



# 2021-2022 Undergraduate Student Handbook

## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

There are over 100 organizations and clubs on Meredith's campus offering a variety of opportunities for participation and leadership, and addressing most students' interests, e.g., academics, politics, honors, service, religion and professions. In order to be a member of a Meredith College student organization and to hold office, a student must currently be enrolled in at least one credit hour at Meredith College. Constitutions of all organizations are maintained by SGA Senate in the Office of Student Leadership and Service. Full privileges of an official Meredith student organization include an organizational account, access to reserving space on campus, access to apply to SAF, a presence on college publicity materials, eligibility for awards, an email account, a roster list, participation in the activities fairs, and access to all services related to publicity on campus. Student organizations must register in the fall semester each year. Students who are interested in starting a new organization at Meredith should speak to the SGA Senate chair or visit the Office of Student Leadership and Service to obtain a copy of the Guidelines and Procedures for Establishing New Organizations at Meredith. New organizations will only be considered in the fall semester.

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## **Student Government Association**

As early as 1905, Meredith took an important step forward when it introduced student government, apparently the first college in the state to do so, and one of the first in the South (Mary Lynch Johnson, *A History of Meredith College*). Since that time Meredith students have held an integral role in the shaping of the policies, philosophy, and tradition of the college.

Executive, legislative, and judicial branches comprise the basic structure of the current Student Government Association, with numerous boards and committees completing the structure.

The purpose of the association shall be to promote, in cooperation with the administration, the general welfare of the student body; to promote by example and precept scholarship, citizenship, and integrity; to act as a liaison with students, alumnae, faculty, staff, administrators, and trustees; to serve as the official advocate of the students; to receive and investigate student grievances; and to encourage students to become active participants in self-governance. See the Constitution of the Student Government Association and By-Laws for detailed information.

All Meredith undergraduate students are members of the Student Government Association and are encouraged to become involved in all its functions. Student involvement is crucial to the effective governance of the campus and vital to the educational process of each student. Each student has a voice in this government through participation in the election of officers, interaction with their class representatives on each branch of the government, self-involvement in the various branches, and an open-communication policy with student government officers. Opportunities for student leadership and involvement are open to all students through campus elections and membership on numerous boards and committees.

The elections schedule is available through the Office of Student Leadership and Service, and detailed information about positions and elections is included in the Constitution of the Student Government Association and By-Laws.

The SGA office is located on the second floor of the Cate Center; the email address is: [sga@email.meredith.edu](mailto:sga@email.meredith.edu).

### **Executive Board**

Serves as the coordinating body of all branches of the Student Government Association and is made up of the president, vice president, treasurer/student activities fee committee chair, secretary, freshman member-at-large, adviser, and the chairs/presidents of the Senate, Student Life Committee, Elections Board, Association of Meredith Commuters, Honor Council, Residents Housing Association, WINGS, and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee. President: Sarah Powell

### **Association of Meredith Commuters**

Serves as a liaison between commuter students and the on-campus community. Provides an opportunity to address commuter concerns needed during association meetings. Several organizations have commuter

representatives to address concerns and serve as advocates for commuter students. Informs commuter students of campus-wide functions and builds the commuter student community through programmed activities and services. All commuter students are members and are encouraged to attend meetings and events and participate in activities. President: Bryanna Garcia

### **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee**

Ensures that diversity, equity, and inclusion are priorities for the Meredith student body. Chair: TBA

### **Elections Board**

Elections Board advertises, organizes, and facilitates class and campus wide elections in both the fall and spring. The board is comprised of elected representatives from each class, AMC, and WINGS. Chair: Sophia Bogan

### **Honor Council**

Serves as the head of the judicial body of student government. Fosters and protects the community environment, both socially and academically, and promotes personal integrity and responsibility in each student. The Review Board and Residence Hearings Committee are also branches of the Honor System. Chair: Jenna Kling

### **Residents Housing Association**

Provides the opportunity for resident students to discuss problems, policies, and procedures. The Residents Housing Association is composed of an executive committee, members and all residents living in an on campus residence hall. Residence directors attend as resource persons and serve as advisers to each residence hall president. The executive committee consists of the chair of the association, the vice-chair, the secretary, the treasurer, and the other appointed officers. RHA assists the residence life staff in the creation of a positive living experience and environment for all resident students through governance, programming, and community development. Chair: Regan Andersen

### **Senate**

Recommends changes in the SGA constitution and in the regulations of the Student Government Association, reviews and approves present and proposed organizational constitutions, and approves or rejects legislation/regulation changes to some policies governing students. Chair: Sarah Jennings

### **Student Activities Fee Committee**

Oversees the Student Activities Fee fund to the inclusiveness and benefit of the Meredith community. Chair: Poe Khaing

### **Student Life Committee**

Studies the concerns and well-being of the Meredith College community. Any student may bring a campus concern to the Student Life Committee. Chair: Reagan Doucette

## **WINGS**

Represents adult students seeking an undergraduate degree at Meredith College. They may be commuters or they may live on campus. The greatest populations of nontraditional students are 23 years old and greater but non-traditional students also may include younger women who are married or have children. The organization's purpose is to provide information, fellowship, support and leadership opportunities for all non-traditional students as well as to serve as a liaison between non-traditional students and the campus community. President: Tylene Brown

## **Publications**

Meredith College students publish *The Meredith Herald*, a weekly newspaper; *The Colton Review*, an annual arts and literary journal; and the *Oak Leaves*, an annual yearbook. Student editors and their staffs, supported by college funding and guidance of faculty advisers, take full responsibility for editing and producing these publications. The *Meredith Herald* and *Oak Leaves* supplement their budgets with the proceeds of other approved fundraising activities. The staff of each publication is further guided by a constitution approved by the Student Government Association (SGA) Senate.

Student publications operate with full editorial independence, free from prior approval of copy. Their endeavors, however, take place within the context of the Meredith community and with an awareness of the college's mission. Editorial staffs maintain professional standards of journalistic integrity, social responsibility and ethics. They obey copyright laws. The College itself assumes no responsibility for the content of student publications.

