UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE | SCHOOL OF DATA SCIENCE

Updates from the Director

An early spring break is right around the corner! We trust that your semester is off to a strong start. Our last Monday Seminar before the break will be with the Principal on February 20th. It is a *virtual session.* More information and links to register are below. For our undergrads, the SDS Undergraduate Student Organization Meeting will be on February 23rd. This is your chance to get engaged with student leadership. Again- more information is below.

Student RESOURCES

CCI Career Fair: February 22, 2023

CCI Career Fair - Open to ALL SDS Students
February 22, 2023, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm at the Student Activity Center
The Partners Program is pleased to host a spring recruitment event.
Register for the event today!

**CCI Career Fair
Must Attend!**

February 22, 2023
10 am - 2 pm
Student Activity Center (SAC)

DegreeWorks Audit: On Track To Graduate?

DegreeWorks is a web-based planning tool that accurately displays required coursework and helps students monitor their progress toward graduation. Students can access their real-time audit in DegreeWorks via **my.uncc.edu** and should routinely check their progress toward degree completion.

For any required courses in the "Fall Through" or "Not Counted" sections of DegreeWorks, submit an Academic Petition that requests the courses be counted towards your program requirements. Check your Degreeworks audit before applying to graduate!

Career Center: Technology and Data Analytics

From the Career Career's latest newsletter-Career Fairs, Resume Workshops, and Meet Ups. You are invited to attend any of the upcoming spring meet-ups in person and over Zoom.

See the complete list here!

SPRING CAREER & INTERNSHIP FAIR

Connect with **175+ organizations** offering **jobs, internships,** and **graduate programs.**

RSVP in **Hire-A-Niner.**

Open to all **majors** and **class levels.**

BARNHARDT STUDENT ACTIVITY CENTER (SAC)

THURSDAY, MARCH 9
10 A.M. - 2 P.M.

Health Data Science & Artificial Intelligence

GSA offers $25K prizes for practical healthcare AI

The General Services Administration's new Applied AI Healthcare Challenge offers four $25,000 prizes for practical artificial intelligence applications to help federal agencies provide high-quality mental health, addiction, and cancer care, improve health equity or safety, and bolster the supply chain. Submissions are due March 20, up to 16 finalists will be invited to present their projects at an industry day on May 2, and winners will be announced on May 12.

The University of Florida is building a critical care databank for AI

The University of Florida is building a data repository from more than 100,000 critically ill patients at the university and at the Mayo Clinic, UPMC, and Massachusetts General Hospital for developing artificial intelligence algorithms. The university received $3.6 million of a $23.5 million multicenter grant through the NIH's Bridge to Artificial Intelligence program for the project, which also includes AI workforce training and the development of standards for ethical AI use in critical care, publicly available AI tutorials and guidelines for medical AI research.

Featured Job

OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for more internships and job postings? Log into Hire-a-Niner or use their convenient School of Data Science aggregator.

Ahold Delhaize:
- Intern Comp Intelligence & GIS

FRG (Financial Risk Group)
- NEET Administrator

IAT Insurance Group:
- Internship: Data Engineering & Visualization

Johns Hopkins Health System:
- Senior Financial Analyst (Remote)

NC State University:
- Data Manager

Research Department of Public Health Sciences, CHHS at UNC Charlotte:
- Postdoctoral Fellow in Suicide Prevention Research

SCOR Global Life Americas:
- Data Science Internship - Summer 2023 (undergrad or grad)

SIA Partners:
- Management Consultant Intern

Stryker:
- Senior Staff Statistician: Real-World Evidence (Remote)

Wake Forest School of Medicine:
- Biostatisticians, Statisticians, Data Scientists
- Biostatistics and Data Science Internship

UNDERGRAD ONLY:

Coca Cola:
- BI Applied Learning Intern Program

LPL Financial:
- Financial Analyst Rotational Program 2023

Spectrum:
- Customer Operations-Business Analyst

Wells Fargo:
- 2023 Software Engineering Development Program

Important
INFORMATION

IMPORTANT DATES

Find the full **SDS Calendar of Events** on the program website or add it to your google calendar.

