole Burke ..................... Greensboro
James Jered Carl .................... Reno, NV
Jackson Stephen Gray .......... Greensboro
Magna Cum Laude
Philip Joseph Magallon .......... Charlotte
Austin D. Puckett ................. Charlotte
Thomas A. Upton .................... Davidson
Jackson Zerkle ..................... Charlotte

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Physics

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Lucas Alexander Hoskin ........... Raleigh
Ethan Joshua Keller ................. Charlotte
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Saturday Morning Ceremony

The Graduate School

The National Anthem ................................................................. Haley K. Wright
                                Bachelor of Music
                                Greenville

Call to Order ................................................................. Jennifer L. Troyer
                                Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Greetings from the UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees ............... Dennis N. Bunker III
                                Chair, Board of Trustees

Greetings from the Graduating Class ........................................ Toni M. Mason
                                Master of Arts, Counseling
                                La Grange

Recognition of the Graduates .................................................. Lee E. Gray
                                Senior Associate Provost

Ringing of the UNC Charlotte Bell ............................................. Jayesh Jain
                                Master of Science, Mathematical Finance
                                Hanumangarh, India

Conferring of Degrees ........................................................... Provost Troyer
                                and Senior Associate Provost Gray

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Greetings from the Graduating Class

Toni M. Mason
Master of Arts Counseling

I’m Toni Mason, and it is my privilege to be up here today. I am graduating from the Clinical Mental Health Counseling program, and I am so grateful to have come to the end of my program. Mostly because I don’t think I had another semester in me. While I know today is about our accomplishments, I would appreciate it if all the graduates would join me in standing and giving a round of applause for our faculty, staff, families and friends who have supported us along the way.

I had a professor in undergrad who once told me that graduate programs were more about endurance than anything else. He told me, “You stick it out long enough, they’ll give you the degree.” I knew that graduate school required exams, projects, dissertations, etcetera so I didn’t quite understand what he was trying to say. Now that I have taken this journey, I see the wisdom he was trying to impart. Graduate school isn’t just a test of your ability. It’s a test of your commitment, your resilience and your courage. Not giving up is half the battle. I know that for many of us, the process of going back to school has been full of challenges. For some, it required moving to a new city or leaving the security of a former job. For others, it meant learning how to balance this new commitment with family obligations or finding ways to afford this new venture. We all had to figure out how to navigate school and the chaos going on in the world in the midst of a pandemic. Going through all this at once took endurance and inner strength. Through all that, somehow we all made it here today in one piece and for that I think we should all be incredibly proud of ourselves.

I have realized what a community effort this all was. I could not have done this without my family who gave me their love, patience and money to support my dreams, or without my friends who offered assurances that I could do it when I was doubtful, and who were so understanding about all the events I missed while I was busy with school. I couldn’t have done it without the amazing faculty, supervisors or classmates who challenged me to grow in ways I didn’t know I could and who gave me grace and support when they could see I needed help. It wouldn’t have been possible without university resources like the Center for Graduate Life & Learning or the amazing people at the Center for Counseling and Psychological Services or without my supervisor and colleagues at my graduate assistantship on campus.

At every turn, people were willing to offer kind words, guidance and helping hands. What I found to be true time and time again over the course of this experience is that none of us can exist in a bubble. We all need people to prosper and grow, not just in academia but in life. Not a single one of us who has gotten to this point has done it alone. That is why as we move on from this stage of our journey into the next, I challenge all of us to pay it forward by being that encouragement and helping hand for the next person. Be a supporting character in someone else’s success story. Be the person who helps others realize the greatness they carry within. Because like us, they will need support along the way. I will leave you today with the best piece of advice I ever heard. My grandfather, Willie McPhail, lived until he was 101 years old and when asked about the key to living a good, long life he replied: “Work hard. Take care of your family. Help people whenever you can and when you can’t, don’t cause ‘em no trouble.”