### **The Colton Review (A Journal of Art and Literature)**

*The Colton Review* is the student literary magazine and includes poetry, prose, and art. Published once yearly and distributed free of charge, *The Colton Review* accepts literature and art submissions from students, faculty, and staff. Work is juried and only the strongest entries are published. Co-Editors: Krista Wiese and Olivia Slack

### **The Meredith Herald**

*The Meredith Herald*, the student newspaper, is both a vehicle for keeping the community informed and a permanent record of events that take place at Meredith. Members of the Meredith community can contribute to *The Herald* by becoming a member of the staff, writing letters to the editor, submitting editorials or becoming a cartoonist, photographer or graphic designer. As readers and as contributors, all members of the Meredith community have the ability to contribute to the success of the paper. Co-Editors: Olivia Slack and Elinor Shelp-Peck

### **Oak Leaves**

The college yearbook, *Oak Leaves*, strives to capture the best memories of each year at Meredith. *Oak Leaves* shows the college campus, the academic departments and faculty, the administrative staff, the classes and their special events, the campus organizations, and the athletic and social programs offered each year. Yearbooks of the previous year are provided during the fall semester of each academic year to all full-time students. Students who are not full-time both semesters may pay for a yearbook. Seniors are

responsible for having yearbooks mailed to them the fall semester following graduation or for picking them up at the College before the fall semester ends. Photographers are scheduled by the yearbook staff to photograph students, but it is the student's responsibility to make an appointment, have the appropriate photograph made, and provide any additional information needed. Editor: Destiny Eudy

## **Event Planning Associations**

**Meredith College recognizes the positive impact of social engagement and participation in campus activities. Meredith College will strive to provide students with opportunities to engage in campus events outside the classroom while mitigating the spread of COVID-19. Given the fluid nature of COVID-19, event plans may need to be adjusted as conditions change to support the health and safety of the campus community.**

### **Meredith Activities Board**

The purpose of MAB (Meredith Activities Board) is to encourage active participation by the students of Meredith College through providing a variety of social and entertainment events. These events will promote unity, community, and fellowship on campus. Events include, but are not limited to the following: Sizzlin' September, Comedy Night, Fall Fest, White Iris Ball and more. President: Alexandria Rosenzweig

### **Meredith Recreation Association**

Provides co-curricular recreation activities for the entire college community. These activities include Cornhuskin', Stunt, and Little Friends Weekend. Persons interested in MRA are encouraged to contact an MRA officer, attend an MRA meeting, or email [mra@email.meredith.edu](mailto:mra@email.meredith.edu). Every student who attends an MRA meeting is a member of the Meredith Recreation Association. President: Aleecyana Mills

## **Cultural Organizations**

### **Angeles Latinas**

Angeles Latinas serves a dual role at Meredith College addressing the concerns of self-identified Latinas, thus resulting in the education of our culture on Meredith College's campus as ethnic minorities. Members will include students who self-identify as Latinas and others who are interested in learning about or support the Latino culture and community. Angeles Latinas will promote sisterhood among self-identified Latinas at Meredith College through academic support, building of identity, and community involvement. Angeles Latinas hopes to serve as an educational environment, developing understanding in our community by promoting campus dialogue through discussions, cultural events, lectures, and recreational activities. President: TBA

### **Arab Culture Club**

This club helps foster an appreciation for the Arabic language and Arab culture among students from all backgrounds, Arabs and non-Arabs. Along with cultural awareness and education, Arab Club offers a platform to bring awareness to conflicts within the Middle East, and to help spread understanding and tolerance at Meredith. The Arab club welcomes all to learn and experience the many traditions, cultural dishes, dances, and songs that are found across the Arab countries. President: TBA

### **Asian Studies Club**

This organization serves as a resource for those interested in learning about the Asian culture. There will be opportunities to network with students who have similar interests as well as participate in events on campus that surround Asian culture. President: TBA

### **Association of Latino Professionals for America (ALPFA)**

ALPFA will create and promote opportunities for ALPFA student members through events, programs, and services. It will help in their professional development and leadership for future job opportunities. President: TBA

### **Black Student Union**

Black Student Union supports and empowers strong Black (Black Africans, and other Afro cultures) women and unifies and promotes positive perceptions of Black cultures. The Black Student Union promotes awareness of Black cultures on Meredith's campus through assisting in the planning and organizing of events and programs geared towards the interests of Black students. The Black Student Union also seeks to encourage interaction with diverse student organizations at Meredith College and surrounding campuses in order to promote diversity and acknowledge and celebrate the cultural diversity found within the Meredith College community. President: Chorro Jobe

### ***La Tertulia* Spanish Club**

This club promotes interest, on and off campus, of the Spanish language and cultures by presenting informative programs and cultural activities involving the Hispanic communities abroad and here in the USA. President: TBA

### ***Le Cercle* Francais French Club**

*Le Cercle* fosters interest in and a better understanding of the French language and culture. President: TBA

### **Meredith International Association**

MIA shares knowledge and understanding of the different cultures in the Meredith community, and serves as a support group for international students in the Meredith community. The organization promotes interest in other cultures, as well as explores cultural values and social and political issues through interaction with other students, faculty, administration, and community groups. To facilitate this purpose, the members of the association sponsor MIA Week activities each year. President: Maryan Aden

### **Native American Student Association**

The Native American Student Association raises awareness about Native Americans through cultural engagement, recognition of the eight tribes of North Carolina, and implementing traditions. Native American speakers, potters, and other significant figures will visit Meredith to enhance NASA'S purpose. Our association will not discriminate against members who are not Native American and we highly recommend that non-Native Americans join as well. President: TBA

### **Tavola Italiana Italian Club**

Tavola Italiana is a club for students who have an interest in Italian culture, language, and food. This group welcomes all to join for further discovery and celebration of all things Italian. President: Madison Weiss

### **Religious Organizations**

Many opportunities for worship, conversation, “hands-on” ministry, lectures, retreats, conferences, and more are available to the Meredith community. The Meredith Christian Association welcomes students of all faiths and denominations. An Interfaith Council, under the administrative supervision of the chaplain, guides and coordinates all religious organizations granted permission to form a campus organization. Students interested in forming a campus religious organization or club must submit the appropriate documents to the SGA Senate for consideration for approval.

