

August 2018 Newsletter

UNCG's outlet for engagement and outreach spotlights, announcements, upcoming events, funding opportunities, publications, resources, and more!

Director's Note

"The sum is greater than the parts." This saying describes the importance of collective and collaborative engagement across disciplinary and community boundaries. In other words, together we can do more than we can do individually. This year, ICEE is focused on supporting individuals coming together. We do this through the second year of the Partnerships and Pathways (P2) grant, faculty fellows' learning communities, the annual speaker series, gatherings, and celebrations. Find your community here.



Emily M. Janke, PhD Director



Feature

Community-Engaged Pathways and Partnerships (P2): A Collective Scholarship Fellows Program

ICEE, with the support of the Office of Research and Engagement, is seeking its second cohort of P2 Teams. The Community-Engaged Pathways and Partnerships (P2) fellows program aims to strengthen collective approaches to community-engaged scholarship through development of sustainable pathways partnerships that build deep, reciprocal processes to achieve mutually beneficial, community-identified priorities. Scholarship is broadly defined to include research, creative activity, inquiry, and teaching. This scholarship fellows program is unique in that spans three centers community-engaged practices outcomes, supports team-based scholarship, and provides professional development to P2 Fellows. Applications are due October 15, 2018.



Welcome to Breyonna Horsley

Breyonna is the newest staff member of ICEE. She is an MBA student in the Bryan School of Business at UNC Greensboro. She earned her bachelor's degree in Business Management and a minor in Spanish from Winston-Salem State University. Her areas of interest include; improving race, gender, and structural justice and providing community service to all mankind. She supports the Institute by addressing the evolving needs of ICEE including ongoing collection of community engagement/public service data, responding to Referral Desk inquiries, and contributing to communications efforts.



Sharing UNCG Scholarship and Leadership

UNCG Student Selected as an Imagining America PAGE Fellow

Santos Flores, doctoral student in Kinesiology was selected as one of ten students across the nation as a PAGE Fellow. PAGE (Publicly Active Graduate Education) is Imagining America's (IA) network for publicly engaged graduate students in humanities, arts, and design, that enhances the praxis and pedagogy of public scholarship. Santos's current research interests advance youth developmental frameworks of embodied cultural arts, with critical pedagogy, community engagement and physical literacy through play and games. His interest in International Peace Development has led him to engage research in 'Sports Based Community Development" and Brazil's Capoeira Angola, Post natural disaster research and Youth Development in Puerto Rico, and the intersections of TPSR (Teaching Personal and Social model Responsibility) sports and Restorative practices. Santos will also be working with ICEE Director and Associate Professor of Peace and Conflict Studies, Dr. Emily Janke this semester through scholarly projects focused on youth development, community engagement and higher education, and restorative practices.



ICEE Faculty Fellows

Join a Faculty Fellow Learning Community this fall to meet other faculty, staff, students, and community members interested in community engagement. Topics include: (1) conversations with local and global communities, (2) culturally responsive research and evaluation practice, (3) community-engaged writing, and (4) circle process in education. The first circle process learning community meets Thursday, August 16th from 6:30-8:00 pm at the Glenwood Public Library. Learn more about these learning comunities...



Resources

Collaboratory®

Collaboratory® is a publicly searchable, online database that shares an institutional story about who, what, where, with whom, and to what ends community-university partners are working towards community-identified priorities for shared learning and mutual benefits. Collaboratory collects information on curricular-based community engagement activities and related partners/sites as well as data on any public scholarship, community-based research. outreach programs, community service and co-curricular activities that utilize community engagement principles, practices, and/or pedagogies. Collaboratory supports ICEE's effort to communicate UNCG's institutional community engagement story and connect faculty, community partners around shared community-identified priorities and passions. You can help ensure our whole story is shared by contributing your public service or community engagement work.



Liquid Philosophy

UNCG professors Justin Harmon (CTR), Marianne LeGreco (CST), and Jeremy Rinker (PCS) are kicking-off their second season of Liquid Philosophy where a "rag-tag bunch of academics have a few drinks and interview professors, deans, and other folks making strides in academia." Catch-up on the first semester with guests Dr. Bob Wineburg, Dean Celia Hooper, Chancellor Frank Gilliam, Dr. Nadja Cech, Bill Johnson, and Dr. Tom Martinek.



UNCG Referral Desk

The Referral Desk offers assistance to anyone who is looking to access resources and opportunities at UNCG. We help you find whom you need to know or where to go. Email communityengagement@uncg.edu or call (336) 505-8994.



Funding for Community Engagement

ICEE has compiled a list of internal funding opportunities that support work related to community engagement. Funding opportunities include the Community-Engaged Pathways and Partnerships (P2) Grant, ICEE Faculty Fellows, Community-Based Research Grants, Faculty Research Awards, and Giant Steps Research Development Grants.



The Academic Minute

The Academic Minute features researchers from colleges and universities around the world, keeping listeners abreast of what's new and exciting in the academy and of all the ways academic research contributes to solving the world's toughest problems and to serving the public good. Hosted by Dr. Lynn Pasquerella, President of the Association of American Colleges and Universities, The Academic Minute features a different professor each day, drawing experts from top colleges and universities from across the country. Production support for The Academic Minute comes from AAC&U, advancing liberal learning and research for the public good.



Upcoming Events at UNCG

Be Here Club

Join an existing network of community-engaged faculty, administrators, staff, students, and community partners who meet at local breweries each month to build community and scholarly support. For more information, contact Justin Harmon, jtharmo3@uncg.edu. Food is sponsored by the Deans of the College of Arts & Sciences, the School of Health and Human Sciences, and the UNCG chapter of the American Association of University Professors. The first fall gathering of the Be Here Club is Wednesday, August 15th from 5:00-7:00 pm at Mad Hatters.

Connecting to and Documenting Community-Engaged Scholarship

UNCG supports community-engaged teaching, research, and service. This brown bag workshop will provide a brief overview of community engagement at UNCG. We will focus on best practices for identifying collaborators within the community, how to get the word out about your community engagement, and how to plan for documenting your community engagement for promotion, tenure, and/or annual reviews. Attend September 11, 12:00-1:00pm, by registering at https://workshops.uncg.edu.

Community-Engaged Pathways and Partnerships (P2) Info Session

The Community-Engaged Pathways and Partnerships (P2) is a grant-funded fellows program that aims to strengthen collective approaches to community-engaged scholarship through the development of sustainable pathways and partnerships that build deep, reciprocal processes to achieve mutually beneficial, community-identified priorities. In this information session, ICEE staff will discuss the principles of community-engaged scholarship, community-identified priorities, and collective action. All members of P2 teams are welcome to attend. Participation in this session is not a requirement of the grant application. Workshops are August 24th, 12:00-1:00pm and September 18, 1:30-2:30pm in 3603 MHRA. Register at https://workshops.uncg.edu. Grant applications are due October 15, 2018.

Upcoming Deadlines

"Deadlines from the Field" Calendar

Keeping track of conference dates, call for proposals, award deadlines, etc. can be overwhelming. ICEE has designed a resource to help you keep track of these deadlines from the community engagement field. This sharable <u>calendar</u> is updated regularly to make local, regional, national, and international opportunities more accessible to you. You can view the calendar by visiting our website or add it to your google calendar list for more immediate access.

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