Thank you.
The Graduate School
Dr. Pinku Mukherjee, Interim Dean

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Doctor of Business Administration
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Laura Stanley, Advisor
Kevin Deshoun Claiborne, Morningside, MD
Franz Kellermanns, Jared M. Hansen, Advisors
Melissa Ann Hall, Rockingham
David J. Woehr, Advisor
Kimberly M. Harris, Charlotte
Justin W. Webb, Advisor
Layne McGuire, Charlotte
Sunil Erevelles, Advisor
Kenya Louise Smith, Charlotte
Justin W. Webb, Advisor
Denise Yvette Wynn, Durham
Scott Tonidandel, Advisor

Doctor of Education

Educational Leadership
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Rebecca A. Shore, Advisor
Emily Yow Shaw, Stanfield
Walter H. Hart, Advisor
Lauren Elizabeth Slane, Charlotte
Mark M. D’Amico, Advisor
Brian Scott Spaulding, Charlotte
Rebecca A. Shore, Advisor

Doctor of Philosophy

Applied Mathematics
George McKnight O’Kane Stukes, Charlotte
Stanislav Molchanov, Advisor

Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
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Data Science and Business Analytics
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Jibeeh Gopi ....................... Waxhaw
Sanath Kumar Samson Konigapogu ........ Charlotte
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Hamed Taj ............................... Charlotte
Youlia Kalinova Tzenova ........ Charlotte
Catherine Marie Veale ............ Charlotte
Tiston Tyler Williamson ............ Angier
Meridith Taylor Wtye .............. Kings Mountain

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Health Informatics and Analytics
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Benjamin David Moore ............ Charlotte

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Anthony Vazquez .................. Charlotte
Cato College of Education
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MASTER OF ARTS

Counseling
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Kasey Catherine Boudreau .... Sunset Beach
Aman Ribeiro Villa Branco ...... Mooresville
Anastasia R. Branstetter ......... Fayetteville
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William T. Brown, Jr. .......... Charlotte
Kiera Nichelle Butler .......... Waldorf, MD
Katelynn Marie Canipe ...... Vale
Rosalee Lynne Capozzi ...... Gastonia
Julie Lorraine Capshaw ...... Atlanta, GA
Krista A. Colvin ................. Charlotte
Ellie Elizabeth Cunningham .... Greensboro
Sarah Elizabeth Ernst ......... Villas Hills, KY
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Bailee Ford ....................... Laverne, TN
Kayla Yvonne Fraizer ......... Concord
Jason Michael Frost .......... Salisbury
Dijon Donald Goins .......... Jacksonville
Giles Ronald Greenwood ...... Indian Land, SC
Melody E. R. Hager .......... Charlotte
Zachary M. Harris, Jr. ......... Charlotte
Sarah Helen Hartsg .............. Gainesville, GA
Sarah Lillian Heffner ......... Charlotte
Haley Brooke Henderson ....... Jesup, GA
Lynnette Jean Hurley-Huneycutt .. Oakboro
Amber Marie Jarvis .......... Leola, PA
Aisha Chanel Joseph .. Charlotte
Hollie Easterling Kimbrough .. Kannapolis
Analiz Noelia Laracuente-Espinal .... Charlotte
Marisa Ann Larsen .......... Huntersville
Gracyn Elizabeth Lewis ...... Indian Trail
Toni Marissa Mason .......... La Grange
Kerstin Ann McMillian ....... Huntersville
Dawn Leshay McNair ......... Matthews
Rebekah Ann Newsome ...... Grovetown, GA
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Micah Christian Riley .......... Charlotte
Samantha P. Rodriguez ....... Charlotte
Alexis Ruvalcaba ............... Charlotte
Stefanie Coder Smith .......... Matthews
Brit E. Swider ............... Charlotte
Stacy Leigh Tarantino ........ Charlotte
Marcela D. Tresierra Vargas .. Charlotte
Mary Henderson Whitaker ....... Charlotte
Courtney Marie Wyche .......... Charlotte