### **Cru**

Communicates the truth of Jesus Christ and the gospel in a sensitive, relevant manner to students on campus. Provides opportunities for students to grow and be equipped for a lifetime of Christian service through Bible studies, conferences, retreats, socials, and community events. Provides multiple opportunities to be involved in mission work locally, interculturally, and internationally. Encourages an atmosphere of prayer for students and faculty. President: Barbara Barrier

### **Every Nation Campus Ministries**

A diverse and multicultural group of Christian students, staff, and associate members, ENCM is committed to sharing the good news of life in Jesus Christ, helping people in their relationship with God, and providing students with training for victorious Christian living, leadership, and excellence. We strive to make a positive impact on the Meredith campus by developing students, offering biblical solutions to contemporary problems, and serving every facet of the Meredith community and ultimately the world. We often partner with the ENCM chapter at NC State, are known for our after-after-parties, make deep friendships, and are in passionate pursuit of God. President: TBA

### **Fellowship of Christian Athletes**

The purpose of FCA shall be to provide a campus ministry that is geared toward helping athletes, coaches, and those whom they influence to learn more about Jesus Christ and serving Him. Our vision is to see our campus and world impacted for Jesus Christ through the influence of coaches and athletes. President: TBA

### **InterVarsity Christian Fellowship**

IVCF is an interdenominational multi-ethnic campus ministry open to all students. This group offers a fellowship where its members unite to share their faith in Jesus and help one another grow as disciples and witnesses to God’s love and forgiveness. We offer student-led small groups where people are known, loved, and challenged on a personal level. Additionally, our weekly Community Night gatherings, social events, and other activities provide opportunities to develop life-long friendships and to grow spiritually. We care about the people and things that Jesus cares about, and our commitment to justice helps to connect us to our campus and community in meaningful ways. President: Mahali Frias Ponce

### **Lutheran Campus Ministry-Raleigh**

The purpose of this organization is to conduct, support and interpret Lutheran Ministry for Meredith College students. This ministry seeks to assist people in academic settings at Meredith College to discover and fulfill their vocation in Jesus Christ. President: TBA

### **Muslim Student Association**

MSA is a student-run organization, and membership is open to anyone who is interested in joining. The purpose of MSA is to serve the best interest of Islam and Muslims at Meredith College. MSA will promote friendship and understanding between Muslim students and the non-Muslim Meredith community, share knowledge and practices of Islam, serve as a support group for Muslim students in the community, and conduct social, cultural, educational and religious activities on behalf of and for its members and the Meredith community at large. President: TBA

### **Reformed University Fellowship**

Reformed University Fellowship (RUF) is a campus ministry of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA). RUF seeks to serve the individuals at Meredith College from Presbyterian backgrounds while also welcoming and serving any individual at Meredith College who would like to be a part of our community regardless of their faith background. RUF exists to serve the students of Meredith College and in the Raleigh area by equipping them to grow in their faith and their love for Jesus as well as equipping them to serve the specific campus of which they are a part. Large Group meetings are held on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at N.C. State University. Small group meetings are held in various locations on Meredith's campus throughout the week. All are welcome. President: MaKayla Phillips

### **SummitCollege**

The purpose of SummitCollege is to be a diverse group of Christian students, staff, and associate members who are committed to serving the Meredith College campus by helping people in their relationship with Jesus Christ and providing them with training for victorious Christian living, leadership and excellence; introducing its members to a local church family and other missions or ministry opportunities; making a positive impact on the Meredith College campus by developing students, equipped with biblical solutions to contemporary problems, to serve every facet of the Meredith College community and ultimately the world; sharing a knowledge of life in Christ Jesus with the Meredith College community; providing community service opportunities to serve the local community; serving as a support for Christian students who may be struggling or in need of support with living for Christ within a non-Christian environment and providing tutoring and mentorship to students to help them fulfill their purpose in life (i.e. academics/vocation, relationships, and spiritual walk). President: Emma Stoops



## Service Organizations

### Circle K

The purpose of the Meredith College chapter of Circle K International, in conjunction with other collegiate chapters of this organization, is to promote the emotional and physical well-being of families (placing special emphasis on children) through monetary donations, service projects, and individual volunteer work in the Raleigh area and wherever their services may be needed.

President: TBA

### Curamericas

The Curamericas club is a service-based public health organization. The club works in partnership with the nonprofit organization, Curamericas Global, which is based out of Raleigh, NC. The main goal of Curamericas Global is to provide healthcare services to mothers and children in impoverished communities around the world. The Meredith College club assists Curamericas Global with fundraising event planning, and other projects. They also have a separate goal as an organization to carry out local public health based service projects such as working with children's hospitals, volunteering with national organizations, and participating in networking and other local events. This organization is open to all people of all majors and is an effective way to gain service, fundraising, and nonprofit experience.

President: TBA

### Sisters United

Sisters United is an organization that promotes opportunities for the advancement of women worldwide. We work to raise awareness and combat issues such as human trafficking, domestic violence, and sexual assault through awareness events, trainings, and volunteering. President: TBA

## Classes

**Freshman Class President:** TBA

**Freshman Class Adviser:** TBA

**Sophomore Class President:** Kaelyn Coleman

**Sophomore Class Adviser:** Kaitlin Toxey

**Junior Class President:** Denise Bahena-Bustos

**Junior Class Advisers:** Erin Cleghorn, Whitney Glosson, Beth Hwang

**Senior Class President:** Casey Corpening

**Senior Class Adviser:** Heather Bower

Class officers coordinate traditional class events.

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## **Clubs**

### **American Chemical Society**

ACS is a professional association for chemists, chemical engineers, and professionals from other related fields. ACS is the largest scientific society in the world. Membership to the MCACS will give an opportunity for students of a chemical science to become better acquainted with chemistry, to secure the intellectual stimulation that arises from a professional association, to obtain experience in preparing and presenting technical material before chemical audiences, and to foster a professional spirit among the members. ACS activities include Science Fest, Chemistry Career Panel, National Chemistry Week Celebrations at Museum of Natural Sciences, etc. President: Malia Garber

### **American Choral Directors Association (ACDA)**

ACDA is the organization for prospective choral directors, potential music educators, and those interested in music here at Meredith. Nationally, it consists of professional choir directors that participate in the organization and help attend and set up ACDA conferences. At Meredith, the club works to foster a love for music. President: TBA

### **American Institute of Graphic Arts (AIGA)**

AIGA (American Institute of Graphic Arts) is the premier professional association for graphic design. This is the first place designers go to discover it, discuss it, understand it, appreciate it, and be inspired by it. The purpose of AIGA is to set the national agenda for the role of graphic design in all contexts while also providing students design experience with their fellow peers. Through the Meredith chapter we exchange creative ideas and information, participate in group collaboration and critical analysis, and work to advance research and education in design. We also partner with other local and national AIGA chapters, promoting greater understanding of design in practice. AIGA is the oldest and largest membership association for professionals of all backgrounds and experiences and is the first welcoming step to the wider world design. President: TBA

