College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
New Student Convocation
Monday, August 19, 2019

9:00 a.m.       Dean Nancy Gutierrez - Welcome       James H. Barnhardt Student Activity Center (SAC)
11:00 a.m.      New Student Convocation Ceremony               SAC – Dale F. Halton Arena
                                     
            Faculty Procession       Provost Joan Lorden
            Welcome to Incoming Class                       Provost Joan Lorden
            Recognition of Faculty                           Chancellor Philip Dubois
            University Vision and Mission                    “Explore” Teross Young, Board of Trustee and Alumnus
            “Discover” Professor Beth Whitaker, Department of Political Science & Public Administration
            “Succeed” Chandler Crean, 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                                     Garinger 123
       Anthropology                                         Barnard 244
       Biological Sciences                                 Woodward 106
       Chemistry                                            Burson 110
       Communication Studies                                Colvard North 5090
       Criminal Justice and Criminology                    Fretwell 121
       English                                              Atkins 125
       Geography and Earth Sciences                        Atkins 125
       History                                              Fretwell 113
       Languages and Culture Studies                       Atkins 125
       Mathematics and Statistics                          Atkins 125
       Philosophy                                           McEniry 125
       Physics and Optical Science                         Fretwell 128
       Political Science & Public Administration            Fretwell 128
       Psychological Science                               Fretwell 100
       Religious Studies                                    Macy 110
       Sociology                                            Fretwell 480C

1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.    CLAS Students: View Our Stories        SAC - Dale F. Halton Arena
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 Area 49               Atkins Library 2nd Floor
           Learn about our technology-rich spaces for creativity, media production, gaming, and innovation.

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!

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 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
           Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusion (OADI)
           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

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.    Find Your OASES                       Barnard 106
           Office of Adult Students and Evening Services (OASES)

5:00 p.m.        Evening Classes Begin