**2016 MECKLENBURG COUNTY**

**US Senate Representative(s)**
Richard Burr, Thom Tillis

**US House Representative(s)**
Robert Pittenger (9th District), Alma Adams (12th District)

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**COUNTY FAST FACTS**

- **UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**
  - 17,833 from county enrolled at UNC institutions

- **GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL**
  - 3,347 students from county enrolled at UNC education-only programs

- **MORE THAN 110,000 STUDENTS** are enrolled in UNC Online courses throughout North Carolina

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**RESIDENTS IN YOUR COUNTY**

- **UNC Employees** 2,647
- **UNC Alumni** 101,472

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**COOPERATIVE IMPACT**

Cooperative Extension agents provide information that enhances agriculture, forest, and food systems, develops responsible youth, builds quality communities, and conserves and improves the environment and natural resources.

NC State and NC A&T amassed nearly 68,000 contacts, creating an economic impact of approximately $152,000 in the county.

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**CONSULTING SUCCESS**

The Small Business and Technology Development Center (SBTDC) provides management counseling and educational services to small and mid-sized businesses in North Carolina.

- SBTDC provided 431 businesses in Mecklenburg County with business management, finance, and marketing consulting.

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**HEALTHCARE UPDATE**

- North Carolina Area Health Education Centers (AHEC) provided continuing education and training for 28,746 health providers, facilitated 241 medical student rotations at area hospitals, and arranged for additional medical training for 243 health students in the county.
- A total of $1,972,507 in uncompensated medical care was provided to county residents.

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**SPIRIT OF COLLABORATION**

The UNC Charlotte School of Education partnered with local schools in the County to improve professional development for teachers, school administrators, counselors, and other educational professionals. The partnership was also designed to renew and improve school curriculum, conduct educational research that improves classroom practice, and share best practices.

The UNC-Chapel Hill School of Government made 6,132 contacts with Mecklenburg County citizens and officials through course participation, publication purchases, teaching sessions, advising projects, a North Carolina benchmarking project, a civic education consortium, and environmental finance advising projects.

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**LEFT:** Percentage of North Carolina public high school graduates from the county who applied and were accepted to at least one UNC institution.

**RIGHT:** Percentage of undergraduate students from the county using financial aid.
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State Senate Representative(s)
Jeff Jackson, Joel Ford, Dan Bishop, Joyce Waddell, Jeff Tarte

State House Representative(s)
Mary Belk, Chaz Beasley, John Bradford III, Rodney Moore, John Autry, Beverly Earle, Becky Carney, William Brawley, Andy Dulin, Scott Stone, Carla D Cunningham, Kelly Alexander

COUNTY UNDERGRADUATE/GRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY CAMPUS

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2016 UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES AWARDED BY AREA OF STUDY

- BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (27.0%)
- NATURAL SCIENCES (23.1%)
- HUMANITIES (20.6%)
- BUSINESS (17.9%)
- HEALTH PROFESSIONS (7.7%)
- EDUCATION (3.7%)

RESEARCH IN ACTION
Approximately $39,551,000 in research grants have been awarded to Mecklenburg County-based projects.
Thanks to this funding, Appalachian State, East Carolina, Elizabeth City State, Fayetteville State, NC Central, North Carolina A&T, NC State, UNC Asheville, UNC-Chapel Hill, UNC Charlotte, UNC General Administration, UNC Greensboro, UNC Wilmington, Western Carolina currently have research initiatives underway that affect county residents.

STATEWIDE SYSTEM FACTS
- $1.4 billion: Grants for Research and Sponsored Programs
- 1,037,966: Number of patients served by UNC physicians
- 164,862: Number of patients served by ECU physicians
- 88%: of UNC students are from North Carolina
- 30%: of undergraduate students are transfer students, with half arriving from community colleges
- 12%: of students attend college part-time
- 43%: of UNC students are over the age of 21

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