40th MPA ALUMNI REUNION – OCTOBER 28th

All MPA students are invited to attend the 40th MPA Alumni Reunion on Friday, October 28 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. The reunion will be held in the Virginia Dare Room of the Alumni House. The theme will be “The MPA Program Across the Decades.” The Alumni Association is paying for MPA students to attend the dinner, but you will need to make your reservation by October 14th by emailing Cheryl (cmhylton@uncg.edu).

The event is sponsored by the UNCG Alumni Association and the Department of Political Science. Don’t forget to mark the date on your calendar and make your reservation by October 14th!

2016 FALL LECTURE

The Center for Legislative Studies 2016 Fall Lecture is titled: "Forecasting the 2016 Presidential & Congressional Elections." Dr. Alan I. Abramowitz, the Alben W. Barkley Professor of Political Science, Emory University, will speak. The event will be held on Wednesday, September 21st at 7:30 p.m. in the Weatherspoon Auditorium. Free parking is available behind the building, which is at the corner of Tate and Spring Garden Streets.

This lecture series is sponsored by The UNCG Department of Political Science and The Center for Legislative Studies

2016 INTERNSHIP MEETING

Our annual internship meeting will be held on Monday, September 26th in Room 332 Curry from 5:30-6:45 p.m. To help those who will be doing internships this coming summer, the 2016 interns will be there to share their experiences with you: Robin Baker (City of Durham), Michelle Bobadilla (City of Winston Salem), Ritchie Ciceron (NCCJ), Alison Eister ( Guilford Child Development), Joe Furstenberg (PT Regional Council), Jacob Neal (City of Greensboro), Madison Sampson (Governor’s Office), Hugh Sande (Burlington Downtown Corp.) and Matt Sutter (Davidson County).

COMPREHENSIVE EXAM DATES

Part I of the Comprehensive Exam will be given on Saturday, November 12th from 9:00-12:00 in the Computer Lab, Room 304 Curry Building. Terms will be mailed out to affected students.

The first draft of Part II of the Comprehensive Paper will be due on Wednesday, November 2nd. On Monday, November 14th, the final draft will be due. Oral presentations will be given on Reading Day, Tuesday, December 6th.

ALUMNI CAREERS PIZZA NIGHT

Good food and conversation are guaranteed on MPA Student Alliance Alumni Careers Pizza Night on Monday, November 14th beginning at 5:30 pm in Curry Room 332. Pizza will be served and alumni speakers will talk about their career choices and challenges facing them after graduate school.

SPRING ADVISING AND REGISTRATION

Spring Advising and Registration will be held Wednesday, October 19th through Tuesday, November 22nd. The advising and registration process remains the same. Cheryl Hylton will send out an email to set up your advising appointment with Dr. DeHoog from October 26 – November 4. At that time, you will get your advising code that will allow you to register.

For NPM and UED Certificate students, Dr. Klase will be advising students from October 20 through October 25. For more detail, watch for Cheryl’s email.

Greetings from the 2016-2017 MPA STUDENT ALLIANCE

President – Madison Sampson
Vice President – Joe Furstenberg
Secretary – Ritchie Ciceron
Treasurer – Robin Baker
Faculty Advisor – Dr. Ruth DeHoog

The MPA Student Alliance provides opportunities for students to build professional networks, learn about current career options and interact with other MPA students outside the classroom. Events sponsored throughout the fall and spring semesters include guest speakers, workshops, and social activities. Membership dues are $20. New and returning students are encouraged to join! Please watch your e-mail, as the Alliance conducts the majority of its business via email.

The Alliance is also here to help you with studying for the Comps I exam (Saturday, November 12th) and the PSC 600 midterm exam (Monday, October 31st). Study session information for these exams will be forthcoming via e-mails on the MPA listserv as the semester progresses.

Elections for new MPA officers will be held in the spring; the current MPA officers will continue to work with the newly elected officers to ensure a smooth transition.

The Alliance encourages all MPA students to participate in our activities and attend our meetings. If you have any ideas for activities, please e-mail them to any of our officers.

The Alliance cabinet can be reached collectively at mpa.alliance.uncg@gmail.com.
WELCOME NEW FACULTY!

We would like to welcome our new faculty:

Dr. Antonia Monk Richburg – PSC 540 Nonprofit Management and Leadership

Dr. Channelle James – PSC 511R Diversity & Culture and PSC 511S Social Entrepreneurship

Kim Cuny – PSC 511A Oral Communication Skills

WELCOME NEW STUDENTS!

We welcome the following new MPA students who recently began the program:

Tiffany Albright  Timothy Leisman
Nathaniel Arrington  Crystal Meade
Amber Blevins  Sobia Saqib
Darian Cobb  Zachary Smith
Jason Greer  Savanna Tandski
Rachel Holder  Christopher Watkins
Shymari Huntley  Justin Williams-Blackwell
Zachary Janda  Britanny Wissick
Keely Jordan

Welcome to all new Nonprofit Management Certificate students:

Brittney Albert  Layne Marshall
Choni Ashley  Lorie McCroskey
Holly Beck  Pamela Miller
Kristen Bethune  Kimberly Mozingo
Birendra Chhetri  Sean Mulligan
Sarah Crotts  Angela Quashigah
Elena Dalton  Amy Reader
Kelshonda Davis  Kelly Stellato
Tiffany Garris  Beverly Swaim
India Graden  Chelsea Tatum
Ana Maria Herrera  Scott Thornhill
Yolanda Hill  Margaret Underwood
Evelyn Jones  Brianna Vascos
Alexandra Kirtley  Samantha Woodroof
April Lee

Welcome to these new Urban and Economic Development Certificate students:

Celsa Bermudez  Tracy Miles
Eliza DuPre

ADDRESS CHANGES

If you have moved recently, changed your e-mail address, or even changed your name, please let Cheryl Hylton know. Her phone number is 334-5093 and e-mail is cmhylton@uncg.edu.

STUDENT ASPA MEMBERSHIPS

American Society for Public Administration (ASPA) memberships are available for $40 for the electronic subscriptions and $75 for a full membership. This includes a one-year subscription to Public Administration Review and PA Times, as well as a membership in your local ASPA chapter. Contact Dr. DeHoog for an application, or go online www.aspanet.org.

>> 2016 FALL CALENDAR <<

Monday, September 26
Internship Meeting, 5:30 – 6:45 p.m., Curry 332

Friday, October 14
Instruction Ends for Fall Break

Wednesday, October 19
Classes Resume

Wednesday, October 19 – Tuesday, November 22
Advising for Spring 2017 Semester

Monday, October 31 - Tuesday, November 22
Registration for Spring 2017 for Current Students

Friday, October 28
40th MPA Alumni Reunion, Alumni House, 6 - 9:00pm

Saturday, November 12
Comps I Exam – 9 a.m. – 12:00 noon, 304 Curry

Monday, November 14
Alumni Careers Pizza Night, 332 Curry, 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 22
Instruction Ends for Thanksgiving Holiday at 10:00 pm

Monday, November 28
Classes Resume after Thanksgiving Holiday

Monday, December 5
Last Day of Classes

Tuesday, December 6
Comps II Oral Defenses – Reading Day

Wed – Sat; Mon – Wed, December 7-10, 12-14
Final Exams

Thursday, December 15
December Commencement, Greensboro Coliseum
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