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Good afternoon all and I trust that you are all well. For those of you that were able to participate in last week's Women in Data Science Conference, you had a great learning and networking opportunity. We were honored to have the support and engagement of [Lowe's](#), [Sia Partners](#), [Wells Fargo](#), [Microsoft](#), [The Hartford](#), [Truist](#), and several others. They are all actively recruiting for full-time and internship placements. For those of you who submitted your resume, we shared it with their HR representatives late last week.

Wednesday Seminars- speaking of job opportunities, each week we invite leaders in the field to present in an informal setting to students in the SDS. Last week Chris Black, a veteran recruiter in the data science and analytics space, presented on effective resume and interviewing strategies. It was a great session, he asked that I remind all students about two critical "do's":

- ***Use Key Words***- (which students can easily figure out by looking at job postings), Searchable terms need to be on both their resume and LinkedIn profile.
- ***Open to Work***- Students looking for a job should list themselves on LinkedIn - even if only to recruiters - as "Open to Work."

This week [Ned Carroll](#) from Azimuth GRC joins us in-person Wednesday at 4:00pm at Center City Campus. Ned brings a rich set of experience as a former Chief Technology Officer with Bank of America and Chief Data Officer with TIAA. Please make plans to join us.

Important
INFORMATION

**Summer & Fall 2022 Assistantship Applications
NOW OPEN!**

The SDS is now accepting Graduate Assistantship applications for the Summer 2022 term and Fall 2022 semester. Students actively enrolled, as well as newly admitted students in the DSBA or HIA program, are eligible to apply. SDS funded Assistantships are usually 10 or 20-hours a week assignments. The SDS has special requirements for students holding these positions. You can read more on your respective program's website under the "Current Student" tab.

[DSBA APPLICATION](#)

[HIA APPLICATION](#)

Seeking a Summer Internship?

For those of you still actively seeking Summer 2022 internship placements. We are inviting interested and eligible HIA and DSBA graduate students and Data Science Undergraduate students to submit their resumes for an informal SDS resume book. You need to be on track to complete the required credit hours by the start of next semester (HIA MS- 12 credits/DSBA MS- 21 credits). We will share the responses with any potential employer seeking spring interns candidates. Please make sure that you have carefully proofread your resume before uploading the document. We strongly encourage you to take advantage of UNC Charlotte's Career Center and its virtual services. Feel free to use the link below to submit your resume.

[SUBMIT RESUME HERE](#)

Save the date!

- Pre-registration Group Advising for Summer and Fall happening soon! Please plan on attending one of the sessions. Zoom links will be sent out soon to the dates below.

DSBA: March 22, 2022 & March 24, 2022 from 4:00-5:00 PM

HIA: March 22, 2022 & March 24, 2022 from 4:00-5:00 PM

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- March 31: [Analytics Frontiers Conference](#)
 - April 4: Registration for Summer and Fall 2022 begins.
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Mark Your CALENDAR

Milestone Pharmaceuticals: Careers in Biopharmaceuticals

Jeff Nelson, COO of Milestone Pharmaceuticals, will be coming to provide his perspective on the role and impact of data science in the drug development industry. Milestone Pharmaceuticals is a development stage specialty pharmaceutical company based in Charlotte, NC, and Montreal. The talk will concentrate on data management/biostatistics roles and career paths within the industry, case studies showing the impact biostats choices, and internship/part-time work opportunities at Milestone.

In-person, Bioinformatics 217 Building room 105 on Tuesday, March 22nd at 3:00 pm-4:00 pm.

[Learn More About Milestone Pharmaceuticals](#)

Tableau Conference



The world's best data gathering is back in person and virtually for a global experience connecting the DataFam worldwide! Our first hybrid event, **May 17–19, 2022**, has something for everyone, no matter where you call home or however you choose to attend. Join us in Las Vegas or virtually from anywhere for an amazing live-broadcast experience that includes inspiring keynotes, showcases our incredible customers, and elevates our product innovations.

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Data Matters - Summer Course

Data Matters™ is a week-long series of one and two-day courses aimed at students and professionals in business, research, and government. The short course series gives students the chance to learn about a wide range of topics in data science, analytics, visualization, curation, and more from expert instructors. The event will take place during **August 8 - 12, 2022**. It will be **virtual via zoom**.

Registration is now open. reserve your spot now!

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HBCU Social Impact Hackathon

BlkTech Interactive is hosting the HBCU Social Impact Hackathon built by Lowes on March 25 - 29. HBCU teams of current students and general community members will design and develop innovative tech solutions to address the challenges of access to fresh food, education, or community violence. The event will be held at UNC-Charlotte and virtually for the opportunity to win \$5,000, be highlighted in the national media, mentored to submit for larger challenges that include the \$200,000 MIT Youth Challenge and the \$150,000 Tech Stars Social Impact Challenge, and increase social capital with access to internships and employment with Lowes Home Improvement and other corporate partners.



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HBCU SOCIAL IMPACT HACKATHON



MARCH 25-29

APPLY - blktechclt.com/events

NO CODING OR TECH EXPERIENCE NEEDED

Day 1 Friday, March 25 | 4 - 8 PM - DESIGN

Kick-off/Meet & Greet + Design Sprint Session: to include design-thinking & mapping.

