



the ADVISOR ADVANCE

An Office of Undergraduate Admissions Newsletter



EDITION FALL 2021



FALL OPEN HOUSE

Learn what East Carolina University is all about at our on-campus Open House event on Saturday, October 16 beginning at 8 a.m. Transfer students can discover our academic departments by talking with ECU faculty and staff and attend sessions about updated admissions requirements, financial aid, and housing. In addition, current students will share their experiences and answer questions about student life and more.



Transfer students will learn about their next steps in the admission process and have the chance to meet admission counselors. Sessions will also be offered on choosing a major among ECU's 87 bachelor's degrees. Campus tours will be available.

Open House is for all prospective students and their families and friends. Find detailed information and register at admissions.ecu.edu/open-house.

CAMPUS TOURS AND VIRTUAL VISITS

Campus Tours are hosted by our student Pirate Navigators Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 and 2, also Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 2, (mask and registration required). Explore on your own anytime by downloading our **self-guided tour** or pick up a physical copy from the porch of the Whichard Building. Visit online and enjoy **virtual tours** of Main Campus and student life at ECU. You can find all the visit options at admissions.ecu.edu/campus-visit.

- **SPECIAL TRANSFER TOURS** are offered this fall on select Fridays at 2 p.m.: October 29, November 19 and December 3.
- **WEDNESDAY VIRTUAL TRANSFER INFO SESSIONS** Discover ECU's academic programs and learn about the application process, financial aid & scholarships, and much more. The info presentation is thirty minutes long followed by a Q & A session, where you will be able to have your questions answered by an Admissions Counselor. Register at admissions.ecu.edu/visit/transfer-tours-events.
- **OUR TRANSFER COUNSELORS ARE READY TO VISIT YOUR COLLEGE.** Contact us to set up times to visit virtually or in person. Find your ECU counselor on page 4, or on our **Meet the Staff** web page, or ask a question via email: transfer@ecu.edu.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Saturday, October 16** Open House
- November 8** Spring 2022 registration begins
- November 19** Transfer Orientation
- Saturday, November 20** MADE Day: Multicultural And Diversity Experience
- December 6** Application deadline for Spring 2022
- December 8** Application deadline for Fall Transfer Honors College
- January 7** Transfer Orientation
- January 10** Spring 2022 classes begin
- January 15** University scholarships deadline
- January 31** Deadline to submit Honors College application materials
- March** Pirates Aboard! Admitted Student Days
- March 1** Financial Aid priority deadline
- March 4** Transfer Orientation
- March 28** Summer and Fall Registration begins
- April 25** Summer 2022 Transfer Application Deadline
- July 1** Fall 2022 Transfer Application Deadline

Please visit our website at admissions.ecu.edu for details about these and additional dates.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

OCTOBER 18 - 22 is NATIONAL TRANSFER STUDENT WEEK



Prospective transfer students are encouraged to visit our social media during this week and attend our virtual info session on **Wednesday, October 20**. Learn about academic choices, transfer articulation, and about the enrollment process.

MADE DAY: MULTICULTURAL AND DIVERSITY EXPERIENCE

On Saturday, November 20 the campus will be alive with current students, faculty and staff to showcase all the facets of diversity expressed at ECU. MADE Day offers your students a chance to learn how to apply and pay for their education, explore ECU's scholarship opportunities, and learn about the many different majors offered here. Registration will open soon on our website at admissions.ecu.edu/made-at-ecu. For questions contact James Rudd at ruddj20@ecu.edu or by phone at 252-737-1246.

Stay Tuned for a SPRING TRANSFER ONE STOP DAY

We will be hosting an opportunity for students to get questions answered, connect with campus resources, and drop off documents for an immediate admission later this academic year. More details to come later on this fall on transfer.ecu.edu.

Pirate Promise Continues to Grow

ECU is now enrolling Pirate Promise students at 40 community colleges across NC — recently adding Wilkes Community College and Stanly Community College.

Pirate Promise is a pathway for community college students to participate in ECU before graduating from partner colleges. Students enjoy waived transfer application fees and access to many ECU resources. Upon completing an associate degree, they will seamlessly transition into degree-completion programs at ECU. Learn more: piratepromise.ecu.edu or contact us via email: piratepromise@ecu.edu. Your students can learn more about Pirate Promise at one of our live information sessions. Enjoy our interactive presentation followed by a question and answer with our transfer advisors.

October and November session registration dates can be found at piratepromise.ecu.edu/info-sessions/. The fall application is open and will close Monday, November 1.

UTILIZE THESE TRANSFER STUDENT RESOURCES

ECU's registrar office website hosts CAA Transfer Degree Plans, the UGETC Course List, our Bilateral and Uniform Articulation Agreements and the Transfer Course Equivalency Search Tool can be found at: registrar.ecu.edu/transfers. Please utilize the degree plans and other resources to determine the best academic pathway for your students.

