CENTER FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE LEARNING:

2019 YEAR IN REVIEW

GATORSERVE

Each year, CCESL organizes GatorServe events to commemorate two national days of service - MLK and 9/11. Hundreds of students, faculty, staff and community members volunteer.

SPRING 2019
MLK Day - Fifth Ward

FALL 2019
9/11 Day - Fifth Ward

SERVICE LEARNING
COMBINING CLASSROOM LEARNING WITH COMMUNITY SERVICE

1,157 students completed SL-designated courses in 2019, serving a total of 13,419 hours.

Student-Led Community Engagement Grants

Competitive Community Engagement Grants are awarded to UHD students each semester to lead their projects in the Greater Houston Community.

TOTAL GRANTEES
• 10 in Spring 2019
• 9 in Fall 2019

NEAR NORTHSIDE (NNS)

23 community-driven projects led by faculty, staff & students

SUMMER INTERNSHIPS

22 paid internships at a variety of Non-Profit Organizations

SPRING 2019 EVENTS

Newman fellow - Mikeala Lopez

Campus Compact, a national organization, recognizes engaged students from universities and colleges across the US and internationally. Mikeala was UHD’s representative student.

Alternative Spring Break - Service in Ecuador

13 students and 2 staff members travelled to Quito and Tena and conducted a variety of service activities with underserved and indigenous populations.
A comprehensive program to promote student success inside and outside the classroom with guided activities and mentorship. Students also participate in service activities at UHD and in local, regional and international communities.

**Community Partners Fair 2019**

The annual Community Partners Fair connected UHD community members with area non-profits.
- 45 Community partners
- 100 Students
- 20 Faculty/Staff

**Community Scholars Program**

A comprehensive program to promote student success inside and outside the classroom with guided activities and mentorship. Students also participate in service activities at UHD and in local, regional and international communities.

**Domestic Service Trip - San Antonio**

- Service project at Haven for Hope (H4H)Community Center that serves the homeless in San Antonio
- Thirteen Gators, including seven freshmen, participated