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JACKSONVILLE UNIVERSITY

Parents & Families



Get PHINvolved

Your student may have left the nest, but you are now a part of our pod! If you're interested in getting more plugged into your Dolphin Family, please [fill out this form and find ways you can get PHINvolved now!](#) From speaking to fellow families and prospective families in your hometown, to being a social media ambassador, to connecting your employer with our Career Resource Center - there are a multitude of ways to get PHINvolved whether you are near or far from your student's college home.

Jacksonville University's Top 10 Engagement Moments of 2019

As we enter the new year, we're reflecting on some of the best moments of 2019.

Highest - Best Attended - Biggest

Those are just a few of the terms that describe some of the most memorable and important moments for Jacksonville families and alumni over the past year.

[Check out our top 10 moments of 2019.](#)

Orientation Leader Applications

If your student is looking for a way to get immersed in Dolphin spirit this summer, encourage them to apply to be an Orientation Leader. They will be the face of Jacksonville University, making sure our new students and families feel welcome! Information sessions are being hosted all month long and applications are due by January 31 through Handshake. For more information, your students can email newtoju@ju.edu or stop by the Student Solutions Center on the 2nd Floor of the Davis Student Commons.

Student Counseling Center Relocates on Campus

The Student Counseling Center (SCC) has moved to the new Healthcare Sciences Complex on the north end of campus. The SCC looks forward to growing in collaboration with the other healthcare resources and degree programs on campus. This relocation will provide more holistic, integrative, and quality mental health services to the students at JU. More information can be found on our website at www.ju.edu/counseling.

Career Resource Center (CRC) Presents Perfect Match Week

Students have an opportunity to make perfect career matches with employers and graduate schools from around the country during Perfect Match Week 2020, February 11-13. This three-day career event includes opportunities for students to explore jobs and internships within their field of study, as well as graduate school opportunities. More information is available on Handshake.

Please encourage your students to participate and to schedule an appointment to prepare with the CRC today! Students can make appointments by phone at (904) 256-7054, via email (careers@ju.edu), or in-person at the Career Resource Center located in [Howard Administration Building](#).



Your Student Could Study in Europe This Summer

Immerse your student in a global experience for a summer, semester, or academic year abroad at our partner institution in Italy, [the Sant'Anna Institute in](#)

Contact the Office of Parent and Family Engagement

Phone: (904) 256-7599

Email: family@ju.edu

Connect

[Learn more about the President's Parents Council.](#)

[Fill out the Parent Information Form](#) to ensure your contact information is up-to-date and stay on top of all things JU!



2020 Dates to Remember

March 6-7: [JU Waterfront Celebration](#)

March 9-13: Spring Break; no scheduled classes

April 13-17: Dolphin Dash - JU's Annual Giving Challenge

April 16: Global Toast: If you're interested in having [a toast location in your city](#), please contact us at family@ju.edu.

April 17: Charter Day of Service; no scheduled classes

April 23: Commencement Ceremony for Graduate & Doctoral Degrees

April 24: Senior Stroll: *Sponsored by the Office of Alumni Engagement and [GOLD Phin Society](#).*

April 25: Commencement Ceremony for Bachelor's Degrees

[Dolphin Travel Program 2020](#)

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President's Corner

Happy new year and welcome back to campus. I hope your holiday break was rejuvenating, as we now dive into a busy spring semester.

While we have many exciting things to look

[Sorrento](#), located along the Amalfi Coast or in Spain at the [Barcelona School for International Studies](#). JU credit and a wide variety of programs are available for many undergraduate and graduate majors.

Faculty-Led study abroad programs give students the opportunity to travel abroad with a group of classmates and professors while earning JU credit. The deadline for the following programs is approaching fast on February 1, 2020:

- [Study in Beijing Dance Majors](#)
- [Study in the Bahamas Marine Science Majors](#)
- [Study in Rome Art and Humanities Majors](#)
- [Study in Scotland International Marketing and Organizational Behavior Majors](#)

[Learn more about the Jacksonville University Study Abroad & Away programs online](#) or contact abroad@ju.edu or (904) 256-7295.

forward to this year, we begin 2020 with some sad news of a life so well lived. The great Bob Shircliff, former chairman of our Board of Trustees, long-time JU board member, and the ultimate close friend of our University, passed away peacefully in his sleep.

Bob was the rarest of global business executives, true philanthropists and visionary community stewards. His warm association with our university spanned nearly 50 years.

[Read the full message from the president.](#)

Dining Services

Spring semester meal plans have begun and with the [All Access Plans](#) (platinum, gold, and silver) two swipes per month are available at the [River House Pub](#) (excludes alcohol). There is no additional cost for these swipes!

Food Truck Rallies will begin this month for the Spring semester at the new Healthcare Sciences Complex on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - follow Dining Services [@JUDining](#) on Instagram for more upcoming dates and promotions. FLEX will be accepted at the food trucks during these events!

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