

UVA-Wise Student Report

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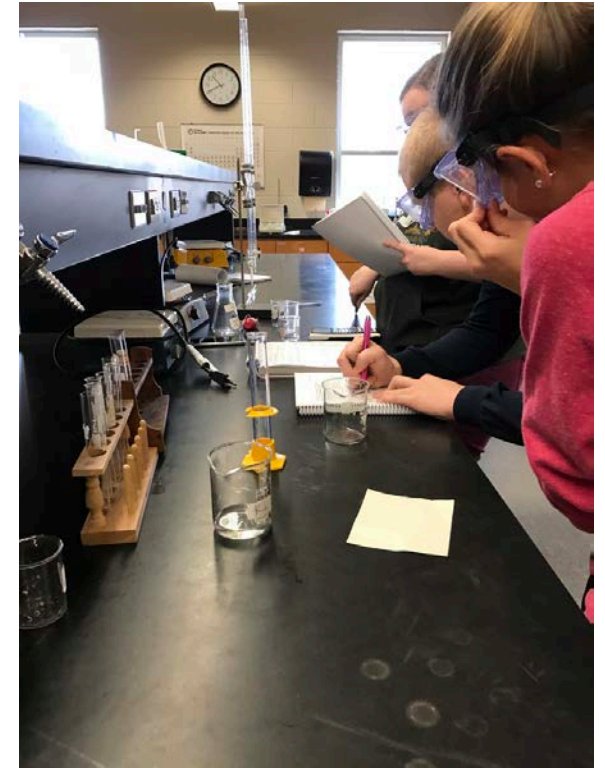
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My Background

- Student Member of the College Board at UVA-Wise
- Student Government Association President
- Graduate of the Early College Academy at UVA-Wise
- Healthy Appalachia Institute Research Fellow
- Biochemistry major and Public Health minor

Early College Academy



Early College Academy: By the Numbers

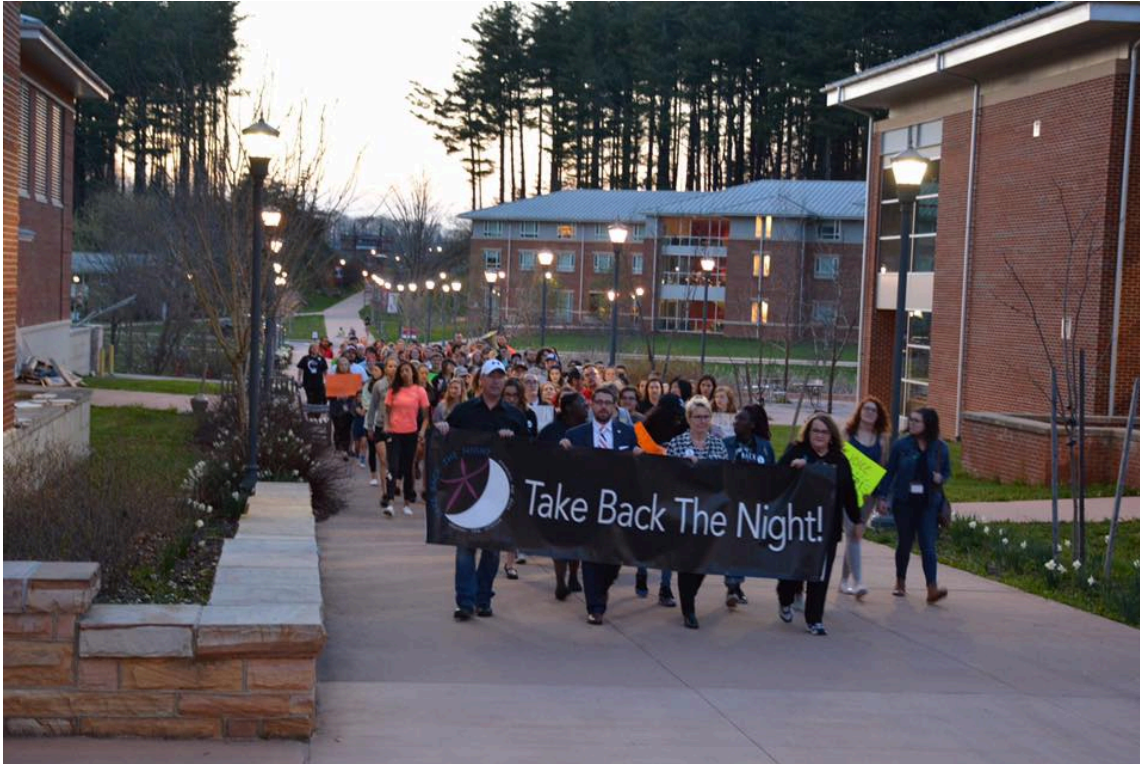
- Since 2015, 57 students started the ECA
- Of those 57, 50 students have successfully completed the ECA
- Of those 50, 100% went on to college
- Of those 50, 39 chose to attend UVA-Wise
- Of those 39, 36 still attend or have graduated from UVA-Wise