Day 2 Saturday, March 26 | 9 AM - 3 PM - DEVELOP

Morning session: sketch, decide prelim development.
Afternoon+ session: fast-prototyping, testing, prelim customer discovery.

Day 3 Sunday, March 27 | DISCOVERY

Customer discovery, testing, prototype refinements, learnings.

Monday: Pitch prep (with teams)

Day 4 Tuesday, March 29 | 4 - 8 PM - DEMO

Tuesday (evening): Pitch event & Awards



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SDS Wednesday Seminar Series

Join UNC Charlotte's School of Data Science and Ned Carroll for a session about data management.

Data management has largely been a design-time activity, in order for it to sustain and scale it

needs to pivot to run-time activity. Driven by workload migrating to cloud, the introduction of a new movement and integration patterns (API and Streaming) and other operate model changes in financial services. A prerequisite to OpenData (in particular banking and healthcare).

Ned Carroll is a Senior financial services executive with a unique combination of experiences across disciplines of data, analytics, cyber, risk, architecture, application development, and large complex transformation.

The seminar will be held in **room 506 in the Center City Building.**

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Analytics Frontiers Conference



The School of Data Science at Charlotte is hosting it's 8th annual Analytics Frontiers Conference on **March 31, 2022!**

The Analytics Frontiers Conference is the largest data science conference in the region, attracting more than 500 leaders, scientists, and business executives from different industries and academia. This is an amazing opportunity to network with industry experts from across the Southeast.

Students will receive tickets at a reduced rate! The code went out earlier this week and there is limited space. Register now to save your spot!

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Important!

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Upcoming SDS Events
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Featured Job OPPORTUNITIES

SparkCognition - Data Scientist

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**Bank of America - Experience Design
Undergraduate Summer Intern**

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**Bank of America - Experience Design
Graduate Summer Intern**

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Camping World - Summer Data Science Intern

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Wells Fargo - Lead Analytics Consultant

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Deloitte - Discovery Internship

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GoPeaks - Patent Research Assistant

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NDE Simulation & Data Processing Student Employee

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Summer Internship Opportunities with the City of Charlotte

Interested students are encouraged to submit their resume, and draft project proposals for one or both of the topics. The City will review these proposals and offer a paid internship for either this Summer or Fall semester. The proposals need to include methodology, suggested datasets needed, and anticipated timeline. **The deadline for proposal submission is April 1, 2022** If you have any questions, please email Hanna Kirlin (HIA 2017) hanna.kirlin@charlottenc.gov.

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GRADUATE *Student Council*

April Coffee Hour ☕

Join SDS Student Council and other peers for a coffee Break!

When: April 5, 2022
Where: Center City
Room 504
Time: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Don't forget to RSVP
below!



[RSVP HERE](#)

School of Data Science Field day

Save the date - April 30, 2022 ☐

More details in the days to come

GET CONNECTED! Feel free to join the School of Data Science GroupMe and Slack Channel for regular updates.

[GROUPME](#)

[SLACK CHANNEL](#)



Disability:IN North Carolina / CommunAbility Mentoring Program



The University Career Center is excited to announce the Disability:IN North Carolina / CommunAbility mentoring program is ready for its third class. The program matches mentors to UNC Charlotte students with disabilities for

mentoring sessions that take place throughout the academic year here at UNC Charlotte. The goal of CommunAbility mentoring is to create an inclusive and productive community by expanding economic opportunity and financial literacy for students and young adults with disabilities through meaningful relationships with mentors in industry. If you, or a student you know, with a disability might benefit from this program, apply or reach out to Xuan for more information.

Deadline: Monday, April 4th @ 5pm EST
Contact: Xuan Truong (xtruong@uncc.edu)

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NinerScholars Portal Now Open for Applications!

The NinerScholars Portal is open for students to apply for scholarships for the 2022-23 academic year. During the current application cycle, only students who have been admitted to the University will be allowed to access NinerScholars to apply for scholarships.

2022-2023

**SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION
IS OPEN!**

LOG IN NOW!



To be eligible for scholarships, students must apply each year. Get started today!

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Coursera for Campus

The School of Data Science has joined [Coursera for the Campus Basic Plan](#). DSBA and HIA graduate students, and the Data Science undergraduates have access to more than 4,000 courses in the Coursera catalog. Students must request access by completing the google form below. Participants will receive an email confirmation from SDS and from Coursera with an invitation to set up an account.

On Track To Graduate?

DegreeWorks is a web-based planning tool that provides an accurate display of required coursework and helps students monitor their progress towards graduation. Students can access their real-time audit in DegreeWorks via my.uncc.edu and should routinely check their progress towards degree completion.

For any required courses that are in the Fall Through or Not Counted sections of DegreeWorks submit an Academic Petition that requests the courses be counted towards your program requirements.

If you believe your audit contains errors or the requirements do not match the catalog, students should contact:

Josh Hertel: jhertel@uncc.edu
Carly Mahedy: cfletcher@uncc.edu

If you began in the Certificate program and transferred to the Master's program:

Please review your DegreeWorks for both your certificate and master's program and complete an application to graduate from both programs.