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Elementary Education
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Melody Nicole Chidlers .......... Shelby
Courtney Clinton ............... Gastonia
Lindsay Mariah Ferko ......... Charlotte
Lhaika Claire Nadege Fortuney .... Charlotte
Kierra Rachell Gardner .. Kings Mountain
Paige Elizabeth Genovesi .. High Point
Kayla Ann Harkey .......... Matthews
Jennifer Nicole Hennessy .... East Hampton, NY
Lakaya Annice Hentz ...... Winterville
Emma Potter Jani .......... Wingate
Aliya Brooke Kazez ........ Marion
Olivia Newell ................. Charlotte
Nicole Harrrill Phongsia .... Kings Mountain
Nisha Yadav ................. Cary

Foreign Language Education
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Victor Omar Ubaldo ............. Albemarle

Middle Grades Education
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Nicolette Ann Lorusso .......... Huntersville
Tina Ariana Rhyne .......... Charlotte
Saya Nuriel Uceda .......... Sanford

Secondary Education
Danaye Charisse Connor ....... Charlotte
Elizabeth A. Hansen .......... Charlotte
Stephanie Goodson James ...... Charlotte
Cassidy Eileen James .......... Charlotte
James Peter Jarman .......... Charlotte
Mary Mai Cee Lo ............. Wingate
Melissa Dawn McCue .......... Lowell, MA
Justin Henry Pope .......... Winston-Salem
Denise Margaret Richards .... Waxhaw
Andra Rashede Ricks ... Bessmer City
Justin Sproule .......... Sherrills Ford
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Deirdre Michael Stout Mumphon ...... Indian Trail
Mary-Margaret Warner .... Kitty Hawk

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Heather Field Craddock ....... Mooresville
Jasmine N. Emanuel .......... Shannon
Heather Davis Fix ............ East Bend
Mary Catherine Gensler .... Gastonia
Stella Nadine Hagwood .... Sanford
Quadricka Andrelle Hopper .... Shelby
Madison Nicole Hutchens ...... East Bend
Shaqundra Vanessa King .... Concord
Nina C. Laney .......... Mooresville
EmiLee Brie-Ann Mullis ...... Charlotte
Kristen Renee Sanders ...... Gastonia
Gyntia Ishman Shine .......... Concord
Rachel Marie Todl .......... Charlotte
Meghan Marie Whitecavage .... Huntersville

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Katherine Victoria Bowman .... Charlotte
Christine Sue Calabria .... Charlotte
Caleb Aiden Morgan .......... Newton
Alexandra Parsons Okruszko .. Elkin
Alex Quach ............... Charlotte
Ana C. Ruiz-Carbajal .......... Jefferson
Yamile Danielle Uceda ......... Sanford

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Kelly Rebecca Barger ............... Shelby
Christine Jo Anne Demetriades .. Albermarle
Lauren Marie Quillen Estes ........ Charlotte
Aaron Donie Freeman .......... Ahoskie
Kaitlin Elizabeth French .......... Apex
Ashley Rose Haynes .......... Raleigh
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Christiana Berlin Jackson .... Charlotte
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Amy Nicole Lombardo ...... Commack, NY
Ma Aileen Katrina Bituin McCoy ....... Manila, Philippines
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Amanda Raye Morgan .......... Kernersville
Hannah Elizabeth Peavy .... Charlotte
Jazmin Aleaha Powell .... Raleigh
Stephanie Dulin Rice ...... Winston-Salem
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Vanessa W. Stewart .......... Charlotte
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Jessica Walsh .......... Raleigh
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Karl Dierk Wieland ......... Kannapolis

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Emma Katherine Morton ......... Durham

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Venita Michelle Alston .......... Nashville
Teresa Assenzo .......... Raleigh
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Jennifer Townsend Cunningham .... Huntersville
Kashawn Davis .......... Sumter, SC
Amiee Fairchild .......... Raeford
Noushin Golestani .......... Middletown, VA
Margaret Ann Curan Haugen .. Ridgefield, WA
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Jana Marinda Lee .......... Reidsville
Molly Elise Lynch .......... Richmond, VA
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Advanced Literacy Instruction and Intervention
Xantipple Nicole Hart .......................... Oxford

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Laura B. Price .......................... Morrisville
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Sydney Alexandra Montgomery .......................... Princeton, NJ
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Kelsey Lee Swett .......................... Concord
Taylorn Ward .......................... Mills River

