



## Global Take Off: Puerto Rico 2019

### SUMMARY

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### DESCRIPTION

**Application Deadline: July 28, 2019 at 11:59 p.m. EDT**

The Center for Global Initiatives is committed to the Global Take Off: Puerto Rico program, which provides funding for students to participate in an interactive, five-day experience to Puerto Rico over Winter Break in December 2019 or January 2020.

Components of this program include:

- Fully funded trip to Puerto Rico to participate in an interactive educational experience, including discussions with Puerto Rican students and community members and tours of local sites and community organizations
- Collaborative learning with both UNC and University of Puerto Rico faculty and staff
- Career and personal development and networking opportunities

Please review the [full applicant profile, the opportunity description, and the evaluation of applicants on our website \(http://cgi.unc.edu/awards/takeoff\)](http://cgi.unc.edu/awards/takeoff) prior to beginning your

application.

**Note for Incoming UNC Students:** This application will ask for UNC PID and Onyen. If you do not know your PID, you can look it up [here](#) (<http://fa.unc.edu/enterprises/pid/>). If you have not yet created your Onyen or forgot it, you may create one or look it up [here](https://improv.itsapps.unc.edu/) (<https://improv.itsapps.unc.edu/>).

**Note for Fayetteville State University Students:** You will not have a PID or Onyen. The application form includes instructions on what to enter in the required fields.



## Apply for Global Take Off: Puerto Rico 2019

Please fill out the form below and click Submit to submit your application for consideration. You may save your data and return later to complete your application. Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

By submitting an application in this system, you are consenting for your educational information to be transmitted and stored by ApplicantStack, a third-party organization not affiliated with the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

If you have previously applied for an opportunity with the Center, some questions may be pre-populated with your previous responses; please ensure you edit all applicable fields.

**Due to security settings, after 30 minutes, you may be logged out of the system and lose any data entered. Please click the "Save & Finish Later" button periodically to ensure there is no data loss. We recommend you compose longer essay style questions offline and copy and paste your responses into the form.**

[SAVE & FINISH LATER](#)

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

\* First Name:

\* Last Name:

\* Permanent Home Address:

Address Line 2:

\* City:

\* State:

\* Zip:

If NC, enter county:

\* Country:

\* Phone:

\* UNC Email:

*If you are not affiliated with UNC, you may enter your personal email.*

\* Permanent Email:

*Please enter an alternate, non-UNC email address.*

UNC Campus Box:

\* UNC PID:

*Enter your UNC PID without hyphens or spaces. If you are not affiliated with UNC, please enter a "0" in the field.*

\* UNC Onyen:

*If you are not affiliated with UNC, please enter "n/a."*

\* Affiliation:

Department:

*If you are a student, please select the department of your primary major.*

\* Major/Field of Study:

Second Major/Field of Study:

# GLOBAL TAKE OFF: PUERTO RICO APPLICATION 2019

Please complete the questions below. We recommend you write them in Word, then copy and paste them.

If you have questions at any time during the application process, please feel free to contact Brandy Arellano at: [brandy\\_arellano@unc.edu](mailto:brandy_arellano@unc.edu) ([mailto:brandy\\_arellano@unc.edu](mailto:brandy_arellano@unc.edu)).

## SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

**\* What interests you about traveling outside of the U.S.?**

Limit your response to a maximum of 350 words

**\* What would you hope to gain from the Global Take Off: Puerto Rico trip?**

Limit your response to a maximum of 350 words

**\* Global Take Off: Puerto Rico will serve as an introduction to Puerto Rico, including the people, culture, politics, and community development. What about this experience sparks your interest? What sorts of things would you like to see, do, or try?**

Limit your response to a maximum of 350 words

**\* Because we seek a diverse group, what personal experience, perspective or background would you bring to the program?**

Limit your response to a maximum of 350 words

Is there anything else you would like the review committee to know about you? Provide any other information you think is important to your application here.

Limit your response to a maximum of 350 words. *Hint: Read through the [Evaluation of Applicant \(https://cgi.unc.edu/funding-opp/takeoff/\)](https://cgi.unc.edu/funding-opp/takeoff/) rubric on our website and ensure each question has been answered within your application.*

## MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

**\* Are you a varsity student athlete?**

A varsity student athlete does not include students who play an intramural or club sport.

- Yes
- No

**If so, which sport do you play?**

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**\* Did you transfer to UNC or FSU?**

- Yes
- No

**If so, what is the name of the school from which you transferred?**

**\* When is your anticipated graduation date?**

Please input the month and year of your anticipated graduation date.

**\* Confirm Your Student Status**

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**Financial Need Determination**

Financial need is a factor considered in the selection process. You must demonstrate financial need in one of the following three ways. Please select the most appropriate options and provide supporting documentation, if applicable. By answering this question, you are allowing us to verify your financial aid status with the Office of Scholarships and Student Aid.

I have filed a FAFSA and qualify for need-based financial aid at UNC or FSU

I am an international student with financial need

Complete and upload the [International Student Financial Aid worksheet \(https://cgi.unc.edu/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/2018-19-ISFAA-Undergrad.pdf\)](https://cgi.unc.edu/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/2018-19-ISFAA-Undergrad.pdf).

I do not qualify for need-based aid, nor am I an international student

Write and upload a brief (no more than one page) statement about your financial need and why this funding is required in order for you to complete a global opportunity.

 No file chosen

\* Are you a designated Carolina Covenant student?

\* Past Travel

Priority is given to candidates with limited or no past global travel experience (including international students or students born abroad who have limited or no travel experience outside of the U.S. or their country of origin). Please indicate the total time, in days, you have spent outside of the United States or your country of origin:

 days

Please provide details for all time spent outside of the U.S. or your country of origin. If none, please leave blank. If you are unsure of the specific dates, please provide your best estimate.

| Dates                | Description of Travel | Location(s)          |
|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| ex: 02/2010-04/2010  | Family Vacation       | Mexico City, Mexico  |
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If you have additional experience that does not fit above, or wish to provide comments or further information about your past experience, please enter it here:

## REFERENCE

No letter of recommendation is required, but we ask that you provide the name, contact information for one individual who knows you well. The review committee may call them if they have further questions about your application. This person may be a mentor, high school teacher or counselor who knows you well.

\* Reference Name

\* Reference Email

\* Reference Phone

\* For how long and in what way  
have you known the  
reference?

By signing below, the applicant hereby grants the Center for Global Initiatives permission to use the applicant's name and image in all media including photography, biography, and excerpts of this application in connection with public relations and publicity about the program including information listed in CGI newsletters, news releases, brochures, and on its website. Note: It is not mandatory for an applicant to sign this release as criteria for consideration for this award.

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By signing below, the applicant hereby agrees to conform to the codes of conduct, both within and outside of the classroom environment, as stipulated in The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Honor Code, and as detailed in the Instrument of Student Judicial Governance. Additionally, the applicant hereby attests that all information provided is true and accurate to the best of the applicant's ability.

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