

PAST NEWS (2020-2025)

2025

December

- **Dec 4** – [UNC Charlotte earns first STARS Gold rating for sustainability achievements](#)

November

- **Nov 24** – [Poler Team Passes Industry-Standard Filtration Certifications, Allowing Commercial Production on Water Filters](#)
- **Nov 18** – [Levine Scholars partner with Habitat for Humanity's Charlotte Regional Chapter to create dream spaces for kids](#)

October

- **Oct 27** – [UNC Charlotte featured in the Princeton Review's 2026 Guide to Green Colleges](#)
- **Oct 22** – [Design Evolution](#)
- **Oct 20** – [CHESS Unveils a New Strategic Plan](#)
- **Oct** – [Charlotte's zero-waste playbook: Inside the stadium's sustainability strategy](#)
- **Oct 13** – [Professor's Mint Museum Exhibition Explores Complexity of Human Engagement with Nature](#)
- **Oct 10** – [Be Part of the Solution: Participate in the Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- **Oct 2** – [Cadavera is Blooming](#)
- **Oct 1** – [A triple threat: A physician tackles global health through an environmental and public health lens](#)

September

- **Sep** – [Building Bridges: Niner engineers support a community's recovery](#)
- **Sep 23** – [Keeping UNC Charlotte green with the Charlotte Green Initiative](#)
- **Sep 23** – [Celebrate Campus Sustainability Month](#)
- **Sep 23** – [Designing for impact: Cheryl Walker's vision supports University sustainability goals](#)
- **Sep** – [Back on the Map: Architecture students imagine a new Chimney Rock](#)
- **Sep 18** – [UNC Charlotte is on Bloom Watch for Titan Arum 'Corpse Flower'](#)
- **Sep 18** – [UNC Charlotte's Carolinas Engine for Grid Modernization advances in national NSF competition](#)
- **Sep 17** – [Asheville-based artist highlights pesticide companies' greenwashing in new Charlotte installation](#)
- **Sep 4** – [Artist Kirsten Stolle Takes Chemical Corporations to Task](#)

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August

- **Aug 28** – [Counting the Things with Wings for the Great Southeast Pollinator Census](#)
- **Aug 26** – [Breaking the ice: A rare dive into the Arctic's secrets](#)
- **Aug 21** – [Projective Eye Gallery Presents Kirsten Stolle: "Under the Influence"](#)
- **Aug 11** – [Dance Professor Awarded NC Choreographic Fellowship by Trillium Arts](#)

July

- **July 18** – [WCNC Live Weather Impact: Urban heat islands \(featuring UNC Charlotte researchers\)](#)
- **July 16** – [Sonia Birla '25 to participate in exchange program in Germany](#)
- **July 1** – [Doors open, fans on, trees to come: Charlotte's heat plan in action \(featuring UNC Charlotte's Katherine Idziorek\)](#)
- **July 1** – [Meet Karabeth Savage](#)

June

- **June 26** – [Unequal tree cover in Charlotte leaves some areas sweltering \(featuring UNC Charlotte's Matthew Eastin\)](#)
- **June** – [TEDxUNCCharlotte: Rekindle Your Relationship with Nature One Salamander at a Time | Sara Gagné](#)
- **June** – [A Curious Mind](#)
- **June** – [Filthy Rich](#)
- **June 11** – [Months after Hurricane Helene, volunteers are rebuilding private roads and bridges \(UNC Charlotte engineering course featured\)](#)
- **June 11** – [UNC Charlotte Receives City of Charlotte's Bike-Friendly Business of the Year Award](#)

May

- **May 28** – [Alum-directed Project Brews Coffee from Canal Water at Venice Biennale](#)
- **May 26** – [Charlotte Labs Turn Windows Into Carbon-Capturing Factories](#)
- **May 23** – [Wading into change: Passionate lecturer leads students on mission to clean Mecklenburg creeks](#)
- **May 15** – [UNC Charlotte Ph.D. Graduate Honored by the Bayh-Dole Coalition for Innovative Water Disinfection Technology](#)
- **May 14** – [Which Mecklenburg County neighborhoods have grown the most?](#)
- **May 9** – [UNC Charlotte SDG club champions sustainability through education and action](#)
- **May 5** – [UNC Charlotte Wins Sustain Charlotte's Inspiring Nonprofit Award](#)
- **May 2** – [Spring Bell Ringers Create Lasting Legacy at UNC Charlotte](#)

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- **May 2** – [Excellence in mentoring, teaching, civic engagement and student success celebrated](#)
- **May 1** – [Driven by Discovery: Will Russo's Lasting Impact on UNC Charlotte](#)
- **May 1** – [Rooted in Curiosity: Taylor Yonemura's Journey through Growth, Grit and Fungi at UNC Charlotte](#)

April

- **April 30** – [A successful Earth Month](#)
- **April 25** – [UNC Charlotte students lead the way in Earth Day celebration at Belk Plaza](#)
- **April 22** – **UNC Charlotte SDG Club founder featured on WSOC: 'Really special': Cornelius woman brings new life to old, broken crayons**
- **April 7** – [The Jamil Niner Student Pantry continues to further its impact in supporting UNC Charlotte](#)

March

- **Mar 30** – [Kathryn Horne leaves her mark on campus](#)
- **Mar 28** – [Charlotte Green Initiative and SGA host the Sustainability Summit to promote environmental awareness](#)
- **Mar 24** – [Celebrate Earth Month](#)
- **Mar 18** – [Sustainability in Teaching](#)
- **Mar 18** – [Event Fuses Art, Science and Climate Inquiry to Uncover Hidden Stories of Earth's Fractured Landscapes](#)
- **Mar 18** – [Paper towel composting expands to Popp Martin Student Union and UREC](#)
- **Mar 17** – [Wilson Hall receives Green Globes Certification](#)
- **Mar 10** – [Be the force of change on campus and beyond: Participate in the Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- **Mar 6** – [Green Workplace program launched](#)

