

HONORS NEWSLETTER

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Alumnae Spotlight:

Nicole Lawson, a 2016 Honors graduate, received a Bachelor of Arts in Dance Studies and Spanish with a certificate in Professional Performance. She owns her own dance company, and her work has been presented by a variety of programs, including the American College Dance Associations Mid-Atlantic Conference at West Virginia University. She also recently presented her first company show in Greensboro, NC. Nicole is pictured at right.

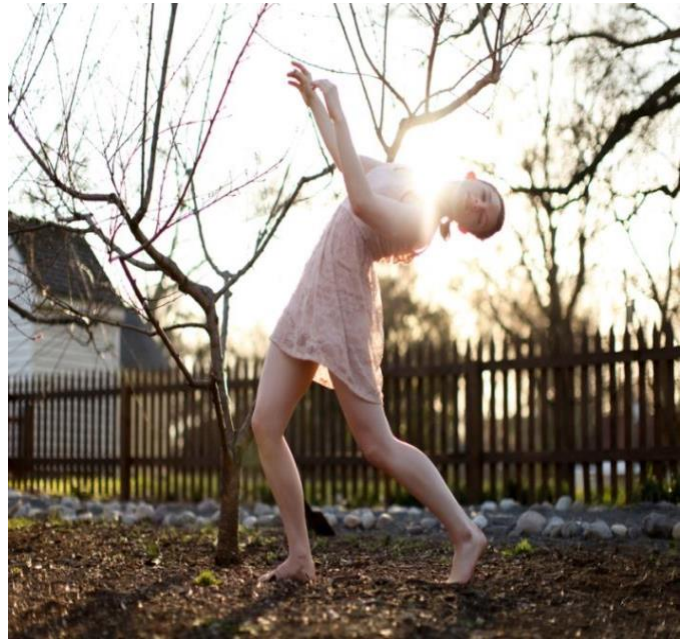


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Emily Hawkins graduated from Meredith in 2014. Double majoring in political science and Spanish, she recently served as Finance Director for Congresswoman Jacky Rosen. Rosen was elected to be a US Senator from Nevada last month. Pictured at left is Emily with Senator Rosen.

The Honors Program wishes students happy holidays!! Travel safe as you return home, and enjoy time with family, friends, and loved ones.

Upcoming Honors Program Events:

- Jan. 8, 2019: Interviews for Honors mid-year admission
- Jan. 19, 2019: Honors alumnae connection and brunch
- Feb. 3, 2019: FOE Ballet: Love in the Times of the Day
- Feb. 6, 2019: Complete Honors contract and thesis forms due in Honors Office



Honors Student Studies Abroad

Mary Kolisnichenko is a senior who is currently studying abroad at Queen Mary, University of London, through an affiliate

provider, IES-Abroad. Mary is an Economics and Mathematics double major, and has gained a lot of experiences to help her go into the finance field, her intended career area after graduation. She was able to attend an event at London's Deutsche Bank headquarters. There, she met up with Honors alumna Zaina Otieno ('15), who works at the bank full-time. Zaina covers EMEA Infrastructure and Utilities. Besides studying and working, Mary has explored London's museums, traveled to various countries, and attended an England v. USA soccer match at the Wembley Stadium. According to Mary, her time abroad "has been an incredible opportunity to delve further into her career skills and become a truly versatile global citizen, while London has been an amazing multi-cultural city with plenty of things to do." She thanks the Honors Program for making her semester abroad possible. Zaina (left) and Mary (right) are pictured above.

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