HELPFUL LINKS Visit admissions.ecu.edu/connect/advisors, or click the links for access:

- Academic Advising Center Contact List
- Estimated Cost of Attendance
- Course Equivalency Tool
- Transfer Admissions Requirements
- University Scholarships
- ECU Online Programs
- Degree Explorer
- Pirate Promise
- Honors College for Transfer
- NC Reverse Transfer Program

NEW OPPORTUNITIES AT WAKE TECH IN INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

ECU's Bachelor of Science in Industrial Technology (BSIT), with a concentration in Mechanical Design and Architectural Design will be taught on Wake Tech's Southern Wake Campus starting in 2022. Students will be prepared for job opportunities as design professionals to assist architects, engineers, construction managers and building contractors to develop building plans, and construction planning. The 120-credit-hour BSIT degree completion will be a combination of online courses, in-person classes and labs at Wake Tech. ECU offers on-site academic advising and counseling for other majors as well. Learn more here cet.ecu.edu/techsystems/undergraduate-programs/industrial-technology-transfer.

EXPLORE EDUCATION PREPARATION PROGRAMS

Do you have students who want to pursue teaching? Currently, ECU graduates the largest number of education professionals in North Carolina. Learn about our degree plans for the Associate in Arts in Teacher Preparation and Associate in Science in Teacher Preparation registrar.ecu.edu/articulation-agreements.

NEW CC PARTNERS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

East Carolina University is excited to partner with Beaufort County Community College on a new criminal justice transfer program that allows AAS students to transition smoothly into the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice program at ECU. A similar bilateral agreement has been established with Sampson Community College. Criminal Justice Technology students who complete their Associate in Applied Science at these select community colleges can transfer to ECU and complete the

120-credit hour Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice degree in just 2 years.

Find statewide agreement, helpful resources, undergraduate academic advisors and more information at criminal-justice.ecu.edu/transfer-information-2.

Interested students should contact the transfer admissions team at 252-328-6640 or transfer@ecu.edu.

Is your community college interested in exploring specific transfer program agreements? Contact Erica Hoyt, Associate Director of Transfer Recruitment, at hoyte@ecu.edu 252-328-9495.

YOU'RE INVITED COUNSELOR RECEPTIONS

We hope you can join us for one of ECU's counselor receptions held across the state this fall. The evening will be full of food, conversation and information. We look forward to seeing you!

Raleigh: Tuesday, October 19, 5-7 p.m. Village Grill. 8470 Honeycutt Rd

Greensboro: Wednesday, Oct. 27, 5-7 p.m., Undercurrent Restaurant, 327 Battleground Avenue

Greenville: Tuesday, Oct. 26, 5-7 p.m., ECU Murphy Center, Harvey Hall, 100 Ficklen Drive

Wilmington: Wednesday, Nov. 17, 5-7 p.m., Waterman's Brewing Company, 1610 Pavilion Place

Find registration info at admissions.ecu.edu/connect/counselors. Email admissions@ecu.edu or (252) 328-6640 for more information.



ECU Admissions Counselor, Patti Clements, enjoyed some ECU spirit with DaJuan Lydell Lucas, Toby Thomas, Wanda Montano, Linda Thompson Thomas, Kimberly Powell, T.A. Powell in Charlotte.

TRANSFERS CONNECT AT FALL MEET AND GREET



New Fall Pirate Transfers were invited to connect at a meet and greet event in the new Main Campus Student Center. At the event about a hundred students were able to make new friends and engage with other transfers. Entertaining activities encouraged students to get to know

one another and many shared social handles for future connections.

Gift bag winner and Cape Fear Community College transfer, Mich Lancaster, said she was glad to be at East Carolina University, "I'm looking forward to a great career in social work."

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TRANSFERS IN 2ND YEAR

The ECU Honors College will be accepting 10 additional transfer students in Fall 2022. These students will come in as Centennial Fellows and will be required to complete the Honors College curriculum associated with being a Centennial Fellow. Students will have up to 5 semesters of scholarship funding to complete their undergraduate degree. Centennial Fellows receive a scholarship valued at \$1,250 per semester for 5 semesters, along with all of the benefits associated with participation in the

Honors College. Students must apply to ECU by December 8 and followed by the deadline for submitting the completed Honors College application and all associated materials by January 31, 2022. A completed application includes an essay, a letter of recommendation provided by an administrator at your current community college, and a resume. Find more information about this opportunity at honors.ecu.edu/transfers. Contact the Honors College Director of Admissions and Recruitment,

Margaret Turner, 252.737.5403 or turnerm@ecu.edu.



The Mamie Jenkins Building is home to the Honors College.

CONTACT US

Meet the entire staff at admissions.ecu.edu/connect/meet-the-staff to connect and request travel books, stickers and other information. Follow us on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram [@AdmissionsECU](https://www.instagram.com/AdmissionsECU) and stay up to date on important news.

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