College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
New Student Convocation
Monday, August 20, 2018

9:00 a.m.   Dean Gutierrez - Welcome ................. James H. Barnhardt Student Activity Center (SAC)
11:00 a.m. New Student Convocation Ceremony .......... SAC – Dale F. Halton Arena

Faculty Procession
Welcome to Incoming Class . . Provost Joan Lorden
Recognition of Faculty . . . . Provost Joan Lorden
University Vision and Mission . Chancellor Philip Dubois
“Explore” . . . . Teross Young, Board of Trustee and Alumnus
“Discover” . . . . Professor Scott Fitzgerald, Department of Sociology
“Succeed” . . . . Niayai Lavien, Student Government Association Student Body President
Alma Mater . . . . UNC Charlotte Chorale Group
Alma Mater and Fight Song . . “Pride of Niner Nation” Marching Band
Faculty Procession Out

12:00 p.m. Lunch ........................................ Colvard Breezeway

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. College of Liberal Arts & Sciences Department Sessions
Africana Studies .................................................... Barnard 031
Anthropology .......................................................... Burson 244
Biological Sciences .................................................. Woodward 106
Chemistry ............................................................... Burson 110
Communication Studies .......................................... Colvard North 5090
Criminal Justice and Criminology ........................ Fretwell 121
English ................................................................. Fretwell 248C
Geography and Earth Sciences ................................. McEniry 125
Global, International, and Area Studies .................. Atkins 125
History ................................................................. Fretwell 113
Languages and Culture Studies ............................. College of Education 402
Mathematics and Statistics ..................................... Fretwell 128
Philosophy ............................................................. Cedar 21B
Physics ................................................................. Grigg 132
Political Science ...................................................... Fretwell 440
Psychology ............................................................ Fretwell 100
Religious Studies .................................................... Macy 110
Sociology ............................................................... Fretwell 480C

1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. CLAS Students: View Our Stories ........................................ Rowe 130
1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Career Center Meet, Greet, and Learn (Transfer Students) .......... Fretwell 100

General Interest Sessions

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Library Open House ......................... Atkins Library 1st Floor
Set yourself up for success by exploring the spaces, programs, and resources available in the library.

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Introduction to Atkins Technology Spaces . . Atkins Library 2nd Floor Technology Support Desk
Learn about our new spaces and services for creativity, media production, and gaming.

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Introduction to Special Collections and University Archives .... Atkins Library 10th Floor
See some of the rare items in the collection plus experience the great view of the campus!

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Resource Table/Drop-in Service ............ Walkway between Atkins and King Buildings
Resource tables for the following academic services and experiential learning opportunities:
Atkins Library
Multicultural Academic Services (MAS)
Office of Adult Students and Evening Services (OASES)
Office of International Programs (OIP)
University Career Center (UCC)
University Center for Academic Excellence (UCAE)
Drop-in services offered in Atkins and Colvard

3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Find Your OASES ........................ Barnard 106
Office of Adult Students and Evening Services (OASES)

5:00 p.m.   Evening Classes Begin