Brody Scholars Program Schedule 2019 - 2020

The Brody Scholar program is made possible through a generous donation from the Brody Family and the Brody Foundation. The program is jointly administered by Dr. Mark A. Notestine, Executive Director of the Brody Foundation and President of the ECU Medical & Health Sciences Foundation, notestinem14@ecu.edu and Renée Safford-White, Coordinator for the Brody Scholar Program, and your contact person for all items related to the Brody Foundation and Brody Scholars Program activities, saffordwhiter@ecu.edu.

Other members of the faculty advisory group: Dr. Mark Stacy, Dean, The Brody School of Medicine, Dr. Cedric Bright, Associate Dean for Admissions, Dr. Kendall Campbell, Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, and book discussion leaders Drs. Jason Higginson and Todd Savitt. The Brody Scholars Program is North Carolina's most distinguished medical scholarship.

August

August 07, 2019  Brody Scholars Kick-off Meeting
- 5:30 pm The Brody School of Medicine, Brody 1L32 Conference Room
- All scholars to meet with faculty advisory committee;
- Review program schedule and reaffirm Brody Scholarship Agreement;
- Begin to discuss Retreat and Development Lecture;
- Hand out books for book discussion Book Club faculty leaders, Dr. Jason Higginson and Dr. Todd Savitt

"Not For Profit: Why Democracy Needs The Humanities", by Martha Nussbaum. The book will be provided to you free of charge. See information about the book on the bottom of page

August 09, 2019  BSOM White Coat and Brody Scholar Pinning Ceremony
- 8:30 am HS Student Center – Chantel Morey

August 10, 2019  Brody Scholar Retreat
- 9:00 am WoodShed at the Villedge Greenville Hilton
- 12:30 Lunch at Bonefish
- 1:30 Laser Tag

September

September 11, 2019  Dinner with the Drs. Stacy and Notestine
- 6:00 pm Rick House

September 20, 2019  BSOM Reunion Activities
- 5:00 pm BSOM SNMA Reunion @ Ledonia Wright Cultural Center East Campus
- 6:30 pm BSOM Alumni Social 3rd Floor Terrace @ ECU East Campus Student Center

September 21, 2019  BSOM Reunion Activities
- TBD BSOM Alumni, Faculty, Staff, and Student Tailgate 3 Hours Prior to Kick Off
- TBD William and Mary Tribe vs ECU Pirates

September 26, 2019  Brody Scholars Meet & Greet
- 6:00 pm The West Wing of Greenville Hilton Hotel with Presentations by Helina Gan, Ross Masters, and Amber Priester
October

October 2019  Brody Scholar Humanistic Medicine (Pending)

- Drs. Higginson and Savitt

November

- Dinner with Dr. Bright. Casual social occasion and a forum to continue planning and formalize annual project
  Brody Scholars Community Health Fair (Pending)

December

Open at this time: please continue to check for updates

January

January 2020  Brody Scholar Book Discussion “Not For Profit: Why Democracy Needs The Humanities” 
by Martha Nussbaum. (Pending)

January 2020  Brody Scholar Gathering (Pending)

February

February 2020  Brody Scholars Enrichment Workshop (Pending)

February 03, 2020

- Information about Summer Enrichment Program opportunities emailed to M1 Brody Scholars. Applications 
due to Dr. Bright by March 2, 2020

March

March 02, 2020

- Applications due for Summer Enrichment Program. Preliminary decisions will be made by March 31.
  Approval by the Brody Foundation Board at the Spring Meeting in April.

March 13, 2020  Annual Brody Scholarship Interviews

- Interview: 8:30 – 11:45 am  4th Floor Gallery Laupus Library
- Lunch: 12:00 – 1:30 pm  4th Floor Gallery Laupus Library

March 20, 2020  BSOM Match Day Ceremony

- 12:00 noon  Brody School of Medicine Auditorium

March 20, 2020  37th Annual Brody Banquet (Pending)

- 6:30 pm  Location to be determined
April

April 2020       The Brody School of Medicine Scholarship Reception (Pending)

April 11, 2020   Brody Scholars Community Health Fair

- 7:30 am       Lucille W. Gorham Intergenerational Community Center
- Additional information to follow with volunteers from BSOM, CAHS, CON and Dental Students

May

May 06, 2020    Brody Scholar Exit Interview

- 5:30 pm       ECU MHS Foundation Conference Room

May 07, 2020    BSOM Award Ceremony

- 3:00 pm       Brody Auditorium

May 08, 2020    BSOM Convocation Ceremony (Pending)

May 09, 2020    ECU Commencement Ceremony (Pending)

*Martha Nussbaum - "Not For Profit: Why Democracy Needs The Humanities"

From Barnes and Nobles Book Description Overview

Historically, the humanities have been central to education because they have been seen as essential for creating competent democratic citizens. But recently, Nussbaum argues, thinking about the aims of education has gone disturbingly awry in the United States and abroad. We increasingly treat education as though its primary goal were to teach students to be economically productive rather than to think critically and become knowledgeable, productive, and empathetic individuals. This shortsighted focus on profitable skills has eroded our ability to criticize authority, reduced our sympathy with the marginalized and different, and damaged our competence to deal with complex global problems. And the loss of these basic capacities jeopardizes the health of democracies and the hope of a decent world.