February

- **Feb 27** – [Norm's Vintage Market brings style and sustainability to UNC Charlotte](#)
- **Feb 26** – [Seven UNC Charlotte Professors Honored as National Academy of Inventors Senior Members](#)
- **Feb 21** – [Western North Carolina Neighbors Need Help. Niner Engineers Are Designing Solutions](#)
- **Feb 20** – [Inspired by the outdoors, Cai Fox supports sustainability reporting](#)
- **Feb 13** – [UNC Charlotte awarded R1 Carnegie classification, the highest recognition for research universities](#)
- **Feb 11** – [Education professor among UNC Board of Governors Awards for Teaching Excellence recipients](#)
- **Feb 7** - [Small and Historically Underutilized Business Symposium 2025 Date Announced](#)

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- Feb 3 – [Dining Services Wins National Account of the Year Award](#)

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- Jan 28 – [2025 Gambrell Faculty Fellows to Study Charlotte Region's Pressing Challenges](#)
- Jan 28 – [Architecture students' photo wins award in U.S. Energy Department contest](#)
- Jan 24 – [Creating Guardians of the Environment](#)
- Jan 16 – [Solving the Insoluble and Meet Jordan Landis: Solving the Insoluble](#)
- Jan 4 – [UNC Charlotte chemist develops purification system that removes PFAS](#)

2024

December

- Dec 23 – [New Book by Architecture Faculty Amplifies Diverse Voices](#)
- Dec – [Threads Through Time: 60 years of art at Charlotte](#)
- Dec 10 – [UNC Charlotte SGA makes major strides to address student issues in fall 2024 semester](#)
- Dec 3 – [Charlotte rises in national research rankings](#)

November

- Nov 27 – [Advocating through Art for the Wellbeing of Our Planet](#)
- Nov 22 – [UNC Charlotte state of housing in Charlotte 2024 report analyzes housing issues](#)
- Nov 22 – [Recognizing great urban design in Charlotte: how the Urbies began](#)
- Nov 18 – [Charlotte ranks as N.C.'s No. 1 degree producer for minority students for 2024](#)
- Nov 15 – [UNC Charlotte earns recognition in the 2025 Princeton Review of Green Colleges](#)
- Nov 12 – [UNC Charlotte recognized with merit award from Professional Grounds Management Society](#)
- Nov 11 – [Belk College research, collaboration key to solutions](#)
- Nov 7 – [Achievements of faculty, staff and students recognized as Charlotte celebrates a record year for research](#)
- Nov 6 – [Niners Bike Team Supports Sustain Charlotte's Biketoberfest](#)
- Nov 6 – [Professors' Art Installation Plunges Viewers into a Kelp Forest](#)

October

- Oct 30 – [Election support services offered for students](#)
- Oct 25 – [UNC Charlotte featured in Princeton Review 2025 Guide to Green Colleges](#)
- Oct 21 – [It is time, vote early in the 2024 election](#)

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- Oct 20 – [Opinion: Hurricane Helene's impact should be a wake up call to adapt to and address climate change](#)
- Oct – [Charlotte: Rising Star in New National Rankings \(including Princeton Review's Green Colleges 2025\)](#)
- Oct 15 – [New bioinformatics research article focuses on global effort to stress the importance of viruses in soil](#)
- Oct 7 – [WSOC-TV: Charlotte's Zero Waste Stadium Initiative](#)
- Oct 7 – [Zero Waste Stadium Initiative Continues to Succeed](#)
- Oct 7 – [Faculty and Staff Promote a Culture of Sustainability through Ambassadors Program](#)
- Oct 7 – [SGA Leads Student Sustainability on Campus](#)
- Oct 4 – [2024 Higher Education Excellence in Diversity Award](#)
- Oct 3 – [UrbanCore Highlighted in New Academic White Paper](#)

September

- Sept. 19 – [Celebrate Campus Sustainability Month](#)
- Sept. 19 – [Make Positive Changes on Campus: Participate in the Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- Sept 13 – [Paving the Way for Sustainable Solutions](#)
- Sept 11 – [Association for Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education Recognizes UNC Charlotte](#)
- Sept 11 – [UNC Charlotte Recognized for Excellence in Student Voter Registration, Turnout During the 2022 Midterm Elections](#)
- Sept 11 – [Annual Fall Plan Sale Scheduled](#)
- Sept 9 – [UNC Charlotte Ranks No. 9 in U.S. for Promoting Free Expression](#)
- Sept 8 – [UNC Charlotte Recognized with Green Fleet Award](#)

August

- Aug 28 – [Owen Cooks Appointed Associate Vice Chancellor for Facilities Management](#)
- Aug 21 – [Architectural History Professor Receives Grant from Graham Foundation](#)
- Aug 15 – [CCI professors receive NIH grant to develop mobile health technology](#)
- Aug 12 – [Healing the planet one piece at a time: Charlotte Youth Climate Summit hosts sustainable art exhibition](#)
- Aug 12 – [Bernadette Donovan-Merkert Named Founding Dean of the College of Science](#)
- Aug 10 – [10,000th Rehabilitated Raptor Released on Campus](#)
- Aug 9 – [Meet Jessica Barthel](#)
- Aug – [Feeding the Future of West Boulevard](#)
- Aug – [Constructing the ABCs of Arts Advocacy](#)

July

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- July 22 – [\\$1.5M UNCG-led collaborative will focus on clean energy innovations using natural products](#) (featuring three UNC Charlotte faculty)
- July 18 – [As heat broils the city, Charlotte Heat Mappers seek out the hottest neighborhoods](#)
- July 16 – [Taking a Deeper Dive into CIPHER's New Podcast](#)
- July 11 – [UNC Charlotte Earns IPMI Reaccreditation as an Accredited Parking Organization \(APO\) with Distinction](#)
- July 10 – [Charlotte Has a New Waste-Hauling Contractor](#)
- July 9 – [Doctoral Students Recognized with Dissertation Award](#)