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Parker W. Hubbard .......................... China Grove
Amber Hyatt .......................... Charlotte
Jillian Insley .......................... Charlotte
Russell Fearne Jackson .......................... Charlotte
Chadraune Ariel Jackson-Robinson .......................... Charlotte
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Kyra Elease Johnson .......................... Charlotte
Abigail Kent .......................... Leland
Mikayla D. Kikobo .......................... Charlotte
Nina Grace Kilponen .......................... Weddington
Lyndsay Kobe .......................... Charlotte
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Peggie Ann Leba .......................... Charlotte
Stephanie Anne Light .......................... Waxhaw
Tammy Turner Lodermer .......................... Indian Trail
Erica B. Marchetti .......................... Charlotte
Fenesia Mccollough .......................... Gastonia
Kristen Griffin Meador .......................... Otto
Zebulon Todd Mefford .......................... Charlotte
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Jessica Angela Routh .......................... Asheboro
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Marie Kelly Schmid .......................... Huntersville
Stephanie Sedano .......................... Albermarle
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Jacqueline Elizabeth Sheltor .......................... Troutman
Sarah Evans Shetley .......................... Charlotte
Jeremy Louis Simmons .......................... Greensboro
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Ashlee Steiner .......................... Waxhaw
Ruth Yvonne Stevenson .......................... Charlotte
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Heather Summerford .......................... Statesville
Paige Mercer Treichler .......................... Holly Springs
Joshua Scott Trogodon .......................... Randleman
Jeanne Bambi Tsiek .......................... Charlotte
Amy Lecker Tyndall .......................... Charlotte
Jody Lee Vieu .......................... Huntersville
Salvatore Villari .......................... Charlotte
Lataisha Wallace .......................... Gibsonville
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James Thomas Warren .......................... Huntersville
Toni R. West .......................... Huntersville
Caitlyn J. Westbrook .......................... Charlotte
Deja Monet White .......................... Charlotte
Phyllis Patrece Williams .......................... Hope Mills
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Makayla Blaire Wykle .......................... Charlotte
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Rachel Helen Hopler .......................... Cary
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History of the University

UNC Charlotte was one of a generation of institutions founded in metropolitan areas following World War II. Created as the Charlotte Center, the institution opened on September 23, 1946. It offered evening classes to an initial class of 278 freshmen and sophomores in the facilities of Charlotte’s Central High School. In 1949, the city’s pioneering business and civic leaders, aware of the region’s unmet need for a public institution of higher education, moved to have the

Charlotte Center taken over by the city school district and operated as Charlotte College, offering the first two years of college courses. By 1961, Charlotte College was experiencing rapid growth that resulted in the establishment of a campus of its own. In the same year, Charlotte College leaders moved its student population into the first two buildings, Kennedy and Macy, on what would become a 1,000-acre campus ten miles from downtown Charlotte. In 1963, the North Carolina legislature approved bills making Charlotte College a four-year, state-supported institution. In 1965, the legislature passed bills designating the College the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, the fourth campus of the consolidated state system. Expansion continued as the University began offering master’s degrees in 1969. In 1992, UNC Charlotte received authorization for its first doctoral programs. UNC Charlotte is the state’s urban research institution and the system’s third largest public university with greater than 30,000 students enrolled.
Hood Colors

The white and green trim on each hood represents UNC Charlotte.

**Master's Degrees**

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**Construction and Facilities Engineering**

Tamim Adnan .................................. Charlotte
Prudvi Ankolla .................................... Charlotte
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Neetu Donakada .................................. Visakhapatnam, India
Madhukar Reddy Dwarsala ......................... Bangalore, India

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Jyothirmai Govvala ................................ Hyderabad, India
Keerthi Kadarla ................................... Jagityal, India
Asritha Kunduri ................................. Nellore, India
Satya Narayana Reddy Kovuri ..................... Nalgonda, India

