ACADEMIC & RESEARCH EXCELLENCE

- A comprehensive top-tier research institution
- Opportunities for self-directed curriculum
- A broad range of study-abroad programs
- A hub for immersive research in a collaborative setting

SUPERIOR STUDENT EXPERIENCE

- Abundant opportunities for experiential learning and service
- Unmatched student affairs support
- A rich tradition of Southern charm and civility

ECONOMIC & SOCIAL IMPACT

- Partnerships with leading companies who invest in the university’s talent and expertise
- Cross-disciplinary collaborations to solve societal challenges
- Collaboration between the university community and state leaders

Create innovative models of learning and research that uphold the highest standards

United by a welcoming and intellectually stimulating student experience

Driving entrepreneurship and visionary leadership in a thriving capital city, surrounded by opportunity

ATTRIBUTES (what we offer)

UofSC IS...

home for individuals who challenge themselves and each other to go beyond what is expected

collectively, we are a force multiplier in advancing the world

BENEFITS (why it matters)

Develop critical thinkers who create knowledge to drive innovation and positive change

Lifelong family bound by a fierce loyalty to those who came before and those to follow

Economic and social engine for our city, state and beyond

PERSONAL PURPOSE

- Expansive individual growth and development
- The confidence and motivation to be a self-directed contributor
- Mastery of creative thought and expression

COMMUNAL PURPOSE

- Ethical and determined leadership
- Dedication to service before self
- Inclusion in a global alumni network
- Enthusiastic pride as a Gamecock in the spirited SEC

SOCIETAL PURPOSE

- Enriching the quality of life in our state
- Advancing social, cultural and political understanding
- The perspective to adapt to changing circumstances
- A commitment to social equity and civil discourse