



Looking Forward, Looking Back

November is right around the corner! FDOC and Move-in seem like they were only yesterday, but we are rapidly approaching the end of the Fall term. As we've mentioned previously, Spring registration is happening now!

Here are a few tips that we hope you'll find helpful during this time:

- **Prerequisite planning - "a marathon, not a sprint"**

[Business prerequisite](#) progression is a consideration of admission to the Undergraduate Business Program, but *performance* in the prerequisites should be a top priority as well. Don't make the mistake of piling too much on your spring plate. We will want to see steady progress through prerequisites at time of application. Check out the [Academics & Eligibility BUSI Talk](#) if you want to learn more.

- **Phone a friend**

We encourage you to continue to schedule time to address spring registration plans with your academic advisor. Don't forget to make use of club or classmate connections as well. It's not too late in the term to get connected with KF clubs! Ask questions like...

- Can you describe the instructor's teaching style?
- How is work assessed?
- How would you describe the classroom setting?
- What has been your favorite non-business class and why?

- **Brush up on the logistics**

Explore the [Office of the University Registrar \(OUR\) website](#) for additional registration tips and tutorials.

Mark Your Calendar

Check out some of the many ways to engage with Kenan-Flagler and the larger UNC community as a Pre-Business student!



13th Annual UNC Business of Healthcare Conference

Friday, November 3rd | 9am - 4pm
| Kenan-Flagler Business School

We're pleased to invite you to the **2023 UNC Business of Healthcare Conference - *What's Driving Healthcare Prices?*** This year's event will be hosted on **Friday, November 3**, at the Kenan-Flagler Business School and will bring together hundreds of students, alumni, policy makers, and industry leaders to address some of the most pressing topics in healthcare.

Join us as we explore how healthcare goods, labor, and services are priced, and why the cost of care continues to rise. We will learn from leaders and organizations that are taking steps to address this core challenge.

Sessions include:

- The Rising Price of Drugs in the US
- The Influence of Consolidation on Healthcare Prices and Costs
- The AI Boom and Reducing Healthcare Prices: Hype or Reality?
- Price Transparency, is it Helping?
- Cost of Labor in the Healthcare Sector and the Impact on Prices

The full conference will be hosted in-person with networking and meals included. Virtual streaming will be available for select sessions and panels.

[Learn more and register here!](#)



Undergraduate Business Symposium Core Committee 2024 Application

Application Deadline: Sunday, November 5 at 9:00pm

Are you interested in enhancing core business skills such as management, corporate communications, marketing, operations, sales, client relations, and strategy? Would you like to have a role in putting together the [Undergraduate Business Symposium](#) – the largest student-run networking event in the nation – while also giving back to UNC and your peers?

If you answered yes to one or more of these questions, you should apply to join the 2024 Symposium Core Committee (SCC). We are looking for passionate, driven students with an interest in business who are excited to collaborate with a team to put together a successful Symposium event.

2024 Symposium Core Committee Info Session

Wed, November 1 | 5:00-5:30pm, [Zoom Meeting Link](#)

Hear from the 2023 SCC, get your questions answered, and learn more about the opportunity!

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Additional Questions? Contact the [Symposium Core Committee](#)



Carolina Startup Connect offers students and startups an event that gives students learning and career development opportunities with high-growth startup companies, social ventures and innovative opportunities in the Research Triangle region. Think career fair...but not! No suits or resumes here. Students should come prepared to mingle with a diverse group of businesses and founders in a casual environment. Local companies and

Carolina Startup Connect: Meet and Greet + Celebration of Diverse Founders

Wednesday, November 8th | 4pm - 6:30pm | The Junction - 136 East Rosemary Street Chapel Hill, NC 27514

nonprofits that are eager to work with talented students through internship and employment are given a free opportunity to post their jobs and mingle with candidates.

[Learn more and register here!](#)

Being BUSI

Hear from Olivia Boersma, Class of 2022, as she shares some words of wisdom fitting for Pre-Business students.

"In the recruiting process, don't underestimate the impact that smaller firms have in the marketplace, and know they will often provide you with a more personalized experience and access to leadership. During your internship, don't be afraid to ask questions, and don't be afraid to ask for help, especially from Associates or entry-level employees."



Resource Spotlight: Pre-Business Counseling

Virtual Pre-Business Counseling is an optional drop-in opportunity to get your Pre-Business admissions questions answered. Upcoming windows include:

- Tuesday, November 7, from 3:00-4:00 PM - [join here](#)
- Friday, November 10, from 9:30-10:30 AM - [join here](#)
- Tuesday, November 14, from 3:00-4:00 PM - [join here](#)
- Friday, November 17, from 9:30-10:30 AM - [join here](#)

Please note that it is expected that you have reviewed the [BUSI Talk series](#) before attending virtual drop-ins, as much of our foundational information is addressed through the videos.

[Access the Pre-Business Archive](#)