- **February 27- March 4:** Spring Recess - No Classes
- **March 6:** Fall 2023 Schedule available
- **March 8:** Women in Data Science Conference
- **March 9:** Analytics Frontiers Conference

Upcoming Advising Sessions

GRADUATE GROUP ADVISING SESSIONS:
HIA and DSBA Programs

HIA: *Please also consult the graduate catalog*

- Wednesday, March 22, 2023, at 4:00 PM
    - Zoom link

DSBA: (Choose a session to attend)*Please also consult the graduate catalog*

- Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at 12:00 PM
    - Zoom link

- Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at 4:00 PM
  - [Zoom link](#)

UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

Undergraduate students are required to meet with their advisor to have the registration hold removed. This can be done by scheduling your appointment directly with your advisor!
Registration will start on April 3rd. The fall schedule and your specific registration time will be posted on March 6th in Banner.

Schedule an appointment with your advisor using the links below.

- [Deanna Rella](#)
- [Carly Mahedy](#)
- [Dr. Angela Berardinelli](#)

Summer Internship: HIA and DSBA Students

Summer Internship: HIA and DSBA Students: Planning on a summer internship? The revised Internship Proposal Form for Summer 2023, the summer 2023 resume book, and the proposal form were published on January 20th. You can use the links below for general information about internship resources, *including the SDS Resume Book and requirements.* You will find the course syllabus and proposal requirements on your respective program websites:
- [Health Informatics and Analytics MS](#)- HCIP 6400
- [Data Science and Business Analytics MS](#)- DSBA 6400

New Summer 2023 Resume Books

In the past, the SDS has set up resume submission sites for students seeking internships or full-time positions for summer. We will share these resume books with industry partners seeking full or internship candidates throughout the spring semester. If you are interested in submitting your resume for consideration, please use the links below:

- [SDS Resume Book- Full-Time Positions Summer 2023](#)
- [SDS Resume Book- Internships Summer 2023](#)

Important!

TO READ THE ENTIRE NEWSLETTER CLICK "VIEW ENTIRE MESSAGE" AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS EMAIL FOR JOB OPPORTUNITIES!

Mark Your CALENDAR

Women in Data Science Conference: March 8th

We encourage you to attend this year's WiDS *free* Conference! Keynote speakers Kate Darling and Neelima Sharma will join us along with many other breakout speakers. All speaker info can be found **here**. Be sure to attend the *Career Fair* that will take place during lunch and the evening reception.

REGISTER TODAY!

Analytics Frontiers Conference: March 9th

The School of Data Science will again host the **Analytics Frontiers Conference** on March 9th at the Marriott near campus. The morning's keynote speaker will be Rumman Chowdhury, former Director of the META team at Twitter. She is a pioneer in applied algorithmic ethics, creating cutting-edge socio-technical solutions for ethical, explainable, and transparent AI. The afternoon keynote will be Arnold W. Bunch Jr., the founder, and President of Bunch Consulting, LLC. He previously served in the United States Air Force for 38 years retiring with the rank of General.

UNC Charlotte Student tickets: $25

REGISTER TODAY!

Monday Seminars

The spring seminars run from 4:00-5:00 pm, in person at CCB, room 501, and feature guest speakers from data science and health analytics who provide real-world insights and perspectives in various career paths. The full schedule with registration links is on our **SDS events page**.

February 20:
Data Science Methods in Asset Management
Virtual Event

MONDAY SEMINAR SERIES
VIRTUAL EVENT
February 20, 2023
Data Science Methods in Asset Management

BRODY VOGEL
DATA AND OPERATIONS RESEARCH SCIENTIST

Principal

Do You Have an Incomplete Grade?

Incomplete grades assigned in Spring 2022 will default to Unsatisfactory at the end of the Spring 2023 semester. To avoid suspension or termination, the grade must be submitted by noon on May 15, 2023.
Please reach out to your instructor as soon as possible.
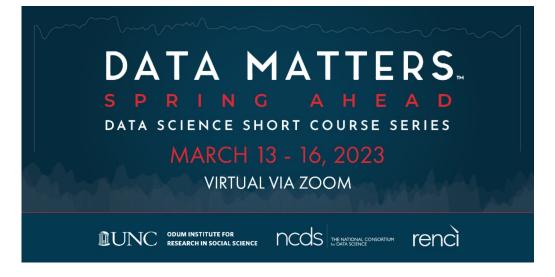
Data Careers Summit: February 24

The Data Careers Summit seeks to help individuals break into and move up in the data & analytics fields.
Register now for the *free* virtual event!

