



Sophomore Newsletter

August 2016

Welcome to sophomore year and the year of opportunity! This defining year may take you in unexpected directions and help you discover new mentors, research areas, and intellectual passions or may help to strengthen existing ones. There are a plethora of resources at UNH to help explore your interests and meet your goals but it is up to you to take advantage of these opportunities. Sophomore year is about discovery and finding the right academic path that fits your needs and ambition for the future. We, your academic advisors, hope you are as excited to begin this journey as we are excited to help guide you through it.

Important Fall Semester Dates

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

August:

29: First day of classes

September:

6: WEBCAT registration ends at 4:30pm

9: Last day to add classes

9: Study Abroad Meeting - 2pm PAUL 175

17: Sophomore Conference

30: Last day to drop classes

OCTOBER

14: Mid-Semester

NOVEMBER

11: Veteran's Day - UNH Closed

22: Classes follow a Friday schedule

23: No classes

24-25: Thanksgiving Break

DECEMBER

9: Last day of classes

12: Reading day

17: Final exams end



Academic Advisors

A main difference between freshman and sophomore year advising is that you no longer have a peer advisor to meet with regularly during the academic year. You will work with professional advisors who can assist you with choosing a major, future semester planning, study abroad and much more. Please note that you are not assigned an advisor and can schedule an appointment with any advisor in the office. Your advisors are:

Shane Baker

Academic Counselor

Ashley Vogl

Academic Counselor

Tamara Rury

*Director of
Undergraduate Advising*

Ashley Lapp

Academic Counselor

Lisa Pappajohn

Academic Counselor

Sean Stewart

*FIRE Program
Coordinator*



**University of
New Hampshire**

**Peter T. Paul College
of Business and Economics**

The Choice Is Yours

Sophomore year is an exciting time in Paul College for students! Now that you've taken a few foundation courses you will be required to declare an option or major from the following disciplines: (For more department information, please visit our [website](#)).

Business Administration

Accounting

Option Coordinator: May Bao
(may.bao@unh.edu)

Entrepreneurial Studies

Option Coordinator: Laura Hill
(laura.hill@unh.edu)

Finance

Department Chair: Steve Ciccone
(stephen.ciccone@unh.edu)

International Business and Economics

Option Coordinator: Bruce Elmslie
(bruce.elmslie@unh.edu)

Information Systems & Business Analytics

Option Coordinator: Khole Gwebu
(khole.gwebu@unh.edu)

Management

Department Chair: Tuck Pescosolido
(tuck.pescosolido@unh.edu)

Marketing

Department Chair: Tom Gruen
(tom.gruen@unh.edu)

Student Designed

Option Coordinator: Carole Barnett
(carole.barnett@unh.edu)

Economics

Sophomore year provides flexibility for some Economics students to consider picking up a minor. If interested, you should start researching minors and contact the specific department for course requirements.

Attention BA students: Don't forget that you have a choice to add an option to your program. You may choose from Global Trade & Finance, Public Policy & Sustainability, or Money & Financial Markets.

Hospitality Management

In order to assist you with completing your 800 hour practicum requirement, the Hospitality Department has revised a manual outlining the guidelines of the program. You can find a copy of the manual found on the [Paul College website](#). If you have any questions about the requirement, please contact Donna Stickney at donna.stickney@unh.edu.

Undergraduate Programs & Advising Office

CONTACT INFORMATION

Hours:

Monday - Friday
8:00am - 4:30pm

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Paul College - Suite 101

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Academic Resources

This year you will be challenged academically as you get deeper into studying business concepts and applications. If you find yourself struggling in your courses, do not wait until the last minute to seek assistance. In addition to Paul College advisors, faculty members, and help sessions led by Teaching Assistants, other on-campus resources are in place to help you succeed. They include:

Center for Academic Resources
Smith Hall
Room 201
603-892-3698
cfar.sss@unh.edu

Writing Center
Dimond Library
Room 329
603-862-3272
writing.center@unh.edu

Math Center
Christensen Hall
Room G33
603-862-3576