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Alekhyo Podila ................................... Hyderabad, India
Pruthvinath Savarala ............................. Hyderabad, India
Sajal Shah ....................................... Madhyapradesh, India
Zaheer Shaik ..................................... Suryapet, India
Akshay Narasimh Shelke ........................... Akluj, India
Siva Krishna Sai Sakhikollu ...................... Chilakaluripet, India
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Clarke Jarrod Summers ........................... Huntersville
Diksha Narendra Tayade ............................ Charlotte
Gayana Tirupathi Narisimha ........................ Hyderabad, India
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Vijay Vudumudi .................................... Hyderabad, India

**Engineering Management**

Harish Ashokan .................................. Chennai, India
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Soumith Kumar Goli ................................ Jagtial, India
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Melissa Marino .................................... Raleigh
Shaghaheyeg Mashinkarajavan ..................... Charlotte
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Thomas Thais Pham ............................... Charlotte
Taran Raj Poondra ................................. Hyderabad, India
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Abhijith Ravi .................................... Kannur, India
Emma Kathleen Ruggiero ......................... Redding, CT
Sai Shravan ...................................... Hyderabad, India
Ibrahim Ben Thiiare ................................ Denver
Alexander John Vanderheyden .................... Greensboro
Avinash Vankudoth ................................. Hyderabad, India

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Angel Aristides Rodriguez Ripoll ............... Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

**Master of Science in Civil Engineering**

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Wesley Aaron Gosnell .............................. Dallas
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Eliah Brent Propst ............................... Morganton
Joseph Saxon Wanner ............................. Charlotte
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Bethany Burks Welch ............................. Bel Alton, MD

**Master of Science in Electrical Engineering**

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Faisal Abdulmajeed Theyeb Alamri ............. Charlotte
An Namas, Saudi Arabia
Mohammad M. J. A. M. Alhaddad ................. Kuwait City, Kuwait
Tejaswini Avula .................................. Hyderabad, India
Himanshu Ravindra Chavan ...................... Bhusawal, India
Rajnish Deo ...................................... Rajbiraj, Nepal
Donald Le Intal .................................. Raleigh
Swapnil Prakash Kharate ......................... Nashik, India
Kevin Patrick Madden ............................ Simpsonville, SC
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Sumit Kumar Srivastava .......................... Kanpur, India
Xiuhu Sun ............................................ Chapel Hill
Shane Yao .......................................... Shanghai, China

**Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering**

Sri Raj Deepak Akki .............................. Kakinada, India
Jesse Chen ........................................ Harrisburg
James Thomas Evans .............................. Jacksonville, FL
Jason David Hackbarth ............................ Livermore, CA
Jacob Stone Herbert .............................. Kannapolis
Tien Herd .......................................... Huntersville
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Hamza Waheed .................................... Wake Forest

**Graduate Certificate**

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At the time of his retirement on June 30, 2020, Dr. Philip L. Dubois, UNC Charlotte's fourth chancellor, was the senior chancellor in the University of North Carolina system. He led the system's fastest-growing institution, directing a 43% growth in enrollment, an expansion of academic programs, implementation of diversity-related initiatives, growth in research funding and significant construction and renovation of campus facilities. Under Dubois' strategic direction, football was added to the University's athletics offerings in 2013, and he collaborated with elected officials and the Charlotte Area Transit System to make possible the construction of the light rail line from Center City Charlotte to the UNC Charlotte campus. He also took the University to new levels in fundraising, overseeing the largest private campaign in UNC Charlotte's history, which exceeded its $200 million goal. Dubois' career in higher education spanned more than 40 years. Previously, he served as president of the University of Wyoming, provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs at UNC Charlotte and associate vice chancellor for academic programs at the University of California, Davis. Dubois has been recognized regionally and nationally as an expert in higher education, achieving many awards and accolades during his respected career. In 2020, Dubois was recognized by the American Council on Education with its Outstanding Mentor Award, by the UNC Charlotte Alumni Association with its Honorary Alumnus Award, and by North Carolina Governor Roy Cooper with The Order of the Long Leaf Pine, the state's highest civilian award.
**College of Humanities & Earth and Social Sciences**

**Dr. John Smail, Interim Dean**

**Master of Arts**

- **Anthropology**
  - Jaylan Tamar Cole ...................... Eagle Springs
  - Margaret Elizabeth Devine ................ Davidson
  - Trevor Scott Messer ...................... Oriental

