



News Digest

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Registration Guidelines for Summer and Fall 2018 Terms

The Fall 2018 Schedule of Classes is now available. The following information has been prepared to help you assist students with registration for Summer and Fall 2018 terms. Registration times have been scheduled from April 2-6. Open registration begins on April 9. The Registration Time Table can be viewed [here](#). Undergraduate students cannot be registered or receive credit for graduate level courses without first being admitted as (1) a dually-enrolled post-baccalaureate student, or (2) an early-entry graduate student. Please check with the Graduate School before awarding registration overrides to this population of students. The Office of the Registrar runs weekly reports to monitor this issue. A student's registration time is based on their cumulative earned hours and do not take into account any hours in-progress. However, in-progress hours are used for prerequisite checking.

Important Registration Dates:

| Term | Action | Begins | Ends |
|--|------------------------|---------|-----------|
| 1st Summer and Extended Summer 2018 (201850) | Add/Drop | April 2 | May 22 |
| | Registration Overrides | March 5 | May 22 |
| 2nd Summer 2018 (201870) | Add/Drop | April 2 | July 6 |
| | Registration Overrides | March 5 | July 6 |
| Fall 2018 (201880) | Add/Drop | April 2 | August 27 |
| | Registration Overrides | March 5 | August 27 |

Deadline Nearing for Provost's Awards

March 16, 2018, is the deadline for nominations for the below awards. Please submit all nominations electronically to Shannon.Homesley@uncc.edu.

- [Bonnie E. Cone Early-Career Professorship in Teaching](#)
- [Provost's Award for Excellence in Teaching](#)
- [Provost's Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Academic Advising](#)

Introducing Schedule Wizard

Schedule Wizard is a new tool for students that streamlines registration by helping students plan their schedule around their personal activities and commitments. Within Schedule Wizard, students easily select preferred classes, block off breaks and personal commitments and generate possible schedules for registration. Schedule Wizard is available on the student view of My UNC Charlotte under Quick Links. Look for the Wizard icon. Visit [Schedule Wizard](#) for more information and [view this short video](#).

Faculty Showcase & Celebration: Great Ideas from Professional Development Workshops

To showcase and celebrate improvements that faculty made as a result of participating in on-campus professional development activities, an informal get-together will be hosted on April 24, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Cone 210. Come listen to your colleagues share how opportunities offered by the Office of Assessment & Accreditation, CTL, CxC, Library, ADVANCE, and Undergraduate Education contributed to successful changes in course curriculum, instructional practices, and student learning. Brief roundtable talks with group discussions and mingling opportunities with individuals will provide course improvement ideas and cross-disciplinary networking encounters.

2018 Women + Girls Research Alliance Summit

Registration for the 2018 W+GRA Summit: The Story of the Charlotte Girl is now open on the [W+GRA website](#). The Summit takes place on Wednesday, April 4. Day sessions (11:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.) will be held in the Student Union, third floor. The evening keynote (7:00 - 9:00 p.m.) will be held in McKnight Hall, Cone Center. The Summit's focus is the tools and strategies that can be used to better advocate for policies and programs to improve the lives of girls in our community, including how to support girls in being their OWN advocates and advocates for the communities they wish to build!

Charlotte Community Scholars Seeks Proposals

Charlotte Community Scholars is seeking proposals for the upcoming summer program. Please see the CCS website for a detailed description of [program expectations](#) and [student admission requirements](#). Potential scholars and their mentors should email complete applications to [Dr. Heather Coffey](#). Deadline for proposals is March 15. Notification for acceptance will be emailed April 1.

Data Analytics Speaker Series

Deploying a Successful Self-Service BI Strategy

Self Service Analytics (or SSBI) is a capability most CIOs want to enable. Its benefits are clear: bring analytical agility to business users while removing the burden of small report requests from I.T. However, deploying a successful SSBI strategy requires considering multiple risk factors that may get on the way of generating value. In this session, Javier Guillen, Senior Business Architect at North Highland, will provide an overview of the technical and process factors that are critical when planning deployment of tools like Tableau or Power BI.

- Thursday, March 15, 12:00 - 1:00 PM, UNC Charlotte Center City Room 204 ([Register](#))

Dissertation Defenses

The dissertation defense is one of the ways a new scholar demonstrates readiness to join the academy and is an opportunity to share their research widely.

[View All Dissertation Defense Announcements](#)

Upcoming Events

THIS WEEK:

- Mar 7** [Global Learning in the Research Environment](#)
- Mar 8** [International Women's Day Nominations Deadline](#)
- Mar 10** [Beasts of the Southern Wild \(movie\)](#)

NEXT WEEK:

- Mar 14** [Democracy and Terrorism in West Africa](#)
- Mar 14** [Marian Beane Crossing Borders Writing Competition Submission Deadline](#)
- Mar 14** [International Women's Day Nominations Deadline](#)
- Mar 14** [International Education Faculty and Student Nominations Deadline](#)
- Mar 15** [International Speaker Series: Building Peace in a Dangerous World](#)
- Mar 15** [Opening Reception: Art & Art History Alumni Exhibition](#)
- Mar 16** [Rod MacKillop Exhibition & Auction](#)
- Mar 17** [Explore UNC Charlotte](#)
- Mar 17** [13th Annual International Women's Day Celebration](#)

UPCOMING: <https://provost.uncc.edu/about-academic-affairs/weekly-news-digest/upcoming-events>

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