### **American Society of Interior Designers (ASID)**

The ASID Student Chapter at Meredith College is a national professional association for interior designers that helps to provide opportunities that promote professional development. Members are encouraged to participate in networking events with current students, alumnae, and professionals within the interior design industry. The chapter also allows members the opportunity to attend conferences as well as local and national chapter events. Membership is open to majors and minors in interior design. President: Ashley Merritt

### **Angels for Autism**

Angels for Autism will engage in service projects and fundraisers to benefit the Meredith Autism Program and enhance the services provided to families enrolled in the program. This club will work side by side with the Meredith Autism Program to promote campus and community awareness and support of the

program. This will include promoting the campus learning opportunities for students at Meredith interested in the field of Autism and behavior analysis. Angels for Autism will raise student and community awareness to increase knowledge of Autism and Autism related services. President: TBA

### **Angels for Disability Advocacy**

The purpose of Angels for Disability Advocacy is to inform students, faculty, and staff about disability while providing opportunities for disability advocacy both on and off campus. The organization also serves to create a positive campus dialogue surrounding disability. President: Laurelyn Ponder

### **Angels for the Environment**

Angels for the Environment (A4E) is Meredith College's primary environmental organization. They are a passionate group that cares about the environment and works to create positive differences within the Meredith Community as it pertains to environmentalism and sustainability. The mission of A4E is to increase awareness of environmental issues, engage Meredith students in sustainable projects, and provide opportunities for students to appreciate the earth. Throughout the year, A4E hosts meetings and events that focus on educating students about environmental issues. A4E engages its members through outdoor activities, service projects, and activism. For the wider campus community, A4E puts on events such as environmentally-themed game nights, plant sales, documentary screenings, and a stargazing night. Recently they have focused on raising awareness on intersectional environmentalism, where social and environmental justices meet. A4E is a sisterhood of passionate women who love the environment and work to make a difference. President: Madison Mathis

### **Artists' Alliance**

The purpose of the Artists' Alliance is to provide fellowship through a series of informative lectures, social activities, and community events that enhance the Meredith learning experience. President: TBA

### **Broyhill Business Fellows**

The purpose of Broyhill Business Fellows is to take a leadership role in the Business School by participating in activities that enhance skills, planning special functions, and projects throughout the year, and improving the communication between students and faculty of the School of Business. Members should set an example of excellence and contribute to the improvement of the School, College, and broader society through leadership and service activities. President: Alexandria Rosenzweig

### **Canaday Math & Computer Science Club**

The Canaday Math and Computer Science Club, or Math/CS Club, promotes interest in mathematics and computer science and provides information on the current applications of these subject areas. Membership is comprised of students and faculty who have an interest in mathematics or computer science. President: TBA

### **Cancer Awareness Society**

The purpose of the Cancer Awareness Society is to raise awareness of cancer at Meredith College and to build a community which is better equipped to help families who are affected by cancer. We accomplish

our purpose through fundraising and collaborations with already established cancer organizations. The Cancer Awareness Society will also conduct a variety of on-campus meetings and social events that will contribute to the knowledge of the organization and its purpose. President: TBA

### **Classical Studies Club**

Also known as CSC, this organization is a resource to learn about and engage with a wide range of topics in the Classical field. This organization offers an on campus platform to promote intellectual rigor for students to learn from and alongside one another. Topics for discussion stem from the ancient world and impact on today's society. President: TBA

### **Communication Club**

The Communication Club provides an opportunity for the education and fellowship of Meredith College Communication majors and those interested in the fields of human and mass communication. The club seeks to offer opportunities for growth and development in the Communication field, including panels, speakers, internships, socials, and networking relationships. President: Brooke Wilner

### **English Colton Club**

This club encourages participation of all students who are English majors or who have English-related interests. The organization is named after Miss Elizabeth Avery Colton, a professor of English at Meredith from 1908 to 1920.

President: TBA

### **Extra Theatre Company**

The company provides an organized forum through which Meredith students may produce theatrical works that are not a part of the scheduled theatrical season. Membership is open to all Meredith students interested in theatre. President: Stella Bowers

### **F.I.R.E. (Fierce International Rhythmic Experience)**

The purpose of F.I.R.E. shall be to form lasting bonds between members while educating individuals about other cultures through the art of dance. President: TBA

### **International Society of Pharmaceutical Engineering**

The Student Chapter of ISPE is a club that focuses on building a network of professional connections between Meredith College students and professionals and companies in the Raleigh area. The club opens up many opportunities for internships and jobs through the connections made at conferences, club meetings, volunteering, and company tours. President: TBA

### **Meredith Accounting and Finance Association**

The association was established in 1985 for all students with an interest in the field of accounting and finance and informs students of current accounting and finance issues and educates them about available career alternatives. Co-Presidents: Victoria Kempf and Edith Lopez

### **Meredith Advocates for Young Children**

MAYC is open to all students in child development and related fields and committed to improving the quality and availability of services for children from birth through age eight. Activities include speakers, discussions, hands-on learning and volunteer opportunities. President: Amyia Gorham

### **Meredith Anime Angels**

The purpose of MAA shall be to provide a special interest group that can help Meredith students connect to others having the same interests. MAA will strive to expand Meredith College's understanding of Japanese culture and offer ways to join the information/influence of anime with many different majors and fields of study, such as history, ethics, philosophy, graphic design, etc. MAA will also encourage community participation in relevant events such as local conventions. MAA will provide a safe and friendly environment in which Meredith students can watch, discuss, and critique anime.

