### **APPLY**

Competitive applicants embody the program's three core components of Intellectual Curiosity, Commitment to Community Service and Ethical Leadership.

- 1. Students must be nominated or self-nominate early in the fall of their senior year to gain access to the application. Students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and enrolling in college immediately following high school graduation.
- 2. Nominees must apply to the university and to the Levine Scholars Program to be considered.

Learn more about the program and the application process.



### BY THE NUMBERS

20 Scholars per cohort

200+ Alumni

700 Avg. total hours of service per month by scholars

100+ Nonprofit partners

60+ Countries | Scholars'

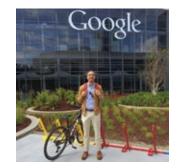
International Experiences



### ADVANCING KNOWLEDGE AND PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

**UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH:** The Levine Scholars Program is deeply integrated with the vibrant and innovative research community at Charlotte. Scholars have multiple opportunities to engage in mentored research during their academic careers through the program's unique Research Mentoring Initiative as well as the university's Office of Undergraduate Research. Levine Scholars take advantage of enhanced individual support to present research at local, state, national and even international conferences.

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:** For Levine Scholars, professional development is woven into their four-year experience. First- and secondyear seminars prepare students to navigate their foundational years at college and prepare them for success in their summer experiences, leadership endeavors and civic engagement. In addition, scholars have access to a dedicated academic advisor, individual faculty mentoring as well as pre-professional and post-graduation planning.



## **UNC CHARLOTTE**

Charlotte is North Carolina's urban research university, part of the University of North Carolina system, and the largest institution of higher education in the Charlotte region. Recognized for its top-tier R1 research status, the university offers outstanding academics across a broad range of disciplines. The 1,000-acre campus features state-of-theart facilities that enhance learning, research and student life. Located in the nation's 15th-largest city, Charlotte fosters strong community partnerships and connects students to a thriving business and research hub, preparing them for success in a dynamic global economy.



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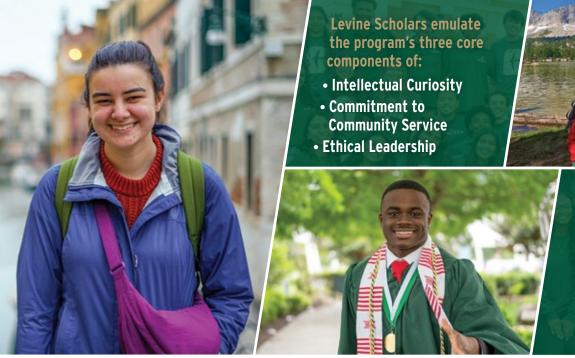
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## LEVINE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

UNC CHARLOTTE'S PREMIER MERIT SCHOLARSHIP





### SUMMER EXPERIENCES

Each summer offers unique opportunities for scholars to explore their personal values, develop leadership and professional skills and apply their ideas in real-world and global settings. Each scholar can customize their experience to match their academic interests and career goals, equipping them to lead with purpose and impact, stand out when applying to top-tier graduate and professional programs and enter the job market with confidence.

### LEVINE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

s the university's premier merit scholarship, the Levine Scholars Program attracts high-achieving students from across the state and nation and provides them with resources to create extraordinary undergraduate experiences.

Beyond a financial award, the Levine Scholars Program is an investment. We invest in you. You invest in us, and together we make measurable change in our communities.

# OUR INVESTMENT YOUR OPPORTUNITY

THE FOUR-YEAR
SCHOLARSHIP INCLUDES:



+ ROOM + BOARD

+ BOOKS

+ FEES
(MANDATORY)





### ...... 1. National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS)

A 25-day custom NOLS expedition offers the opportunity to self-reflect, bond with the cohort, hone leadership skills and discover the beauty of Wyoming's Wind River Range.

### 2. Nonprofit Internship

During the nonprofit summer experience, scholars intern with a local organization in Charlotte for five to six weeks to strengthen their ties to the community and prepare for future work endeavors in civic engagement.

### 3. Pre-professional Experience

Scholars secure eight- to twelve-week internships or equivalent experience in the field of their choice to complement their program of study. Examples include: Research Assistantships, Creative and Professional Fellowships, International Internships and Co-Ops.

### 4. International Exploration

Each scholar journeys abroad, spending anywhere from several weeks to three semesters studying, interning or working in a country of their choosing. Programmatic support allows scholars to shape their global adventures and push themselves to grow personally and professionally









## IMPROVING LIVES AND STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

Civic engagement is more than a core value—it is a way of life for Levine Scholars and a hallmark of the program. As community leaders, scholars combine volunteer service, tailored coursework, nonprofit internships and a desire to better the world around them to create lasting impact. Each scholar also has access to an \$8,000 grant to design and lead a project partnering with

a local nonprofit to address an unmet community need.





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### LEVINE ALUMNI COMMUNITY

- Over 200 program alumni living and working across the globe
- Regional and local programming
- Alumni in Residence program honors the achievements of an alum while providing a meaningful opportunity to connect with current scholars
- Continued professional development support
- Alumni-scholar mentorship program
- Networking and information platform encouraging connection between alumni and with current scholars

#### LEVINE SCHOLAR STORIES

View Levine Scholar Stories to hear directly from current scholars and alumni about their experiences, adventures and what makes the program so unique.



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