What's Happening in Wise?

G2K Games Innovation Competition



- Held in March, the G2K Games Innovation Competition allowed students to showcase their original technology-based startup ventures to a panel of local judges and compete for up to \$10,000 in awards and mentorship opportunities to bring their ideas to reality



Take Back the Night!

- The Take Back the Night event, sponsored by the Office of Compliance and Inclusion and the Student Government Association, drew about 200 people to campus in April
- The mission of Take Back the Night is to draw awareness to and end sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual abuse, and all forms of sexual violence

TEDxUVaWise

x = independently organized TED event



TEDxUVA-Wise

- Prof. Shankar Naskar – “The Workshop Model of Entrepreneurship Education for Rural America”
- Prof. Alexandria Reynolds – “Is Sleeping Too Much Bad for Your Health?”
- Prof. Daniel Ray – “How Computers are Going to Kill Us, and Why They Might Not”
- Prof. Scott Addison – “The Struggle Making You Stronger”
- Prof. Kristina Feeser – “I Like My Life Like I Like My Coffee”



Public Health Minor

- The Public Health minor, created during the 2017-2018 academic year, graduated its first students this year
- Because of its popularity, the goal is to eventually expand the minor into its own major

Undergraduate Research at UVA- Wise at a Glance



Research Day

- 78 students
 - 57 first authors
 - 21 second authors
- 54 student presentations
 - 19 posters
 - 35 talks

Current Student Research

- Fellowship in the Natural Sciences (FINS)
 - 9
- Summer Scholars
 - 3
- Global Health Scholars
 - 1
- Healthy Appalachia Institute Research Fellows
 - 1

Students Have Presented at National and International Conferences



Highlighted Partnerships between Wise and Charlottesville

Global Health Scholars



Healthy Appalachia Institute Research Fellows

- Logan Baker
 - Summer 2017
 - Worked with faculty from the UVA School of Medicine
 - Dr. Rebecca Dillingham and Dr. Tabor Flickinger
- Samuel Eger
 - Summer 2018
 - Worked with faculty from the UVA School of Medicine
 - Dr. Rebecca Dillingham and Dr. Tabor Flickinger
- Peter Valadez
 - Summer 2019
 - Worked with faculty and staff from the UVA School of Medicine and the UVA Cancer Center
 - Prof. Kathleen Porter and Elizabeth Grossman

Tom Tom Festival and Innovators Cup

- Students from Wise attended the Entrepreneurial Ecosystems Conference and toured HackCville
- UVA-Wise student Hunter Hess competed in the American Evolution Innovators Cup competition



Run with Jim!





WaHooWa!

- Students, faculty and staff in Wise were proud to cheer on the Cavaliers during the NCAA Men's Basketball National Championship

A Call to Action: More Student Interaction and Engagement between Wise and Charlottesville