President: TBA

### **Meredith Association of Family and Consumer Sciences**

A national professional organization open to students majoring in any area of human environmental sciences (i.e., child development, foods and nutrition, clothing and fashion merchandising, interior design and family and consumer sciences). President: Gianna Rochelle

### **Meredith College Democrats**

The club provides a space for self-identified Democrats and those interested in the Democratic Party to come together and share ideas. The club hosts both partisan and bipartisan events throughout the year to promote political education and participation and foster discussion about politics. Membership is open to all Meredith students. President: Charlie Hatch

### **Meredith College College Republicans (MCCR)**

The purpose of MCCR shall be to create an outlet for Meredith students to develop their political beliefs and learn more about the Republican Party's mission and ideals. President: TBA

### **Meredith College History, International Studies, and Political Science Club**

The purpose of HIP shall be to raise awareness of and promote campus interest and literacy in History, International Studies, and Political Science. HIP provides a forum for Meredith students to discuss historical, international, and political topics, especially those influencing current events. The club will meet regularly, take part in informational events on and off campus, and maintain both a campus and an online presence for the dissemination of information about both political and historical topics of interest to HIP members, and, when possible, make speakers available to the campus community. Co-Presidents: Maryan Aden and Sofia Gomez

### **Meredith Dance Association**

The purpose of MDA shall be to encourage exploration of choreography, performance, dance education pedagogy, research, community outreach, and advocacy in the context of a broad dance program. MDA

will stimulate dialogue and networking between students, faculty and experts. The honors component of MDA will celebrate academic excellence in Meredith Dance. MDA will advertise activities and accomplishments of Meredith Dance students. It will strengthen connections between Meredith Dance students and provide a platform for recognizing student-led initiatives within Meredith Dance. Finally, MDA will strive to develop future leaders in the field of dance arts and will celebrate the Meredith Dance Program community. President: Alston Tyndall

### **Meredith Educators**

Meredith Educators is the organization for students who are interested in teaching and education- related issues on the Meredith College campus. This organization seeks to provide knowledge, support, discovery, and connection in the educational field through speakers, workshops, service events, networking, and professional development. President: TBA

### **Meredith Fashion Association**

Provides for the professional development of fashion merchandising and design students at Meredith College and those involved in the CRC program. Membership is open to students majoring/minoring in clothing and fashion merchandising and those who have a general interest in this major.

Presidents: McKenzie Hill

### **Meredith Health Professions Society**

The purpose of this organization is to encourage excellence in pre-health (pre-medical, pre-dental, pre veterinary, etc.) study. Our endeavors promote cooperation and contact between pre-health students and health professionals within the community. Other endeavors encourage pre-health students to provide their services to the surrounding community. We also aid in the gathering and binding of students with similar interests for the benefit of, charities, the community, and for themselves. This organization provides opportunities to improve participation, not only for the Meredith community, but also for the greater Raleigh community and beyond, while aiding our members in better preparing themselves for future goals. President: Reese Buie

### **Meredith Hospitality & Tourism Management Club**

The Hospitality and Tourism Club leverages the learning and talents of its members and guests to produce event experiences and gatherings of all types and sizes that will create a positive impact on campus, within our industry, and in our community. From poetry slams to cook-offs to industry panels and service days, the club is here to serve and set an example of Meredith's unique flavor of southern hospitality. President: Rebekah Lakey

### **Meredith Hues**

Meredith Hues is a group of multicultural students who promote the College to multicultural high school students by assisting the Office of Admissions. On campus recruitment opportunities include Vision Days, speaking on student panels, and communicating with accepted students via phone, email, mail and social media. The purpose of Meredith Hues is to increase diversity in the College and support diverse multicultural students at Meredith College. President: Maria Huidobro

### **Meredith Immigrant and Refugee Club**

This club hopes to provide a safe space on campus for students who identify as or would like to be involved with refugees and immigrants on campus or in the Raleigh area. Our club activities include service work both on and off campus and exposing students to the refugee and immigrant community. We hope to bring awareness of current issues on immigration around the world to campus and educate the Meredith community on how they can help and support each other. President: TBA

### **Meredith Nutrition and Wellness Association**

This organization is designed for any major interested in topics related to nutrition and wellness. Established in 1989 to promote nutrition throughout the Meredith campus and surrounding Raleigh areas, to market the dietetics program at Meredith College, and to explore career opportunities in the areas of nutrition, food service and wellness. President: TBA

### **Meredith Student Veterans Association (MSVA)**

This organization aims to foster interaction and camaraderie amongst the Meredith College military veteran community. Members are primarily undergraduate and graduate student veterans and military family members (spouses and children), but the organization is also open to anyone who supports and/or advocates the group's mission. MSVA is a hub for veterans to address issues of transition, including advocating for veteran benefits. MSVA organizes goodwill missions and veteran-oriented events on campus and within the local community. MSVA educates the campus community about the unique experiences and circumstances, strengths, and special needs of veterans. President: Alexis Kester

### **Model United Nations**

Model United Nations promotes the understanding of functions, structures, procedures, committees, and principal organs of the United Nations. The club seeks to develop a greater knowledge of the nations of the world, their policies, and the nature of their involvement in the United Nations. The club also attends at least one Model United Nations conference a year. President: TBA

### **National Alliance on Mental Illness**

The purpose of the Meredith College chapter of NAMI is to fulfill the purpose of the national organization. NAMI, the National Alliance on Mental Illness, is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental illness. This organization focuses on educating, supporting, and spreading awareness regarding the topic of mental health and mental health issues. We offer support to those who have mental illness or are affected by mental illness. President: TBA

### **National Art Education Association Student Chapter (NAEA)**

The purpose of the NAEA Student Chapter is to advance visual arts education to fulfill human potential and promote global understanding. The student chapter hosts on and off-campus service initiatives and events, and any creative way we can start dialogue on the advocacy for the arts. Initiatives are, and not limited to, the following: attending the NCMA Art Educators Expo and participating in College Night, creating on-campus art workshops, attending NCAEA annual conferences, and creating opportunities for

members to enhance their skills in leading, constructing, and teaching art. The club meets monthly and we welcome all who are passionate about advocacy for the arts. President: Kelly Johnson

### **National Association for Music Educators**

This association conducts programs and activities that build a vital musical culture as well as an enlightened musical public. President: TBA

### **Peer Educators Advocating Responsible LifeStyles (PEARLS)**

PEARLS is a student-led initiative that addresses health topics related to college-aged students. The goal of PEARLS is to have peer educators provide students with the necessary information to help them make informed decisions about their health. The group is composed of proactive, energetic students who have an interest in health promotion and want to make a difference at Meredith. President: Reese Buie

### **Phi Beta Lambda – Business Club**

Phi Beta Lambda seeks to develop and demonstrate business knowledge and leadership skills through academic competitions, community service projects, fundraising activities, and networking. President: Kelly McNamara