Upcoming SAS Hackathon

Registration for the SAS 2023 Hackathon is open through Feb. 28th!
For more information and to register, it can be found here.

SAS HACKATHON
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Data Matters: Spring Ahead: March 13-16

Data Matters™ is a week-long series of one and two-day courses aimed at students and professionals in business, research, and government. The first-ever springtime series, Data Matters: Spring Ahead, will feature a selection of the most popular two-day courses. Among the classes available are: Introduction to Effective Information Visualization, Visualization for Data Science in R, Basics of R for Data Science and Statistics, and Introduction to Python.

LEARN MORE

M.A. in Ethics & Applied Philosophy

Our MA program in Ethics and Applied Philosophy complements the work students are already doing at SDS. We want to encourage more grad students to pursue dual degree programs in ethics and data science at UNCC.
If you are interested in applying for this program, the deadline for consideration for funding is March 15th, 2023. TA positions are available for incoming grad students at $14,000/academic year with in-state tuition coverage (equivalent to $4,337, which covers 9-hrs of in-state tuition).

You can find more information here.
If you have further questions, reach out to Andrea Pitts.

Undergrad
STUDENT COUNCIL

All meetings will take place in Woodward 154 from 7-8 pm

Thursday, February 23rd
Tuesday, March 7th
Thursday, March 23rd
Tuesday, April 4th
Thursday, April 20th

Graduate
STUDENT COUNCIL

Upcoming Student Org Event:

We are hosting an informal meet-up at Optimist Hall on Friday, March 10, 2023. Come hang out, relax, grab some food or beverage, chat with other students, or just bask in the sun! This will be a BYO (buy your own) situation, but we hope to bring some snacky things to share.
The event starts at 4:00 PM and we will meet in the open air seating area on the second floor.

To Learn More and Register for Upcoming SDS Events
Visit the SDS News & Events Page

Alumni CORNER

Monday SDS Seminars- Alumni Focus

This fall, we welcomed back to campus several alums to participate in the SDS professional seminars. These hour-long sessions can focus on a variety of topics:
- Case Studies in Data Science
- Tools of the trade
- Professional/soft skills

Or it can simply be a straight-up recruitment session. *We would love to have you return to campus to share your experiences in the field!*

More information, including time, location and format, and proposal form, can be found here:
Monday Seminar Proposal- Spring 2023

Updating Alumni Information

It's time to gather some updated alumni data! Click the link below to update our database with any new job titles, employers, degrees, etc. - whether you just graduated recently or have been an alum for a while.

UPDATE ALUMNI INFO

Sharing Job & Internship Postings with The SDS

If your company has an open position that you want to share with current students or alums cohorts, please reach out to **Joshua Hertel**. We can include it in future newsletters.
Please include:
- Link to the job announcement or point of contact
- Target audience- undergraduates, graduate students, or alumni
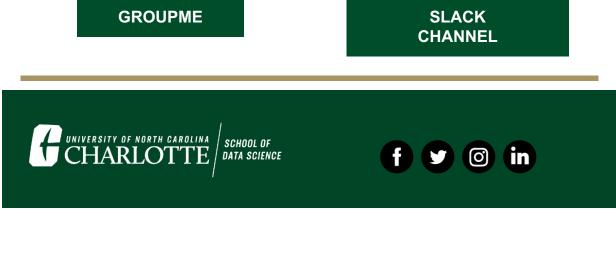- Deadline to apply

WE ARE HIRING!

- Core competencies

Looking to Recruit SDS Talent?

If your company is looking to target new talent, a reminder for alumni that Hire-a-Niner is still available to you- *as an employer*. You can limit your reach to graduate and undergraduate students enrolled in the School of Data Science or target the entire campus. Please let us know when you post, and we will ensure that it also gets featured in the regular SDS newsletters.

POSTING JOBS/INTERNSHIPS

GET CONNECTED with SDS!
Feel free to join the School of Data Science GroupMe and Slack Channel for regular updates.

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SLACK CHANNEL

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