June

- June 24 – [Charlotte Receives Global Recognition for Sustainability Impact](#)
- June 20 – [Young Women in STEM Excel at Global Science Fair](#)
- June 19 – [Communications Studies Professor Named Associate Faculty Director for Levine Scholars Program](#)
- June 18 – [Engineering Graduate Programs Recognized by U.S. News & World Report](#)
- June 10 – [Denise Balfour Simpson Named Associate Vice Chancellor and Dean of Students](#)
- June 2 – [Charlotte's Marine Energy Collegiate Competition team attends their first competition May 20-23](#)
- June 2- [Charlotte Sculptor Marries Art and Science in Artwork that Brings Attention to Flood Risks](#)

May

- May 28 – [Get to Know: Trent Barnes](#)
- May 23 – [Architecture Professor's New Work Examines Enclosed, Air-Conditioned Spaces](#)
- May 21 – [NCInnovation Awards Pilot Grants to Two Charlotte Researchers](#)
- May 8 – [Charlotte Recognizes 20 Students for Numerous University Achievements](#)
- May – [Exploring Sticky Science](#)
- May 6 – [Meet Jennifer Munroe](#)
- May 6 – [Moving Across the Globe – Making Industry Impact](#)
- May 6 – [MBA Students Use Class Concepts to Find Recycling Solutions](#)
- May 2 – [New Queen Bee arrives at UNC Charlotte](#)

April

- April 26 – [UNC Charlotte hosts 2024 Women's Summit: A reflection of community and empowerment](#)
- April 26 – [Founding Dean of the College of Humanities & Earth and Social Sciences Named](#)

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- April 18 – [WellWithAll Invests \\$100,000 to Support Mental Health Resources at UNC Charlotte](#)
- April 16 – [Charlotte American Society of Civil Engineers \(ASCE\) wins big at annual Carolinas Student Symposium](#)
- April 16 – [UNC Charlotte Researchers to Lead Community Science Heat Mapping Campaign](#)
- April 9 – [U.S. News Ranks Charlotte Among Top Graduate Schools in 2024 List](#)
- April 5 – [Resilience Reimagined: A Fireside Chat with Demond Martin '97 and Jay Williams](#)
- April 4 – [UNC Charlotte celebrates Earth Month with events throughout April 2024](#)
- April 1 – [Meet Will Russo](#)

March

- Mar 28 – [Get to Know: Jenny Washam](#)
- Mar 26 – [Green Buildings at UNC Charlotte](#)
- Mar 25 – [Niners Recycle Right](#)
- Mar 25 – [Meet Josue Hurtado](#)
- Mar 25 – [Annual Spring Plan Sale Scheduled](#)
- Mar 22 – [Celebrate Earth Month with UNC Charlotte](#)
- Mar 21 – [NC Science Festival and Charlotte Kids Fest Coming to Campus April 14](#)
- Mar 14 – [Social 704 Awarded Certificate of Merit for Excellence in Project Implementation](#)
- Mar 13 – [Two UNC Charlotte Students Nominated for the Prestigious Goldwater Scholarship](#)
- Mar 7 – [Be Part of the Solution: Participate in the Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- Mar 5 – [Lime Scoots to UNC Charlotte](#)
- Mar 4 – [Two Charlotte Students Advance as Truman Finalists](#)
- Mar 1 – [In-State Tuition Remains Flat for 8th Consecutive Year for In-State Undergraduates](#)

February

- Feb 20 – [Feedback Needed for Loy H. Witherspoon Center for Meditation and Reflection](#)
- Feb 19 – [Former Charlotte Mayor Harvey B. Gantt Shares Lessons on Leadership and Accomplishing Great Things](#)
- Feb 16 – [Artist Nicole Shaver Intentionally Gathers Rocks, Artifacts, and Art in “Erratic Accretion”](#)
- Feb – [Data Driven: UNC Charlotte’s Urban Institute is empowering communities to push for inclusive change](#)
- Feb – [Electrifying Innovation: UNC Charlotte’s Research Center flies to the future of energy technology](#)

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- Feb – [Hope + Health: Levine Scholar Kayla Walker explains her mission to empower women through community-based health education](#)
- Feb 8 – [UNC Charlotte and the CLEANcarolinas Team Lead Community Conversations on Offshore Wind Energy](#)
- Feb 8 – [New recycling compost program launched in Fretwell to reduce paper waste](#)
- Feb 5 – [Annual Botanical Gardens Orchid Sale Scheduled](#)

January

- Jan 25 – [Young Alumni Advancing in their Fields and Communities](#)
- Jan 19 – [Five Talks Scheduled for Annual Great Decisions Lectures](#)
- Jan 12 – [A Mind and Spirit for Public Good](#)
- Jan 8 – ['An Evening with Harvey Gantt' Headlines Niner Nation King Week 2024](#)
- Jan 8 – [UNC Charlotte Announces Niner Nation King Week Events, Jan. 12-19](#)
- Jan 4 – [UNC Charlotte Joins NSF I-Corps Hub Mid-Atlantic Region](#)

2023

December

- Dec 18 – [2023 Research in Review](#)
- Dec 13 – [Princeton Review Selects UNC Charlotte for its 2024 'Guide to Green Colleges'](#)
- Dec 8 – [Getting Our Hands Dirty for Good: How UNC Charlotte Keeps Its Zero Waste Stadium Promise](#)
- Dec 4 – [Impacts – From Batteries to Career Choices](#)
- Dec 4 – [Gathering Real-World Data – and Experience](#)
- Dec 1 – [Amplifying the Voices of Women and Girls](#)

November

- Nov 30 – [UNC Charlotte and North Carolina Research Center: An Innovative Partnership](#)
- Nov 29 – [Women + Girl Research Alliance \(W+GRA\) Announces 2023-2024 Seed Grant Recipients](#)
- Nov 27 – [CLEANcarolinas Inaugural Workshop Features NSF Innovation Engines Program Director](#)
- Nov 27 – [American Society of Civil Engineers \(ASCE\) Students Win Nationals](#)
- Nov 27 – [Meet Samara Gibson, graduate assistant for the Jamil Niner Student Pantry](#)
- Nov – [UNC Charlotte Giving Tuesday 2023: Fight Food Insecurity for Niners this Holiday Season](#)
- Nov 16 – [Raj Chetty Visits UNC Charlotte to Talk Economic Mobility Years After Groundbreaking Study](#)
- Nov 14 – [Expert Hydrologist Joins UNC Charlotte to Steer Solutions for Built and Natural Environments](#)
- Nov 14 – [Mrs. B TV: Social Media's Science Phenomenon](#)

