

The **Elon** Experiences

2024-25 ANNUAL REPORT



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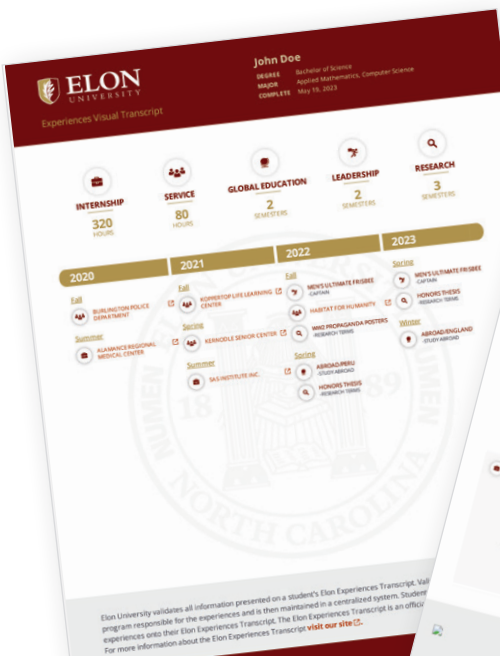
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What is Experiential Learning & the Elon Experiences Transcript?



Elon students apply what they are learning by putting ideas into action through firsthand experiences. They are engaged learners who work alone, with peers and alongside faculty and staff mentors to solve problems and master difficult material.

The Elon Experiences Transcript, administered by the Office of the Vice President for Student Life, enables students to present a university-validated record of their participation in the five Elon Experiences. These include meaningful experiences across the student experience, both inside and outside of the classroom. The Elon Experiences Transcript is available to students through OnTrack and serves as a catalyst to incorporate out-of-class experiences with academic, career and personal development goals.



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How can the transcript be used?

Faculty and Staff

Faculty and staff can use the transcript to help students map their Elon Experiences throughout their college career, reflect on their experiences, and make connections in and outside the classroom.

First-year Students

First-year Students describe the Elon Experiences and how the transcript will serve as a record of students' activities during their tenure at Elon. Help identify ways students can be meaningfully engaged outside of the classroom.

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Sophomores and Juniors

Review what students have done since arriving at Elon. Look for patterns that can lead to majors, internships and career paths. Encourage students to find ways to take part in any potential new experiences.

Seniors

Help students articulate the value of their experiences as they prepare for launch from Elon, including both job and graduate school interviews. Students can also request official copies of their Elon Experiences Transcript to include with applications for jobs and graduate schools.

2024-25 PARTICIPATION BY THE NUMBERS

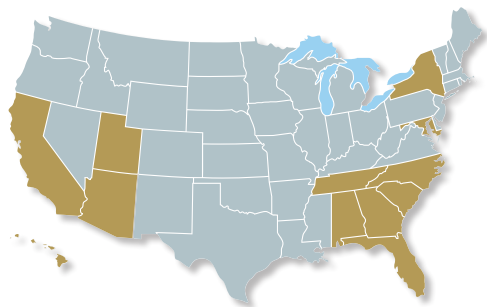
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|--------------------------|---|--------|
| Global Engagement | # of Study Abroad Students | 1,626 |
| | # of Study USA Students | 411 |
| Internships | # of student interns | 900 |
| Leadership | # of organizations and programs | 264 |
| | # of students holding positional leadership roles | 2,147 |
| Research | # of students involved in projects | 641 |
| Service | # of service hours | 85,998 |

CLASS OF 2025

Participation in the Elon Experiences by graduating seniors at any point in their undergraduate experience

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| Global Engagement | Global Engagement (Any form: Study Abroad, Study USA or Travel Embedded Courses) | 78% |
| | Study Abroad | 69% |
| | Study USA | 11% |
| Internships | Internship(s) for Credit | 83% |
| | Self-Reported Internships (Source: Graduation Survey) | 90% |
| Leadership | At Least One Leadership Role | 55% |
| Research | Mentored Research | 26% |
| Service | Service Participant | 81% |

Elon's
study abroad
program has
consistently been
top ranked in
the nation.





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Global Engagement

The Isabella Cannon Global Education Center is home to Elon's nationally recognized study abroad and Study USA programs, consistently ranked among the top doctoral institutions for global engagement. Elon empowers students to explore the world through experiences rooted in mentorship and experiential learning, advancing their personal, professional and academic journeys. Here's where they studied abroad last year:



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| Argentina | Italy |
| Australia | Japan |
| Barbados | Jordan |
| Brazil | Kenya |
| Cambodia | Malaysia |
| China | Mauritius |
| Costa Rica | Morocco |
| Croatia | Netherlands |
| Cuba | New Zealand |
| Cyprus | Panama |
| Czech Republic | Peru |
| Denmark | Poland |
| Dominican Republic | Portugal |
| England | Singapore |
| France | South Africa |
| Germany | South Korea |
| Ghana | Spain |
| Greece | Sri Lanka |
| India | Sweden |
| Ireland | |

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| Study Abroad Experiences | 1,626 |
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| Study USA Experiences | 411 |
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| Total Global Experiences | 2,037 |
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Service

The Kernodle Center for Civic Life connects students with service opportunities to engage in the community beyond Elon. Each year, students demonstrate Elon's strong commitment to service through their work in the local community and across the globe. In the 2024-2025 academic year, 67 academic courses were linked to service.

Service Areas

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| Community-Based Learning Hours | 40,184 |
| Community-Based Learning Students | 1,178 |
| Students completing more than 20 hours of service | 1,145 |
| Total Service Hours | 85,998 |
| Total Volunteers | 3,311 |



Leadership

The Office of Student Involvement collaborates with a broad range of student organizations and validates primary leadership positions for the Elon Experiences Transcript.

| Type of Organization | Number of Organizations |
|---|-------------------------|
| Academic & Professional | 54 |
| Club Sports | 28 |
| Competition | 2 |
| Cultural | 18 |
| Fraternities & Sororities | 30 |
| Honorary | 27 |
| Media | 6 |
| Performance | 19 |
| Political | 5 |
| Programming | 27 |
| Service & Advocacy | 8 |
| Spirituality | 14 |
| University Programs | 26 |
| Total Organizations | 264 |
| New Organizations | 11 |
| Total Number of Students in Leadership Positions | 2,147 |



Internships

The Elon Student Professional Development Center connects students with internship opportunities. University data has found that students who prepare for professional roles through these experiences are more likely to be hired upon graduation. In 2024-2025, a total of 900 students completed validated internships in 41 states and 24 countries.

Examples of Internships

Amazon
 Atlantic Coast Conference
 Baystate Financial
 Boston Red Sox
 Deloitte
 Edelman
 Estee Lauder
 EY
 FactSet
 Federal Reserve Bank
 Fidelity
 Fox Sports
 Hilton Hotels
 JPMorgan Chase & Co
 KPMG



Labcorp
 L'Oreal
 Miami Heat
 Northrop Grumman
 PwC
 Pittsburg Steelers
 Verizon



Undergraduate Research

Students work collaboratively with faculty mentors on research projects and presentations. These research experiences prepare students for graduate/professional school and employment opportunities. In 2024-2025, 641 students enrolled in mentored research through an academic department.

| Program | Number of Projects/Presentations |
|--|----------------------------------|
| National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) | 42 |
| Professional Travel for Students | 78 |
| Research Grants-In-Aid | 50 |
| Endowed Grants | 31 |
| Spring Undergraduate Research Forum | 321 |
| Summer Undergraduate Research Experience | 48 |





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