- **Communication Studies**
  - Caitlin Holly Mauk ...................... Mays Landing, NJ
  - Jordan Ashlee Murphy ...................... Charlotte

- **English**
  - Madison Elizabeth Lee Bradburn, Bryson City
  - Rebekah E. Crosson ...................... Burgaw
  - Christopher SK Leathers ................ Durham
  - Anna Beeman McNerney ...................... Charlotte

- **Ethics and Applied Philosophy**
  - Zach Elias .......................... Bettendorf, IA

- **Geography**
  - Ian Holland Fisher ...................... Weddington
  - Emma Gray Krausehrase ................ Charlotte
  - Sarah Katelyn Moses ...................... Charlotte

- **History**
  - Katherine Nicole Brown ................ Morven
  - Brian William Cullinan ................ Charlotte
  - Mahalah Darlene Dalton ................ Burlington
  - Kathryn Blake Marlowe .................. Summersville, WV
  - Wesley Bryant Thompson ................. Wesley Chapel
  - Daniel Glenn Underwood ................ Belmont

- **Latin American Studies**
  - Madison Brooke Green ................ Charlotte
  - Ana Josefina Urrutia Barraza .............. Crestline, CA

- **Liberal Studies**
  - Kristina S. Hartzell ...................... Charlotte

- **Psychology**
  - Alexa Rae Sotiroff ...................... Birmingham, MI

- **Psychology - Industrial/Organizational**
  - Micaela Grace Zebroski ................ San Diego, CA

- **Religious Studies**
  - Aaron Michael Gonzales ................ Huntersville

- **Sociology**
  - Aleksandra Matranga .................. Charlotte
  - Kripa Kiran Patel ...................... Bensalem, PA
  - Chelsea Rafan ......................... Jacksonville, FL

- **Spanish**
  - Abigail Ariel Armas .................. Lexington
  - Caren Kirkland Berrier ................ Gastonia
  - Jennifer L. Burke .................... Charlotte
  - Karen Alexa Roman .................... Charlotte

**Master of Science**

- **Criminal Justice**
  - Kerry Patricia Devlin ................ Fort Mill, SC
  - Jaldana Samantha Jones ................ Charlotte
  - Noah C. Schaffer ........................ Cary
  - David Lynn Small ......................... Concord

- **Earth Sciences**
  - Zed Bates-Norris ........................ Charlotte
  - Tori Leigh Corpening .................... Marion
  - Mai P. Vang .............................. Newton
  - Nora Elizabeth Vaughan ................. Pittsburgh, PA

**Graduate Certificate**

- **Cognitive Science**
  - Alexis Leann Hasson .................. Taylorsville

- **Gerontology**
  - Hunter Wayne Christy .................. Concord
  - Audrey Jean Gautherton ................ Charlotte
  - Toni Marissa Mason .................... La Grange
  - Bailey M. Stilwell ...................... Indian Trail
  - Kassidy Swords .......................... New Bern

- **Nonprofit Management**
  - Jenais Yvonne Means ................... Columbia, SC

- **Public Policy Research and Analysis**
  - Allison Elizabeth Infinger ............ Charlotte
  - Victoria Gayle Watlington ............. Charlotte

- **Technical/Professional Writing**
  - Marian Cowgih Owen ...................... Charlotte

- **Translation and Interpreting Studies**
  - Abigail Ariel Armas .................. Lexington

- **Translating**
  - Allegra Lyrienne Mondel Baker ........ Cramerton
  - Brian Jai D’Marco Edwards II ............ Mint Hill
  - Romina Odila Muni ....................... Durham
  - Daniel Morris Parker .................... Greenville
  - Rachel Danielle Poore.................... Jacksonville, FL
  - Blaine Helena Strom ...................... Cary
  - Thomas Andrew Winkens .................. Sanford

- **Urban Management and Policy**
  - Renee B. Garner ........................ Matthews

- **Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies**
  - Kendra Jane Council .................... Charlotte
  - Steven Confidence Muir ................. Charlotte