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- Nov 14 – [Charlotte Ranks Among the Nation's Top 100 Minority Degree Producers for 2023](#)
- Nov 13 – [Bringing the Outdoors In](#)
- Nov 8 – [Soft Landings](#)
- Nov 2 – [Charlotte has money to protect trees but neglects urban areas. City vows to do better](#)

October

- Oct 27 – [Be Part of the Solution: Participate in the Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- Oct 26 – [Permanent Leaders Named for Academic Affairs, Research Divisions](#)
- Oct 24 – [Ushering In a Smart Future Responsibly](#)
- Oct 24 – [Electric Vehicle Racing Safety Conference Draws International Attendees](#)
- Oct 23 – [Designing for Indoor Air Quality](#)
- Oct 18 – [Division of Research Launches Faculty Research Grant Program: 14 Centers Funded](#)
- Oct 12 – [More Than Just a Train Ride](#)
- Oct 11 – [Dancing in the Wild](#)
- Oct. 11 – [UNC Charlotte Receives National Diversity Award for Second Consecutive Year](#)
- Oct 6 – [Researchers Exploring a More Secure, Reliable Power Grid with UNC System Support](#)
- Oct 5 – [\\$5 million-plus from Mecklenburg County, Charlotte City Council and HUD Will Support a New, Cooperative Grocery Store for West Boulevard](#)
- Oct 4 – [Legislators See How Charlotte is Powering the Future](#)
- Oct 3 – [UNC Charlotte Leaders Named to Who's Who in Black Charlotte](#)

September

- Sept 19 – [Charlotte Faculty Members Recognized as Diversity Leaders](#)
- Sept 15 – [UNC Charlotte Earns High Ranking for Free Speech](#)
- Sept 14 – [UNC Charlotte Ranks Among Best Employers in North Carolina by Forbes](#)
- Sept 14 – [New Gambrell Faculty Fellows Address Critical Community Questions](#)
- Sept 13 – [Recycling team: Turning Styrofoam into gold](#)
- Sept 13 – [School of Architecture Announces 23-24 Lecture Series](#)
- Sept 13 – [What feeds the pollinators feeds us](#)

August

- Aug 24 – [The haunted history of reclaiming a floodplain](#)
- Aug 21 – [Meet CASSI](#)
- Aug 14 – [Diving deep for clues that lead to the origins of life on Earth — and possible solutions to climate change](#)
- Aug 3 – [Art professors develop joint exhibition with partner in Poland](#)
- Aug 2 – [Botanical Gardens on Stinker Bell bloom watch](#)

July

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- July 27 – [Surveys, Counts and Blitzes](#)
- July 11 – [New Additions Lead College into New Academic Year](#)
- July 3 – [US Department of Energy Discusses Clean Energy Technology with College of Engineering](#)
- July 3 – [Assistant professor selected as Harvard Radcliffe Institute Fellow](#)
- July – [Building Impact: Architecture projects teach students hands-on skills while solving real-world problems](#)
- July – [Accidental Entrepreneur: Novel Circuit Breaker Design Fills an Energy Industry Need](#)

June

- June – [Squaring Up: Redevelopment for a Walkable District](#)
- June 29 – [Introducing UNC Charlotte's B.S. in Environmental Engineering](#)
- June 27 – [Charlotte recognized in 2023 Times Higher Education International Impact Rankings](#)
- June 20 – [UNC Charlotte earns STARS Silver Rating for sustainability achievements](#)
- June 19 – [Inclusive Excellence Grants awarded to 13 projects for fall 2023](#)
- June 5 – [UNC Charlotte Introduces Legislators and Industry Partners to NC's First Battery Research Center](#)
- June 1 – [North Carolina BATT CAVE Research Center to accelerate innovations in batteries](#)

May

- May 31 – [Bat Cave's Live Wire](#)
- May 23 – ['No Mow May' Is Catchy But Is It a Good Thing?](#)
- May 11 – [UNC Charlotte Wins Inaugural NSF Engines Development Award to Fund 'Clean Carolinas'](#)
- May 9 – [Solving UNC Charlotte Bird Collisions One Building at a Time](#)
- May 9 – [Taiwanese EV Executives Tour UNC Charlotte](#)
- May 5 – [NSF Grant Enables Professors, Students to Research Climate-Resilient Architecture in Tanzania](#)
- May 3 – [Jason Bernstein is 2023 Staff Employee of the Year for Innovation](#)
- May 3 – [A Trip to the W.T. Alexander Plantation Cemetery for Enslaved Persons](#)
- May 2 – [Grad Students Grab Media Attention for Affordable Housing Design](#)

April

- April 27 – [49er SERVE Committee Hosts Panel on Food and Housing Insecurity in Charlotte](#)
- April 27 – [Professor's NSF Grant Allows Students to Join Research Project in Tanzania](#)
- April 26 – [Dear Niner Times: What is the Jamil Niner Student Pantry?](#)
- April 26 – [Meet Maggie Sobaszek](#)

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- April 26 – [CCI's Richard White Receives NASA Grant to Explore How Life Formed on Earth](#)
- April 25 – [Wear Care Repair Supports Sustainability in Fashion for Earth Month](#)
- April 25 – [Chancellor's Professor Roslyn Mickelson Elected to National Academy of Education](#)
- April 24 – [Meet Mark Mistretta](#)
- April 21 – [Kings of Compost](#)
- April 17 – [Toby Creek: Restoration and an Opportunity for Learning](#)
- April 14 – [Continuing to go Electric](#)
- April 11 – [Carlos Cruz Receives Bonnie E. Cone Professorship in Civic Engagement](#)
- April 5 – [The Quality of Life Explorer: 10 years and Counting](#)
- April 2 – [UNC Charlotte Celebrates Earth Month Throughout April](#)