### **Psychology Club**

Meredith College's Psychology Club shares the importance of psychology with members of the Meredith community and beyond campus. Activities the Psychology Club sponsors involve the Special Populations Dance, guest speakers from all areas (i.e. Clinical, Art Therapy, Occupational, Industrial/Organization, etc.), hosting socials, and finding active ways to be more woven throughout the Meredith College community. President: Caroline Bell

### **Social Work Club**

Members participate in social justice-related activities on campus and in the community to promote interest and awareness in the field of social work, as well as serve as the student advisory club to the social work program. All majors are welcome. President: Jenna Kling

### **Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)**

A professional society that allows students the opportunity to participate in programs that will enhance job skills and networking opportunities. A concentration in human resources is not required to become a member of SHRM. Affiliated with Raleigh-Wake Human Resource Management Association. President: Kate Niemi

### **Sociology/Criminology Club**

This organization is for sociology/criminology majors or minors and anyone who is interested in sociology or criminology. The club sponsors events such as Sociology/Criminology Week and is involved with the social needs within our community. President: TBA



## **Spectrum**

This organization provides a support group for all members of the campus community regarding topics of sexual orientation, gender identity, and ally development. Members include people who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender; people with family and friends who are gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender; and others who are interested and/or supportive. Spectrum serves as an educational forum, fostering tolerance and understanding by promoting campus dialogue through films, discussions, and lectures. President: Taryn Gillaspy

## **Sports Science Association**

This organization promotes the importance of health and wellness in the Meredith College and Raleigh community. This is done through various events such as hosting annual 5Ks/fun runs, volunteering at health or sport related events, offering free exercise classes to Meredith students, as well as recruiting professional speakers who focus in the Exercise and Sport Science field. SSA supports their members by offering professional development funds for certifications, internship related needs, etc. Membership is open to any student interested in the Exercise and Sport Science field. President: Leah Vinson

## **Transfer Student Union**

The purpose of this organization shall be to bridge the gap between transfer students over the age of 23 and traditional college students with a unique experience. President: TBA

## **White Iris Circle**

White Iris Circle shares the unique stories of Meredith College through the talents and strengths of current students. Leaders in this role help recruit new students to the Meredith community by creating connections with prospects and communicating with them about the many academic and social opportunities available. Student members give weekly campus tours to visiting prospects and their families and are involved in other recruitment events through Admissions. The organization values diversity and inclusion and seeks to share experiences across varied backgrounds and perspectives. Members are selected through an application and interview process. President: Ana Casas

## **Honor Societies**

### **Alpha Kappa Delta (Sociology)**

Alpha Kappa Delta acknowledges and promotes excellence in scholarship in the study of sociology, the research of social problems, and such other social and intellectual activities that will lead to improvement in the human condition. Co-Presidents: Sarah Shields and Taylor Houser

### **Alpha Lambda Delta (First-Year Students)**

The national honor society for first-year students. Freshmen who have completed their first semester with an overall GPA of 3.5 and rank in the top 20% of their class are inducted during the spring semester. President: Elizabeth Sharpe

### **Alpha Psi Omega (Theatre)**

Alpha Psi Omega is a national theatre honor society. Alpha Psi Omega started as a way to help grow the interest in theatrical college organizations across America. To be selected for a membership in Alpha Psi Omega takes hard work and dedication to the Meredith theatre department. Membership is earned by participating in three approved Meredith theatre shows in both onstage and offstage positions. Also, the members must maintain a high grade point average and attend the regularly scheduled meetings. President: Emily Spain

### **Alpha Sigma Lambda (Adult Students)**

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society is devoted to the advancement of scholarship and recognition of nontraditional students pursuing their first bachelor's degree. A nontraditional student at Meredith College is identified as a woman 23 years of age or older at the time she begins classes in her most recent admission to Meredith College. Students invited for Alpha Sigma Lambda membership induction are identified as being in the top 20% of the class of nontraditional students seeking a first baccalaureate degree who are matriculated in an undergraduate degree program and who have earned at least 24 graded credits at Meredith College, with a 3.2 minimum GPA. These college credits must not include transfer credits, and at least twelve credits of the student's total credits (transfer and Meredith combined) should be earned in courses in Liberal Arts/Sciences, not including applied Arts/Sciences courses.

Chapter Councilor: Tom Manning

### **Beta Beta Beta (Biology)**

The Tau Xi Chapter of Beta Beta Beta was installed at Meredith in 1982. The organization recognizes the interest and achievement of faculty and students in biology. Members are typically junior or senior science majors who have taken at least 12 credit hours in biology and have a 3.0 average in biology courses and a 2.8 GPA overall. President: TBA

### **Edwin H. Sutherland Criminology Honor Society (Criminology)**

The Criminology Honor Society fosters a community of young scholars dedicated to enhancing their understanding of the causes, prevention, control and treatment of crime and delinquency. The Society also strives to link the mission of the College to help its members become more well-rounded and effective academicians and practitioners in the many fields of criminology and criminal justice with a commitment to social justice and service through their community internship placement.

Co-Presidents: Sarah Shields and Taylor Houser

### **Iota Sigma Pi (Chemistry)**

The purpose of Iota Sigma Pi is to promote excellence and service in the field of chemistry. Iota Sigma Pi is an honor society for women in chemistry that strives to not only encourage excellence within individuals, but also to strive to reach out and encourage excellence within others. This organization wishes to aid in establishing a more predominant image of women in the field of chemistry and showing the world around them that women can excel in a field that has historically been predominantly male. Iota Sigma Pi will engage in service projects to reach out to the world around them, such as in low income communities, in order to promote education not only in our generation, but the next generation as well. This type of service

enables the organization not only to come together but also to branch out and set an example of successful and caring women. These service projects will allow for members to see the difference that they can make in the world. Adviser: Dr. Walda Powell

### **Kappa Delta Pi (Education)**

An international honor society that promotes excellence in and recognizes outstanding contributions to education. Kappa Delta Pi strives to maintain a high degree of professional fellowship among its members, to quicken professional growth, and to honor achievement in educational work. To these ends, it invites to membership persons who exhibit commendable professional qualities, worthy educational ideals, and sound scholarship, without regard to race, age, color, religion, sex, or disability. Membership is composed of those students who excel and maintain excellence in the department of education. Students must be accepted into the department of education; additionally, undergraduate students must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 and graduate students must maintain a GPA of 3.75.

