

CHARLOTTE | URBANCORE

FALL 2025

CORE SERIES CALENDAR

Through its CORE Series, urbanCORE supports faculty and staff who conduct research or design courses involving community partners.

SEP

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Info Session: Internal Funding Opportunities for Community-Engaged Research or Teaching

1:00 - 2:00 PM | Sycamore 306

urbanCORE invites faculty to an information session about internal funding resources that support research and teaching conducted with Charlotte community partners.



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Presentation: Community Innovation Incubator – Central Ave./Albemarle Rd.

10:30 - 11:30 AM | Sycamore 306

urbanCORE welcomes you to a talk by members of the Central Ave./Albemarle Rd. Community Innovation Incubator team. Attendees will learn how the team co-designed a project with community members and partners, and information on joining the next incubator cohort will be shared.



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Sandbox: Charlotte Regional Data Trust

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM | Zoom

Researchers who use community data, join Sydney Idzikowski & Kailas Venkitasubramanian from the UNC Charlotte Urban Institute to explore the Data Trust, a tool integrating data from 55+ community organizations. Learn about available data and how the request process works.



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Workshop: Career Success and Planning Strategies for Community-Engaged Faculty

12:30 - 2:00 PM | Sycamore 306

This workshop covers strategies for a sustainable academic career, including those specific to faculty who conduct community-engaged research or teaching. Time will be reserved for participants to begin drafting a career strategic plan.



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Workshop: RPT Narrative

10:00 - 11:45 AM | Sycamore 306

urbanCORE's Holly Middleton, PhD, and Professor Kim Buch of Psychological Science invite community-engaged researchers or teachers to a workshop on writing a compelling narrative for RPT. Participants at any stage of a reappointment, promotion, or tenure goal are welcome. It's never too early to develop the story of your work!



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