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- March 23 – [Meet Honors Alumnus Sterling Bowen](#)
- March 22 – [University Recreation Center Awarded Certificate of Merit for Design](#)
- March 20 – [Botanical Gardens to Hold Annual Spring Plant Sale](#)
- March 16 – [University Joins Charlotte SHOUT! As Ideas Pillar Sponsor](#)
- March 16 – [Geographer Receives National Award for Mentoring Students. Colleagues](#)
- March 15 – [PBS Features Impact of Charlotte Innovation](#)
- March 7 – [The Places You'll Go: Energy Research Opportunities for Undergraduates Lead to Global Destinations](#)

February

- February 27 – [Engineering Leadership Academy Students Crowdfund for Community Projects](#)
- February 21 – [Meet a Niner: Akin Ogundiran](#)
- February 14 – [UNC Charlotte Wins Collegiate Hunger Challenge. Earns \\$10.00 for Food Insecurity](#)
- February 14 – [EPIC's PoleVault Wins Clean Cities Region of Excellence Award](#)
- February 13 – [Niner Developed EV Battery Charging Station Wins Clean Cities Award](#)
- February 10 – [University Launches Campus Master Plan Discovery Survey](#)
- February 9 – [Poland's Zuzanna Dyrda Serving as Visiting Faculty. Artist](#)
- February 9 – [Chuck Howard '71: Five Decades at the Helm of Autobel](#)
- February 7 – [UNC Charlotte Holds Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- February 6 – [Alumna Liz Ward Named Influential Leader by AACSB International](#)
- February 2 – [Eric Webb Receives Master's Thesis Award from Conference of Southern Graduate Schools](#)

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January

- January 27 – [We Must Reduce Stigma to Improve Accessibility to Menstrual Products](#)
 - January 25 – [The Climb from Charlotte to Patagonia](#)
 - January 19 – [Architecture Director's Book Explores Pandemics and the Built Environment](#)
 - January 19 – [Global Guardians: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Predicting the Spread of Disease](#)
 - January 18 – [Charlotte Students' Guide to Transit \(Guest Blog\)](#)
 - January 13 – [Architecture Research Fellow Wins Dissertation Award](#)
 - January 12 – [2023 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. celebration, "From Dream to Reality" Welcomes Distinguished Alumni](#)
 - January 11 – [Cracking the Viral Code: CIPHER Researchers Take a Collaborative Approach to Protect Public Health](#)
 - January 5 – [Real-World Recommendations from Belk College Students](#)
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2022

December

- December 8 - [Powwow: A Way of Healing](#)
- December 2 - [Does Development Mean Displacement? Four Takeaways from the 2022 SCHUL Forum](#)

November

- November 28 - [Alums' Project Named 'Best Tall Buildings'](#)
- November 28 - [Help Niner Nation Fight Food Insecurity For #GivingTuesday](#)
- November 28 - [Meet Sofia Mejia](#)
- November 28 - [Architecture Alumna Wins AIA Film Challenge Grand Prize](#)
- November 28 - [Get to Know: Maddy Lohmeier](#)
- November 21 - [Aquaponics Make a Vegetable Donation to UNC Charlotte](#)
- November 18 - [UNC Charlotte School of Architecture Named For Alumnus David R. Ravin](#)
- November 15 - [First Annual Powwow Held at UNC Charlotte on Oct. 29th](#)
- November 10 - [UNC Charlotte, City of Charlotte, Duke Energy Win Prestigious Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Cleantech Award](#)
- November 8 - [Princeton Review Selects UNC Charlotte for 2023 'Guide to Green Colleges'](#)

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- October 31 - [Introducing the Homelessness Prevention Integrated Data Report](#)
- October 27 - [A Vision for Piedmont Roadsides](#)
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- October 24 - [Young Alumni Makes Advances in their Fields, Communities](#)

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- October 23 - [Native American Student Association First Annual Powwow to be held Oct. 29th](#)
- October 17 - [Dining Services Adopts "HOWGOOD" Labeling at Dining Halls](#)
- October 10 - [Tracking Nature in an Unlikely Place: Piedmont Roadsides](#)
- October 3 - [Change Please Selects UNC Charlotte for it's First U.S. Location](#)
- October 2 - [Sustainability Week to be held Oct. 3-7 on campus](#)

September

- September 27 - [University to Observe Campus Sustainability Week](#)
- September 26 - [Annual Fall Plant Sale Scheduled](#)
- September 26 - [Having the Hard Conversations: Gentrification and Displacement in Charlotte](#)
- September 26 - [Charlotte's Tree Canopy is Under Threat - And We All Have a Role to Play in Saving It](#)
- September 24 - [Opinion: Getting Rid of the Garbage in our Hands](#)
- September 21 - [49 Thing to do this Fall](#)
- September 21 - [Campus Arborist Brad Caudle Oversees Tree Care](#)
- September 16 - [Sharing the loss of Larry Mellichamp](#)
- September 16 - [UNC Charlotte Receives 2022 HEED Award for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Efforts](#)
- September 16 - [Knowledge is Power: Closing the Nation's Racial Wealth Through Employee Ownership](#)
- September 14 - [How to Ride \(Light Rail\) Guide: Student Edition](#)
- September 13 - [Investigating Tiny Microorganisms for Large Scale Implications](#)
- September 12 - [Charlotte's Changing Climate, with Brad Panovich](#)
- September 7 - [Architecture Professor Receives \\$1 Million Grant towards Commercializing Energy-Saving Windows](#)
- September 5 - [PHS PHD Student, Isaac Olufadewa, Attends One Young World Summit](#)

