

BOB GRAHAM CENTER CIVIC SCHOLARS

SPRING 2022

Researching civic engagement, public opinion and public policy in Florida

Civic Scholars is a research opportunity open to all residential, undergraduate UF students.

The Civic Scholars program of the Bob Graham Center for Public Service offers UF undergraduates an opportunity to engage in a semester of entry-level research. Students will gain an introductory understanding of quantitative and qualitative research approaches. They will also learn about critical issues impacting the state of Florida.

The Spring 2022 Scholars will design a research approach around the topics of civic engagement, public opinion and public policy. They will generate a series of research reports to be disseminated on the Barometer Florida portal, a data visualization tool on the Bob Graham Center website that helps the public track progress on topical challenges facing our state.

For Spring 2022, participants should be prepared to enroll in a 3-credit course instructed by Graham Center affiliate faculty member Dr. Angela McCarthy. Upon completion of all program requirements, each student

will receive a \$500 stipend—along with an important undergraduate research experience.

If you receive need-based financial aid or student loans, check with the UF Office of Student Financial Affairs to determine the stipend's impact on your aid package. You will not receive a check; the stipend will be distributed directly through the financial affairs office.

Please apply only if you can fulfill the program's obligations, including attending class regularly. Class will be held from 3-5 pm on Tuesdays and 3-4 pm on Thursdays.

Info Session

Want to learn about what's involved in undergraduate research, and if the Civic Scholars program is a good fit for you? Join Mike Waylen and previous Civic Scholars at an in-person information session on Wednesday, Oct. 13 at 12:30 pm in the Pugh Hall Ocora. You can also attend the virtual option by scanning the provided QR code. The recording will be posted to the Bob Graham Center YouTube channel.



Register for
Virtual Session

Key Dates

Oct 13, 2021

In-Person Info Session
Pugh Hall Ocora, 12:30 PM
(Virtual Link Available)

Nov 1, 2021

Application Deadline
Apply at
bobgrahamcenter.ufl.edu

Nov 8, 2021

Scholars Announced
Notifications made to
applicants

Jan 5, 2022

Class Begins

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