President: Kali Ranke

### **Kappa Nu Sigma (Junior/Senior Academic Honors)**

Organized in 1923, this scholastic honor society takes its name from three Greek words Kallos, Nous, and Sophia, meaning beauty, sound mindedness, and intelligence. The purpose of the society is to promote scholarship at Meredith. Membership is limited to students with junior hours who have a 3.9 GPA or better and students with senior hours who have a 3.8 GPA or better. At least 59 of these hours must be taken at Meredith. President: TBA

### **Kappa Omicron Nu (Human Environmental Sciences and Nutrition, Health, and Human Performance)**

Kappa Omicron Nu is a national Honor Society for students seeking a major in the Human Environmental Sciences Department and Nutrition, Health, and Human Performance Department at Meredith College. The four majors in Human Environmental Sciences include: child development, fashion merchandising and design, family and consumer sciences, and interior design. The two majors in Nutrition, Health, & Human Performance include sports science and foods and nutrition. Students are chosen from the sophomore, junior and senior classes for this honor. To be eligible for membership, a student must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 (overall and at Meredith) and be in the upper 25% of her class, have declared a major (first and second majors) in the Department of Human Environmental Sciences and Nutrition, Health & Human Performance, have completed 45 semester hours and have shown evidence of superior personal qualities and leadership potential. Students join Kappa Omicron Nu by invitation only. President: Mary Turner

### **Kappa Pi (Art)**

Kappa Pi is an Honorary Art Fraternity. Eligibility for membership is based primarily on achievement in the field of art. Minimum requirements for consideration for membership is the completion of twelve semester hours of art courses at Meredith, a 3.0 GPA in art courses (on a 4.0 scale), and a 2.0 overall GPA. Using these minimum requirements as a baseline, the art department faculty nominate students to membership. Individuals are nominated because they have committed themselves to truth, sincerity, excellence, and

achievement in their daily lives. Furthermore, these individuals have set personal goals to challenge themselves to reach their full potential. President: TBA

### **Lambda Pi Eta (Communication)**

Lambda Pi Eta recognizes, fosters, and rewards outstanding scholastic achievement in communication studies; promotes and encourages professional development among communication majors; provides an opportunity to discuss and exchange ideas in the field of communication; and establish and maintain closer relationships and mutual understanding between communication studies faculty and students. President: Anna Wisniewski

### **Omicron Delta Epsilon (Economics)**

The International Honor Society for Economics is one of the world's largest academic honor societies. Omicron Delta Epsilon has 652 chapters located in the United States, Canada, Australia, the United Kingdom, Mexico, Puerto Rico, South Africa, Egypt, France, and the United Arab Emirates. It is not required that students major in economics in order to become members. Membership is available to any student with a genuine interest in the study of economics. Undergraduate candidates for election to membership in any chapter of Omicron Delta Epsilon must have an overall scholastic average of at least a 3.1; have completed at least twelve credits in economics (ECO courses) with an average of 3.2 or better; and have taken at least 6 hours of ECO courses at Meredith College. Adviser: Dr. Anne York

### **Phi Alpha (Social Work)**

The national social work honors society. Membership is open to Meredith students who are admitted to the social work program, have completed at least six semester hours of social work, and have an overall grade point average of 3.0. President: TBA

### **Phi Alpha Theta (History)**

An honor society that recognizes undergraduate students who have demonstrated a vital interest in history by excelling in their study of history and in their overall academic studies. Membership is by invitation only. Adviser: Dr. Greg Vitarbo

### **Pi Delta Phi (French)**

National French honor society. To be eligible for membership a student must have taken five courses in French including one in French literature. She must have a GPA of 2.8 in general studies and have a 3.0 average in French. Adviser: Dr. Veronique Machelidon

### **Pi Kappa Lambda (Music)**

National honorary society for musicians. Members are chosen from the faculty, graduate students, senior and junior classes each year based on scholastic achievement and musicianship. Adviser: Dr. Jim Waddelow

### **Pi Mu Epsilon (Math)**

A national society that promotes scholarly activity in mathematics. For overall eligibility, a student must have credit for at least two calculus courses and a minimum of two other courses at the 200 level or above.

A minimum of two courses must have been taken at Meredith. Specifically, to be eligible for membership, a senior (90 or more credit hours) must have completed at least six courses in mathematics at the 200 level or above with a grade point average of 3.2 or higher. In addition, she must maintain an overall grade point average of at least 3.0 or higher or be in the upper third of her class, whichever is higher. A junior (60 to 89 credit hours) must have completed at least five courses in mathematics at the 200 level or above with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher. In addition, she must maintain an overall grade point average of at least 3.2 or be in the upper quarter of her class, whichever is higher. A sophomore (26 to 59 credit hours) must have completed at least four courses in mathematics with a grade point average of 4.0. In addition, she must maintain an overall grade point average of at least 3.2 or be in the upper quarter of her class, whichever is higher. Adviser: Dr. Philip Andreae

### **Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science)**

The National Political Science Honor Society. Student members shall be initiated from among juniors, seniors, or graduate students as they meet the following qualifications: completion of fifteen quarter hours or ten semester hours of work in political science including at least one course not open to students in the first two years of collegiate work; maintenance of an average grade of “B” or higher in all courses in political science, and maintenance of general scholarship to place such students within the upper third of their class; and fulfillment of any additional requirements prescribed by the Meredith chapter. The chapter Secretary-treasurer and the chapter adviser shall certify the eligibility of student initiates. No elections of initiates shall be necessary. Adviser: Dr. Whitney Manzo

### **Psi Chi (Psychology)**

The national honor society in psychology, Psi Chi is both an affiliate of the American Psychological Association and a member of the Association of College Honor Societies. To be eligible for membership, a student must be in the top 35 percent of her class in general scholarship, have an overall 3.0 average in psychology, have completed three semesters of college courses and be a registered major or minor in psychology. President: Anne Katherine Edwards

### **Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish)**

National Spanish honor society. Requirements for membership are completion of at least six semester hours in the 300 level of Spanish at Meredith or the equivalent (including at least three semester hours in a 300 level literature course) with a minimum GPA of 3.0 in these classes, rank in the upper 35 percent of her respective class, and completion of at least three semesters of the college career.

