

UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA TOMORROW LEADING, CONNECTING, TRANSFORMING

*University of North Carolina Board of Governors
Policy Discussion
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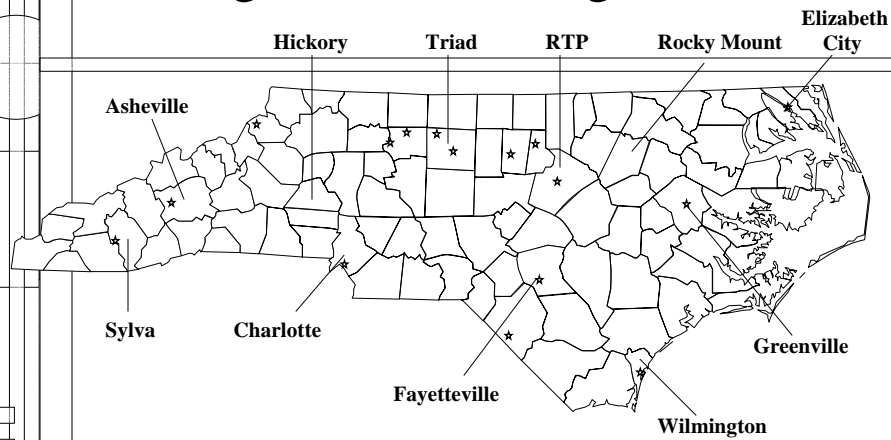


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Actions Since Last BOG Meeting (May-June)

- Finalized schedule for Regional Listening Forums (*see schedule in packet*)
- Identified Scholars' research projects
- Began developing public input mechanisms
- Completed campus visits

Regional Listening Forums



Regional Listening Forums – Sept-Oct

Campus Visit Observations

General Discussion Themes:

- Campuses' assessment of regional and state needs
- Increase in student diversity – Hispanic/Latino and African American males
- Faculty – diversity and recruitment/retention
- Need to “tell our story” better
- Preparing for enrollment growth
- Innovative education delivery methods
- Comprehensive undergraduate curriculum revisions
- Engagement and service learning

Scholars Council

- Meeting will be held June 5
- Research areas will be designated
- Update will be provided during policy discussion

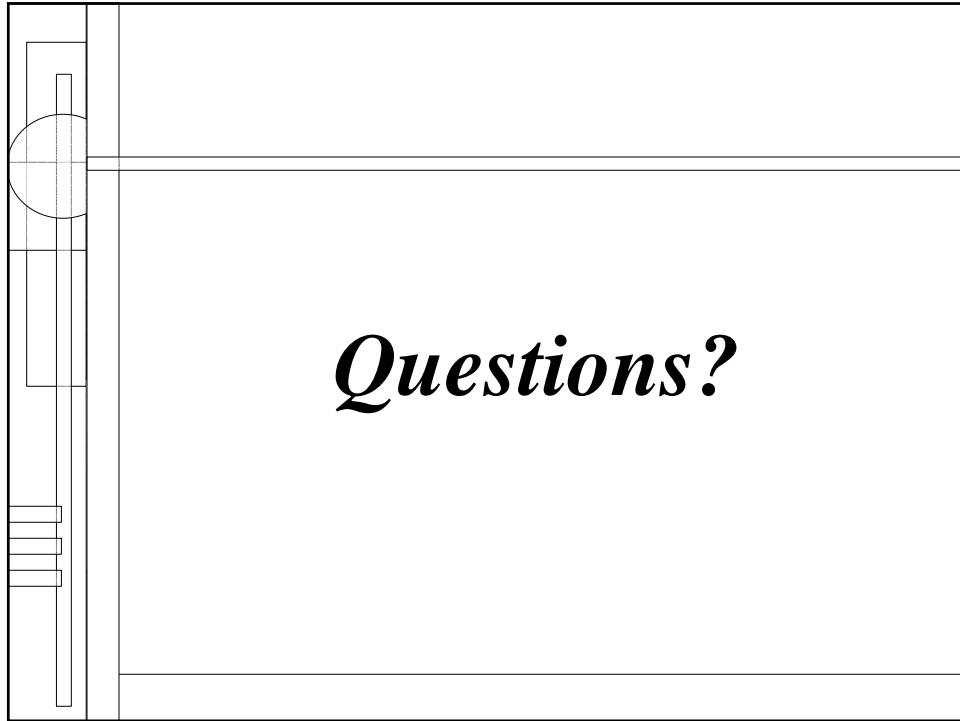
Areas of Focus

External Trends

- Economics / workforce
- Demographics
- Health
- Environment
- Social issues
- Leadership & civic engagement
- Public Education
- Higher Education
- Technology innovations

Internal Challenges

- Enrollment growth
- Teaching innovations
- Efficient resource use
- Student diversity
- Faculty attrition
- Global readiness & soft skills development
- Increased collaboration
- Planning processes
- “Telling our story”





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Regional Listening Forums Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Region</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
Mon, 9/10	East East	Greenville Rocky Mount	Morning Evening
Wed, 9/12	Southeast Southeast	Wilmington Fayetteville	Morning Evening
Thurs, 9/20	North East	Elizabeth City	Evening
Wed, 10/3	Charlotte Charlotte/West	Charlotte Hickory	Morning Evening
Thurs, 10/4	West West	Asheville Sylva	Morning Evening
Mon, 10/8	Piedmont-Triad	Greensboro	Evening
Wed, 10/10	RTP	Raleigh	Evening