August

- August 31 - [Could Employee Ownership Help Close the Racial Wealth Gap? Yes - If More People Knew About It](#)
- August 31 - [School of Professional Studies Launching Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Certificate](#)
- August 30 - [E-Scooters are Now Under LEAP Mobility Program](#)
- August 24 - [New Gambrell Faculty Fellows Will Study Various Aspects of Equity](#)
- August 22 - [Explore New Data About Charlotte Via Interactive Maps](#)
- August 18 - [Alumna Margaret Kocherga Catches a Unicorn With New Technology for Organic Electronics](#)
- August 17 - [Mack Receives National Grant to Support Nutritional Literacy Project](#)
- August 17 - [Charlotte Climate Change Expert Discusses Effects of Extreme Weather](#)
- August 12 - [PHS Faculty Teach the Science Behind Happiness](#)
- August 11 - [Charlotte Researchers Part of NSF-Supported Center Investigating 'Healthier' Buildings](#)

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- August 3 - [University Researchers Partner with Gaston County Health Officials on Groundwater Quality Project](#)

July

- July 19 - [2022-23 Inclusive Excellence Grant to Advance Diversity, Promote Equity and Foster Inclusion](#)
- July 11 - [Introducing the Charlotte Regional Data Trust](#)

June

- June 29 - [Building Some "There" There: Transforming University City](#)
- June 23 - [Charlotte Green Initiative Funds 24 Projects](#)
- June 22 - [Charlotte's New Mobility Plan: Ambitious Goals, Tons of Data](#)
- June 14 - [Take a Ride on the Light Rail](#)
- June 14 - [Why Uptown and University City Want to Grow More Like Each Other](#)
- June 13 - [Biking in Charlotte Shouldn't Be Scary. Here's How I Do It.](#)
- June 13 - [Bark-Devouring Beetles are Killing Charlotte's Greenway Ash Trees](#)
- June 6 - [Globe is a Reminder that the World is Filled with Possibility](#)
- June 6 - [Helping Solve the Digital Divide One Computer at a Time](#)

May

- May 23 - [New Technology Creates Energy from Waves to Desalinate Ocean Water](#)
- May 20 - [Buildings are among the top killers of birds](#)
- May 18 - [Change Please Cafe Tackles Homelessness](#)
- May 12 - [Dean's New Book Advocates for a Water-Centric Approach to Architecture and Urban Design](#)
- May 9 - [New Insight into Coral-Algae Symbiosis Aims to Help Reefs Recover From Mass Bleaching](#)
- May 4 - [UNC Charlotte Students Work to Combat Period Poverty on Campus](#)
- May 3 - [Thrifting Continues to Gain Popularity for College Students](#)
- May 2 - [Bird Nest Walk Created by Dr. Ellen Wisner](#)

April

- April 26 - [UNC Charlotte Recognized for Supporting First Generation Students](#)
- April 24 - [Health Monitoring System for Elderly Wins NSF Grant](#)
- April 22 - [Rolling Stones and Gathering Moss](#)
- April 22 - [Recapping UNC Charlotte Earth Month Observance](#)
- April 19 - [Levine Scholars Program Staff Member Honored for Promoting Inclusion and Access](#)
- April 14 - [Students Raise Awareness About Bird Collisions](#)
- April 13 - [Students Build Play Structure for Neighborhood Park](#)
- April 13 - [Charlotte Joins Excelencia in Education's Presidents for Latino Student Success](#)
- April 7 - [Earth Month Events on Campus and in Charlotte](#)
- April 7 - [Charlotte City Walks Return for 2022](#)
- April 5 - [Auntie Anne's Opened April 1st Featuring Change Please Coffee](#)

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- April 4 - [The Top 15](#)
- April 1 - [Provost Recognizes Basinger, McCarther and UCAE for Excellence](#)

March

- March 31 - [Refugees Fleeing War-Torn Ukraine and Creating Global Migration Crisis](#)
- March 30 - [Is Charlotte Ready for Car-Free Apartments?](#)
- March 16 - [Events Schedule for University's Earth Month Celebration](#)
- March 14 - [UNC Charlotte Increasing Enrollment to 'Engineer a Smart and Secure Future for North Carolina'](#)
- March 11 - [New Location for Annual Spring Plant Sale](#)
- March 9 - [Here's How Pam Murry Lives Car-Free in Charlotte](#)
- March 7 - [Psychological Science Professor Receives National Award for Engaged Scholarship](#)

February

- Feb. 28 - [UNC Charlotte Graduate Helps Feed Thousands Across the City](#)
- Feb. 25 - [UNC Charlotte Students and Faculty Help Develop Universal EV Charging Solution](#)
- Feb. 24 - [Birding Club Works to End Bird Collisions on Campus](#)
- Feb. 18 - [Niner Transit Tracking Moves to Passio Go! App](#)
- Feb. 16 - [Zip Code or Genetic Code? The Role of Place and Access in a Person's Health](#)
- Feb. 15 - [UNC Charlotte Professor Named National Fellow for Outstanding Work in Geography](#)
- Feb. 15 - [Student Sustainability Summit](#)
- Feb. 11 - [Golf Cart Market Picks Up Speed as Transportation Alternative in Charlotte Region](#)
- Feb. 9 - [GOTCHA Powered by Bolt Price and Fee Changes](#)
- Feb. 9 - [New UNC Charlotte Research Center to Drive Pandemic Preparedness and Prevention](#)
- Feb. 8 - [Here's How to Find Charlotte's Biggest, Oldest Trees](#)
- Feb. 6 - [Architecture Professor Wins National Teaching Award](#)
- Feb. 1 - [Innovator Competition](#)

January

- Jan. 24 - [FM Seeks to Invest in More Sustainable Fleet](#)
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2021

December

- [Dec. 7 - Niners Raise Over \\$90,000 to Fight Food Insecurity](#)

November

- Nov. 28 - [UNC Charlotte Welcomes New Chief Diversity Officer Brandon Wolfe](#)
- Nov. 23 - [Students Tackle Food Insecurity with Digital Cookbook](#)
- Nov. 22 - [Fight Food Insecurity on GivingTuesday](#)
- Nov. 22 - [Helping Fellow Niners Through Extreme Couponing](#)
- Nov. 19 - [Meet Loryn Hartbarger](#)
- Nov. 16 - [UNC Charlotte Student Nataly Hernandez Montes Honored for Community Service](#)
- Nov. 10 - [UNC Charlotte Research, Outreach Efforts on Ground Water Safety in Gaston County to Expand](#)
- Nov. 5 - [UNC Charlotte Researcher on Team That Receives \\$2M From NSF to Design Adaptable Urban Spaces](#)
- Nov. 3 - [Native American Student Association's Talking Circle Series: A Safe Space for Indigenous Students' Points of View](#)

