# ELON EXPERIENCES TRANSCRIPT

Global Engagement • Internships • Leadership • Service • Undergraduate Research

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Degree: AB - Bachelor of Arts

Major(s): English

Minor(s): Political Science

	STUDY ABROAD			LEADERSHIP	
Winter	2012 Studies in Costa Rica/ELR	Semester	Spring	2011 Resident Student Association	Vice-President
Winter	2013 Science in London/ELR	Semester	Fall	2011 Alpha Chi Omega	New Member Educat
			Spring	2012 Alpha Chi Omega	New Member Educat
			Fall	2012 SPARKS	Peer Educator
			Spring	2013 SPARKS	Peer Educator
	VOLUNTEER SERVICE		Spring	2013 Orientation	Head Staff
Spring	2011 Elon Service Day	4 hours	Fall	2013 Alpha Chi Omega	Vice-President
Spring	2011 Cummings High School	3 hours	Spring	2014 Alpha Chi Omega	Vice-President
Spring	2011 ElonTHON	24 hours			
Spring	2011 Service Learning	40 hours			
Fall	2011 Blood Drive	0.5 hour			
Spring	2012 Boys and Girls Club	1 hour			
Spring	2012 Alpha Chi Omega	6 hours		UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH	
Fall	2012 Alpha Chi Omega	2 hours	Spring	2012 Elon Research Forum	
Fall	2012 Alpha Chi Omega	3 hours	Fall	2012 Res <mark>earch in English</mark>	
Fall	2012 Habitat for Hummanity	3 hours	Fall	2013 Research in English	
Spring	2013 ElonTHON	24 hours	Spring	2014 Research in English	
	INTERNSHIPS/CO-OPS				
Summer	2012 Washington Center Internship	160 hours			
Spring	2012 Internship with Gallup	260 hours			

## **Elon University**

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## History

In 1889 the N.C. General Assembly issued a charter for Elon College. In 1923 the College sustained a major fire and was rebuilt in 1923-1926. Elon College became Elon University in 2001. The Elon University chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was chartered in 2010.

#### Accreditation

Elon University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award bachelor, master, doctor of physical therapy, and juris doctor degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, GA 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4501 for questions about the accreditation of Elon University, to file a third-party comment at the time of Elon University's decennial review, or to file a complaint against Elon University for alleged non-compliance with a standard or requirement. For normal inquiries about Elon University including admissions requirements, financial aid, educational programs, etc., contact Elon University at 336-278-2000.

## **Elon Experiences Transcript**

The Elon Experiences Transcript allows students to present a record of their participation in the five Elon Experiences.

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#### **Experiential Learning Requirement**

As part of Elon University's academic requirements, all students must complete at least two experiences that fulfill their Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR). These experiences are presented on both a student's academic transcript and Elon Experiences Transcript, but are officially maintained as part of their academic transcript.

To fulfill Elon's ELR, students engage in a process that includes preparation, action, and reflection to develop the habits of mind required to transfer knowledge between experiences and classes. Elon University's mission is to develop students as socially responsible global citizens. The ELR can be met through deep engagement and reflection in any of the five Elon Experiences.

The Elon Experiences Transcript maintains a record of student experiences beyond the ELR. Most ELR experiences will appear on the Elon Experiences Transcript; however, not all items featured on the Elon Experiences Transcript earn credit toward the ELR.

## **Elon Experiences**

Experiential learning prepares students for lives of meaningful work and service through out-of-the-classroom experiences. By engaging students in opportunities that integrate knowledge and experience, experiential learning fosters an understanding and lifelong appreciation for learning.

Elon's five signature experiential learning programs, the Elon Experiences, include the following:

- 1. Global Engagement: Study Abroad/Study USA
- 2. Internships
- 3. Leadership
- 4. Service
- 5. Undergraduate Research

Collectively, these programs reflect important values that add to the total college experience and prepare students as lifelong learners and global citizens.

#### 1. Global Engagement: Study Abroad/Study USA

The Isabella Cannon Global Education Center is home to Elon's nationally recognized study abroad and study USA program. Elon is #1 in the country among master's-level institutions for the percentage of students who study abroad. Study abroad and study USA experiences completed during a semester or winter-term and other non-credit global engagement experiences are validated by the Global Education Center and included on the Elon Experiences Transcript.

#### 2. Internships

Elon's Student Professional Development Center connects students with internship opportunities in the community and across the country. Students prepare for professional roles through these experiences and as a result are more likely to be hired upon graduation. Internship and Co-Op experiences completed for course credit are included on students' Elon Experiences Transcript in addition to internships submitted by students and validated with employers by the Student Professional Development Center.

## 3. Leadership

The Center for Leadership provides advanced leadership programming and training open to all students. The Center also works with a broad range of student organizations and validates key leadership positions for the Elon Experiences Transcript. All leadership experiences validated as part of the Elon Experiences Transcript reflect that students have been leading other students.

#### 4. Service

The Kernodle Center for Service Learning and Community Engagement supports course connections and individual student connections to service opportunities in the community. Each year students, faculty, and staff demonstrate Elon's strong commitment to service through their work in the community. Service experiences with community partners, through Elon courses, campus organizations, or completed independently are submitted to the Kernodle Center by students or organization leaders for validation and inclusion on the Elon Experiences Transcript.

## 5. Undergraduate Research

Students work collaboratively with a faculty mentor on research projects. These research experiences prepare students for graduate school and employment opportunities. All research experiences validated by the Undergraduate Research Program for inclusion on the Elon Experiences Transcript are research activities beyond what is completed as part of regular coursework.