

Event Highlights

A list of Duke and local events relevant to visiting scholars. *Events are free and open to Duke community or to the public, and no registration is required, unless noted otherwise. **Some events are kids and family friendly.

May 2015

Special Events

Duke Commencement Ceremony

Sun, 5/10, 9am, Procession; 9:30-11am Ceremony
Durham Bulls Athlete Park, 409 Blackwell St,
Durham, NC 27701

President Richard H. Brodhead will preside over the ceremony. Paul Farmer '82, co-founder of Partners In Health, will deliver the commencement address. Tickets are not required. Details at:

<https://commencement.duke.edu/commencement-ceremony>

Parking info at:

https://commencement.duke.edu/sites/default/files/images/DBAP%20Parking%20Map_0.pdf

Watch live streaming at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DthEHCMM41c>

UNC Commencement Ceremony

Sun, 5/10, at 9am

Kenan Stadium, 104 Stadium Dr. Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Media and entertainment innovator Jason Kilar will deliver the Commencement address at the University of North Carolina – Chapel Hill on May 10, 2015. Kilar, who graduated from Carolina in 1993, is the co-founder and CEO of Vessel, and was previously the founding CEO of Hulu.

Tickets are not required. Ceremony details at:

<http://commencement.unc.edu/spring/index.php>

Kenan Stadium policy and parking information:

<http://commencement.unc.edu/spring/venue.php>

Watch the live stream online at 9:30am:

<http://commencement.unc.edu/spring/livestream-commencement.php>

English Classes

Summer ESL at Durham Tech in Durham Campus
Registration and testing dates, 5/13 & 5/15

Summer ESL at Durham Tech in Chapel Hill Campus
Registration and testing dates, 5/28 & 6/1

Times, location and class information at:

<http://www.durhamtech.edu/cgl/esl.htm>

Talks on the Web

TED Talks on Politics

<https://www.ted.com/talks?topics%5B%5D=politics&sort=newest>

TED Talks on Economics

<https://www.ted.com/talks?topics%5B%5D=economics&sort=newest>

Local Event Resources

Duke Performances \$

<https://dukeperformances.duke.edu/calendar>

Events in Durham

<http://www.durham-nc.com/events/>

Events in Chapel Hill

<http://www.visitchapelhill.org/plan-a-visit/events/>

Events in Raleigh

<http://www.visitraleigh.com/events/>

Attractions and Travel Resources

Attractions in Durham

http://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g49092-Activities-Durham_North_Carolina.html

Attractions in Chapel Hill

http://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g49021-Activities-Chapel_Hill_North_Carolina.html

Attractions in Raleigh

http://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g49463-Activities-Raleigh_North_Carolina.html

Travel in NC

<http://www.visitnc.com/>

Volunteer and Community Contributions

Duke University Volunteer Opportunities

<https://www.dukemedicine.org/patients-and-visitors/hospital-information/volunteer-services>

Durham Volunteer Center

<http://www.thevolunteercenter.org/tp42/Default.asp?ID=139710>

Triangle Area Volunteer Opportunities

<http://www.volunteermatch.org/search/index.jsp?r=msa&l=27722>

Program in Asian Security Studies at Duke University