

Exception to UNC Charlotte Academic Policy: Academic Honors

On December 3 2020, the Faculty Executive Committee approved an exception to the [UNC Charlotte Academic Policy: Academic Honors](#) allowing students to be eligible for Chancellor's List or Dean's List if they have earned at least 9 credit hours in courses graded A, B, or C. This exception applies only to the 2020-2021 Academic Year.

Policy Statement [Academic Year 2020-2021 Only]

CHANCELLOR'S LIST

The Chancellor's List recognizes undergraduate degree-seeking students with outstanding records of academic performance. To qualify for the Chancellor's List during the 2020-2021 academic year, a full-time student must be in good academic standing and earn a grade point average of at least 3.8 in 9 or more credit hours graded A, B, or C, with no grade less than C. A part-time student must be in good academic standing and earn a combined Fall and Spring grade point average of at least 3.8 in 9 or more credit hours graded A, B, or C, with no grade less than C. To qualify for the Chancellor's List as a part-time student, a student must have enrolled on a part-time basis in both fall 2020 and spring 2021 semesters.

Students who receive the grade of AU, H, or P are not excluded from recognition as long as 9 hours are completed with A, B, or C. Students who receive the grade of D, F, I, NR, or N are not eligible for recognition. Chancellor's List recognition appears on the student's academic record (official transcript).

DEAN'S LIST

The Dean's List recognizes undergraduate degree-seeking students with superb records of academic performance. To qualify for the Dean's List during the 2020-2021 academic year, a full-time student must be in good academic standing and earn a grade point average of at least 3.4 and not more than 3.79 in 9 or more credit hours graded A, B, or C, with no grade less than a C. A part-time student must be in good academic standing and earn a combined Fall and Spring grade point average of at least 3.4 and not more than 3.79 in 9 or more credit hours graded A, B, or C, with no grade less than C. To qualify for the Dean's List as a part-time student, a student must have enrolled on a part-time basis in both fall 2020 and spring 2021 semesters.

Students who receive the grade of AU, H, or P are not excluded from recognition as long as 9 hours are completed with grades of A, B, or C. Students who receive the grade of D, F, I, NR, or N are not eligible for recognition. Dean's List recognition appears on the student's academic record (official transcript).

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Students may earn undergraduate degrees at different levels of distinction: Cum Laude ("With Honor"), Magna Cum Laude ("With Great Honor"), and Summa Cum Laude ("With Highest Honor"). Each of the undergraduate degrees is awarded Cum Laude when the graduating student's cumulative grade point average is 3.4 or more but less than 3.7, Magna Cum Laude when it is at least 3.7 but less than 3.9, and Summa Cum Laude when it is at least 3.9. To be eligible to graduate with distinction, a student must be in good academic standing and have a grade point average computed on at least 48 graded (A-F) credit hours completed in residence at UNC Charlotte.