October

- Oct. 28 - [Details About New Moore Hall Announced](#)
- Oct. 14 - [Driving innovation in energy, medicine, defense, communications. Center for Metamaterials receives third round of NSF funding](#)
- Oct. 13 - [Inaugural Capacity-Building Cohort To Support Students' Basic Needs](#)
- Oct. 12 - [Unveiling UNC Charlotte's Land Acknowledgement Plaque](#)
- Oct. 6 - [Communications Studies Professor Earns PRSA Lifetime Achievement Award](#)
- Oct. 5 - [Campus Sustainability Week 2021](#)

September

- Sep. 23 - [University to Observe Sustainability Week](#)
- Sep. 22 - [Zip Code or Genetic Code? The Role of Place and Access in a Person's Health](#)
- Sep. 16 - [Botanical Gardens to Hold Annual Fall Plant Sale](#)

August

- Aug. 19 - [UNC Charlotte to Launch Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Training Opportunities this Semester](#)
- Aug. 19 - [Apps that Every Niner Needs](#)
- Aug. 11 - [Integrated Design Research Lab's Window Project Wins R+D Award](#)

July

- July 29 - [5 Reasons to Visit the Daniel Stowe Botanical Gardens](#)

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- July 29 - [Bikes, Trains and Automobiles: How UNC Charlotte Research Keeps Traffic - and People - Moving](#)
- July 26 - [NSF Grant Will Further Development of Solar Windows](#)
- July 20 - [UNC Charlotte Re-Signs Carbon Commitment](#)

June

- June - [CEE Faculty Receives Fulbright](#)
- June 12 - [Honey Bees are Coming to Campus. Bee Prepared](#)
- June 9 - [Sally Gambrell Bridgeford Receives UNC Charlotte Distinguished Service Award](#)
- June 9 - [Inaugural Social Justice Scholarship Recipients Use Architecture, Dance to Advocate for Diversity and Inclusivity](#)
- June - [Investigating Multimodal Transportation](#)

May

- May 28 - [Charlotte Green Initiative Funds Sustainability Projects](#)
- May 18 - [Mindy Sides-Walsh is Devoted to UNC Charlotte Students](#)
- May 17 - [Gallery named in Ken Lambla's honor](#)
- May 11 - [Education professor awarded national free speech fellowship](#)
- May 10 - [Theatre professor to receive Kennedy Center Medallion](#)
- May 7 - [Africana Studies scholar earns internationally competitive fellowship](#)

April

- April 29 - [Enhancing the Reliability and Resilience of the Power Grid](#)
- April 29 - [Chemist Conducts Innovative Energy Research, Earning Coveted NSF CAREER Award](#)
- April 29 - [Botanical Gardens Staff, UNC Charlotte Volunteers Install New Native Plants Meadow In Community](#)
- April 23 - [Facilities Management Develops Student Garden at Niner University Elementary](#)
- April 21 - [49 Seconds: Understanding Honey Bee Behavior](#)
- April 20 - [5 Ways to Celebrate Earth Day 2021](#)
- April 15 - [Protective Eye Gallery Exhibition Reflects on Signs of the Times](#)
- April 13 - [Time to Get on Board: Why Cities Should Invest in Public Transportation](#)
- April 12 - [Innovation Focus of Charlotte Venture Challenge Virtual Summit](#)
- April 8 - [Go Outside on a Greenway](#)
- April 7 - [Urban Institute Director Named Deputy Secretary for Natural Resources](#)

March

- Mar. 24 - [Earth Week Volunteer Opportunities](#)
- Mar. 22 - [Building a Nucleus: Early-career researchers help drive UNC Charlotte's reputation](#)
- Mar. 19 - [Mobilizing for Climate Change: Evaluating the Strategic Energy Action Plan, Two Years In](#)

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- Mar. 9 - [UNC Charlotte students speak up on issues with dining hall options and call for meal plan cost reductions](#)

February

- Feb. 24 - [Ken Lambla Named to AIA College of Fellows](#)
- Feb. 22 - [Niner Diners Mobile Ordering App Increases Donations for Semester Food Drives](#)
- Feb. 18 - [UNC Charlotte Named Bicycle Friendly University](#)
- Feb. - [Brook Muller: Advocate for Daily Arts and Culture](#)
- Feb. 9 - [City Building Lab Director Receives NEA Grant](#)
- Feb. - [Data Science Answers the Call](#)
- Feb. 8 - [Scholarship, Research, Activism: A Brief History of UNC Charlotte's Africana Studies](#)
- Feb. 3 - [Men with Failing Grades in High School Have the same Leadership Opportunities as Women with Straight A's](#)
- Feb. 1 - [Why We Need Africana Studies](#)
- Feb. 1 - [2021 Seed Funding Opportunity from Women + Girls Research Alliance](#)

January

- Jan. 29 - [Architecture Professor's Course Wins National Prize](#)
- Jan. 25 - [Five Talks Scheduled for Annual Great Decisions](#)
- Jan. 22 - [Course by Architecture Professor Wins National Prize](#)
- Jan. 19 - [Harris Teeter Supports UNC Charlotte's Jamil Niner Student Pantry](#)
- Jan. 14 - [EPIC is One of 10 Selected Nationwide for U.S. Department of Energy Award](#)