**College of Science**

**Dr. Bernadette T. Donovan-Merkert, Interim Dean**

**Master of Science**

- **Applied Physics**
  - Eve Ann Allen .......................... Waxhaw
  - Daniel Kenan Brewster .................. Charlotte

- **Biology**
  - Caitlin Elizabeth BrableRose ........... Colerain
  - Sarah Ann Estvander ................. Charlotte
  - Chase Peyton Farmer .................... East Bend
  - Caroline French ......................... Raleigh
  - Emma Christine Hawkins ................. Clayton
  - Hannah Saint Ann Justin ................ Tampa, FL
  - Sara Kabir .............................. Harrisburg
  - Megan McCarter Mitchell .............. Lincolnton
  - Julia Elizabeth Roberson .............. Charlotte
  - Courtney M. Shadrer .................... Concord
  - Abbey Louise Strahan .................. Waxhaw
  - Ruth Loretta Wright ..................... Winston-Salem

- **Chemistry**
  - Alexis Hope Murray .................... Youngsville
  - Caroline Mechele West ................. Charlotte

- **Mathematics**
  - Terrence Clifford Ancrum .............. Brooklyn, NY
  - Cody P. Maddox ......................... Charlotte
  - Cynthia Cauldo Mayo .................... Polkton
  - Sergei Lelam Miles ..................... North Wilkesboro
  - Zihui Wang .............................. Charlotte

- **Optical Science and Engineering**
  - Amstrong Renold Jean .................. Charlotte
  - Santiago Rueda Parra .................... Bogotá, Colombia
  - Woheeb Muhammad Saeed ................ Lahore, Pakistan

**Graduate Certificate**

- **Biomedical Sciences**
  - Mo’Niya Ja’Neal Smith ................ Charlotte

- **Biotechnology**
  - Alicia Michele Williard .............. Charlotte
Chancellor Sharon L. Gaber

Sharon L. Gaber, Ph.D., an academic with a background in city and regional planning, became the fifth chancellor of the University of North Carolina at Charlotte in July 2020. Since Gaber joined Charlotte, the University has embarked on “Shaping What’s Next,” a bold 10-year strategic plan that articulates a new vision as a globally recognized top-tier research university. During that time, the university has also seen a dramatic rise in its national profile, achieving a coveted position among the nation’s top 100 public universities, according to U.S. News & World Report’s Best Colleges 2024 rankings.

Deeply engaged in community and regional activities, she is a member of Charlotte’s Leading on Opportunity Council, the Charlotte Executive Leadership Council, Women Executives and the International Women’s Forum - Carolinas.

In 2022, Gaber received the Career Mastered Distinguished Leadership Award, and was named by The Charlotte Business Journal one of the top 10 leaders who will drive Charlotte’s next stage of growth. She also has been named to Business North Carolina’s Power List for three consecutive years and was designated by Education Dive as “one of five higher education leaders to watch in 2018 and beyond.”

At the national level, Gaber has served on multiple NCAA committees and is the first UNC System chancellor to serve as a member of Excelencia in Education’s Presidents for Latino Student Success.

A native of Southern California, Gaber earned an A.B. in Economics and Urban Studies from Occidental College, an M.P.L. in Urban Planning from the University of Southern California, and a Ph.D. in City and Regional Planning from Cornell University. She has written numerous articles and co-authored a book on planning research methods.

Prior to UNC Charlotte, Gaber served for five years as president of the University of Toledo. Previously, she served as provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs at the University of Arkansas, as an interim provost at Auburn University, and a faculty member and administrator at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Officially the first woman to serve as chancellor of UNC Charlotte, Gaber follows the trail blazed by founding educator Bonnie Cone, who led the institution from 1946-66.

Dr. Gaber is the proud mother of three children: Allison, Peter, and Jen (dec.).

Chancellor’s Cabinet

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- Networking events
- A lifetime of career resources
- Interest and identity-based affinity networks
- Niner Nation Week: Homecoming
- 49er Tailgate Village at the Hauser Alumni Pavilion
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- Opportunities to give back as a Niner volunteer
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