Adviser: Dr. Astrid Billat

### **Sigma Tau Delta (English)**

National English Honor Society. This organization recognizes English majors and minors for their academic achievements in the English language and literature. The Alpha Iota Rho chapter of Sigma Tau Delta was established at Meredith in the spring of 2000. To be eligible, Meredith students must have declared their English major or minor and should have completed at least three semesters of course work while maintaining a GPA of 3.0 or better in their English courses, and rank in the top 35% of their class. Inductions will be held in the spring semester. President: TBA

### **Silver Shield (Leadership)**

Honorary leadership society that serves to recognize junior and senior students who promote by example and precept a well-rounded student life, an understanding between faculty and students, a high standard of honor and cooperation in the student body, the ideals and traditions of Meredith, and commitment to the honor system. Members are selected from the rising and present senior classes by members of the organization and the faculty. The selection is made on the basis of constructive leadership, honor, service to the school, and scholarship. President: Sofia Gomez

### **Theta Alpha Kappa (Religion)**

National honor society for the academic study of religion. This organization promotes and recognizes excellence in the academic study of religion; promotes student research in the field; and provides a forum for the exchange of shared interests. President: TBA

## **Cultural Programs**

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Campus-sponsored cultural programs are generally open free of charge to Meredith students. Such opportunities are part of the total educational experience.

- Convocations provide a forum for intellectual, cultural, and social ideas through national and regionally acclaimed guest speakers or performances from various fields. These events happen in different locations and times throughout the year.
- Meredith College hosts arts performances and events in the academic areas of dance, music, and theater. Guest artists from the community also are showcased in various venues including Jones Auditorium, Studio Theatre, and Carswell Concert Hall.
- The Meredith Art Department hosts student and guest works in the Frankie G. Weems Gallery in the Gaddy-Hamrick art building and the Johnson Hall Rotunda.
- Chapel Services - Wednesdays from 10 - 10:50 a.m. are reserved for interfaith programs organized by the Office of the Chaplain.
- Student assemblies typically convene on Mondays or Fridays. They may be required as deemed necessary by the Executive Board of the Student Government Association or by the Student Senate.

## **Intercollegiate Athletics**

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Meredith offers opportunities for participation on ten intercollegiate teams: basketball, cross-country, field hockey, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Cross-country, field hockey, soccer and volleyball are offered in the fall, with practice beginning the week prior to the first day of classes. Tennis practice begins after classes start and includes a short fall schedule of competition, with the official season in the spring. Basketball and indoor track compete during the winter season, followed by softball, lacrosse, tennis, and outdoor track in the spring. Students who wish to participate in one or more sports are encouraged to confer with coaches for consideration. Students also have the option of participating as team managers and event staff.

For contact information of individual coaches please click the [link](#) or contact Jackie Myers, Athletics Director, in the Office of Athletics at 919-760-8205.

## **Performing Arts**

### **Dance & Theatre Companies**

**Meredith College recognizes the positive impact of social engagement and participation in the performing arts. Meredith College will strive to provide students with opportunities to engage in campus events (including performances) outside the classroom while mitigating the spread of COVID-19. Given the fluid nature of COVID-19, event plans may need to be adjusted as conditions change to support the health and safety of the campus community.**

#### **DanceWorks**

The Dance Program's spring concert, DanceWorks, is open to all Meredith students to choreograph and perform any genre of dance. Student choreographers hold auditions, rehearse weekly, and participate in a series of faculty-guided showings and adjudications throughout the semester. Faculty and guest artists create work in repertory classes that are open to all Meredith students. Students register for DAN 461 or 462 to participate. Contact Carol Finley (finleyc@meredith.edu) or visit our [website](#) for further information.

#### **F.I.R.E.(Fierce, International, Rhythmic Expression)**

F.I.R.E. is a student-led campus organization dedicated to teaching, learning, and performing dance styles from around the world. Weekly classes are open to the community and students perform in DanceWorks.

#### **Meredith College Dance Crew (MCDC)**

MCDC is a student-led group that creates, rehearses, and performs hip hop routines for Meredith Avenging Angels basketball games.

#### **Meredith Dance Theatre**

Meredith Dance Theatre is a faculty-directed contemporary modern dance company. Students take company class twice per week in fall and spring; participate in guest artist residencies; produce a full concert each November; and travel to an American College Dance Association conference each Spring.

Participation in MDT is by auditions held in April, August, and November each academic year. Contact Carol Finley (finleyc@meredith.edu) or visit our [website](#) for further information.

### **Meredith Improv**

Meredith Improv is a student-led group that practices movement improvisation together, performing in found spaces all over (and beyond!) campus.

### **Meredith Jazz and Tap Company**

A student-directed performance group for jazz and tap genres that performs a full show each year and participates in DanceWorks and other campus activities. Auditions are held each fall during the first week of classes. Contact Carol Finley (finleyc@meredith.edu) or visit our [website](#) for further information.

### **Meredith Ensemble Theatre (MET)**

Meredith Ensemble Theatre offers a season of theatre to Raleigh and the campus community. This performance series serves as the principle laboratory experience for students majoring in theatre. Volunteers also come from other majors, staff, faculty, and friends of the College. Extensive theatre experience is not required to work with MET, but plan to work hard, make friends, learn, and have fun. Actors, singers, and dancers come to open auditions for main stage and studio productions. Backstage production staff can stage manage or help with sets, properties, costumes and makeup, lighting and sound, the box office, or publicity. You may choose to receive credit for your involvement associated with productions by registering for a theatre practicum. To see more information about the theatre faculty click this [link](#) for more details.

## **Musical Groups**

### **Meredith Chorale**

The Meredith Chorale is a prestigious touring choral group that represents Meredith on an annual tour and on many other occasions in churches, schools, and concert halls. In addition, the Chorale sings for many major campus events. Membership is by audition. A year-long commitment to the group is expected. One credit hour.

### **Meredith Chorus**

The Meredith Chorus is a large choral ensemble, open to all students who enjoy singing. It performs frequently—in chapel, in the annual Christmas concert, off campus for both church services and concerts, and at other campus events. Membership is open, without an audition, to all interested students. All are welcome. One credit hour.

### **Encore!**

Encore! is a small group of singers that performs a wide variety of repertoire. Performances include concerts, dinners, club meetings and other requests made by the campus and community. Membership by audition. One credit hour.



**Meredith Sinfonietta**

Students who play instruments are encouraged to audition for the Meredith Sinfonietta, which rehearses regularly and performs frequently on campus and in the community. In addition, students may participate in community orchestras such as the Raleigh Symphony Orchestra. One credit hour.