2020

- Dec. 2 - [Inaugural Sustainability Summit](#)
Nov. 2 - [University Receives National Grounds Society Honor](#)
Nov. 2 - [UNC Charlotte Listed on Princeton Review's 'Guide to Green Colleges'](#)
Oct. 30 - [Campus Water Systems Projects](#)
Oct. 28 - [Largest Grant in UNC Charlotte History Expands National Center for Youth with Disabilities](#)
Oct. 14 - [Architecture Professor, Student Design Habitat House Prototype](#)
Oct. 12 - [UNC Charlotte Formally Recognizes Indigenous Peoples' Day](#)
Oct. 9 - [Mentoring Program Makes Shortlist for Nature Research Award, Receives \\$3M in New Funding](#)
Oct. - [Students Address Economic Mobility](#)
Oct. - [Understanding Wildfire Spread](#)
Oct. 8 - [Africana Studies Researcher's Book Continues to Win Acclaim](#)
Sep. 16 - [The 49er Democracy Experience Top 5 Tips for the 2020 Elections](#)
Sep. 16 - [Engineering Professor Named Asem Fellow, Elected Secretary](#)

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Sep. 14 - [Architecture Grad Students Place in National Competition](#)
Sep. 9 - [New Scholarship Created to Support Students Engaged in Social Action](#)
Sep. 8 - [UNC Charlotte Appoints Diversity and Inclusion Leader](#)
Sep. 7 - [Order Online for Fall Plant Sale](#)
Aug. 31 - [Second Gambrell Faculty Fellows Cohort Explores Economic Mobility](#)
Aug. 31 - [A Groundswell for Charlotte: New Gambrell Faculty Fellows Address Economic Mobility](#)
Aug. 19 - [Professor's Outdoor Sculptures Displayed at CPCC](#)
Aug. 18 - [UNC Charlotte Works in UCity Family Zone Boosted by \\$220,000 Grant](#)
Aug. 13 - [City Birds: Study Shows Impact of Urbanization](#)
Aug. 12 - [Veteran Student Wins National Scholarship](#)
July 26 - [Local Exhibition Includes Work by Two Art Students](#)
July 23 - [Coronavirus Uncertainty Impacts Local Farms Economies](#)
July 16 - [Governor Appoints Social Work Professor to Statewide Task Force](#)
July 14 - [Art Professor's Recent Work Featured in Virtual Exhibit](#)
July 13 - [Charlotte's Losing it's Green Canopy, Despite Efforts to Save Trees](#)
July 13 - [MPA Candidate Joins Davidson As The Town's First Arborist](#)
July 12 - [Biology Doctoral Student Grows Impact Through Research](#)
July 8 - [Integrated Design Research Lab Projects Awarded I-Corps Grants](#)
July 7 - [Solving a Formally Unsolvable Drinking Water Challenge](#)
June 30 - [A Breath of Fresh Air for Your Mental Health](#)
June 26 - [City Birds: Study Shows Impact of Urbanization on Our Feathered Friends](#)
June 24 - [Public Health Professor Receives Prestigious National Fellowship](#)
June 23 - [Photography Student is a Fujifilm Contest Winner](#)
June 23 - [Video Illustrates How Researchers' Microalgae Window Will Work](#)
June 17 - [Is Charlotte Car Culture Finally Changing?](#)
June 16 - [The Pandemic is an Opportunity for Investing in our Community](#)
June 15 - [Myths About Closing the Racial Wealth Gap](#)
June 15 - [Immersive Visualization Project Wins Knight Foundation Grant](#)
June 10 - [English Professor to Conduct Research During National Humanities Center Residency](#)
June 10 - [Hammelman to Study Foodscapes with Prestigious NSF Career Award](#)
June 8 - [March to End Injustice Unites Students and Community](#)
June 8 - ['Rotney the Magnificent' Bloomed for a Second Time](#)
June 3 - [Chancellor Phillip L. and Lisa Lewis Dubois Talk Light Rail](#)
June 3 - [Geology-Mechanical Engineering Pairing in Novel, Award-Winning Findings](#)
June 3 - ['Rotney the Magnificent' Preparing to Bloom for a Second Time](#)
June 1 - [Introducing EPIC's Podcast](#)
May 30 - [Chancellors Statement on George Floyd](#)
May 29 - [Microalgae Project Awarded NSF Grant](#)
May 25 - [Architecture Teams Place Among Top 10 in International Competition](#)
May 18 - [Researchers Recognized with Best Journal Article Award](#)
May 13 - [Report: Racial Wealth Gap Exacerbated by Pandemic](#)
May 7 - [Professor Appointed to Statewide Taskforce on Educational Equity](#)
May 6 - [New Leaders Named for Engineering, Business and Office of Urban Research and Community Engagement](#)

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- May 6 - [Architecture Students Accepted into International Research Program](#)
April 28 - [Faculty Reflect on National Poetry Month](#)
April 22 - [Celebrate Earth Day Remotely](#)
April 22 - [Researcher: Clues Emerge About Environmental Impacts of Covid-19 Slowdowns](#)
April 16 - [Urban Institute: Covid Exposes Regional Inequities](#)
April 2 - [UNC Charlotte Creates Two Funds to Assist Students](#)
Mar. 25 - [Nature as Solace](#)
Mar. 11 - [Minnesota's Brownell to Lead School of Architecture](#)
Mar. 9 - [Ventureprise to Host Social Impact Workshop, Competition](#)
Feb. 24 - [Engineering Researchers Awarded Federal Grant to Advance Solar Energy Management](#)
Feb. 24 - [Growing UNC Charlotte's Research Enterprise](#)
Feb. 24 - [Education Professor Elected President of National Organization](#)
Feb. 21 - [PaTS Offers Carpool Matching on ShareTheRideNC](#)
Feb. 11 - [Invisible Pollution: Spotlight on Clean Air Coming to Charlotte](#)
Feb. 4 - [Film by Art Professor Screened in Norway](#)
Jan. 28 - [Three Charlotte Universities Unite to Support Racial Healing and Transformation](#)
Jan. 22 - [New Research Could Help Address Threats to Reefs](#)
Jan. 21 - [The Biggest Environmental Issues Facing Charlotte Share a Common Root](#)
Jan. 15 - [Should Charlotte Make its Transit System Free?](#)
Jan. 13 - [Climate Change is the Topic for the First 2020 Great Decisions Lecture](#)
Jan. 9 - [2019: The Warmest Year in N.C. History](#)
Jan. 7 - [Botanical Gardens Classes/Workshops Scheduled](#)
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