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Letter from the Center

Dear CES Community,

Once again, we find ourselves at the end of an academic year full of both achievement and challenge. Last week's reports of police brutality, student arrests and suspensions, and the temporary closure of the Campus Y have troubled what would ordinarily be a time of celebration. We strongly encourage all members of our community to connect with support, be it CES staff members, faculty, friends, or university resources such as the [Office of the Dean of Students](#), the [Ombuds Office](#), or [CAPS](#).

This year has been full of hardship, but CES students and community members have shown up time and again for each other, leading with perseverance, integrity, and compassion. Welcomed to campus amid the tragic events of this past August, the TAM Class of 2025 have completed their first year, and will be off to new adventures at our European partner sites, while the TAM Class of 2024 are finalizing their theses and returning to Chapel Hill for graduation. CES is likewise proud to bestow degrees on eight graduating EURO majors, two with honors in Contemporary European Studies.

We at CES strive to make a safe space for all our friends at UNC and beyond, but it is truly our community members who make it a home. Though we'll miss having everyone on campus, you are always welcome to send an email or drop by the GEC, and you can expect the Eurofile in your inbox once a month over the summer.

With warmest regards,
UNC Center for European Studies

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Our Programs



Undergraduates

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[EURO Major](#)



Graduates

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