

**Brandon Schwartzberg, Class of 2022,** worked as a whitewater rafting guide in Glacier National Park this summer.

**Anderson Calhoun, Class of 2021**, is studying Aeronautical Science at Charleston Southern University and has his pilot's license, instrument rating, commercial rating, and is working on a multi-engine rating. He hopes to fly for a commercial airline one day.



**Sydney Halverson, Class of 2021**, is majoring in Marketing and Human Resources Management at the University of South Carolina. She accepted a full-time internship in marketing for Carolina One Real Estate this summer and as a business development intern with Picnic Pop Up SC in Columbia.

**La'Royalty Jones, Class of 2019,** is currently a Political Science major who will graduate from Winthrop University in December. She is president of the Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honor Society, a member of the National Society of Leadership and Success, and a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority. La'Royalty plans to attend law school after graduation.

**Elysa Wesolek, Class of 2018**, was honored by the city of Charleston by Mayor John Tecklenburg, as Elysa Wesolek Day was proclaimed May 24th, 2022. She was recognized for her hard work and success as a student and athlete in the

Lowcountry as well as her time at USC. Elysa has played basketball at USC for the last four years and became an NCAA champion in April.



**Andalis Burton**, **Class of 2017**, graduated in May from Clemson University's Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business. She is currently working as a licensed insurance agent with Symmetry Financial Group and as a background actor in different film projects produced by HBO, Netflix, and Disney+.

**Savannah Hall, Class of 2017**, graduated Summa Cum Laude from the Calhoun Honors College at Clemson University in May 2021. She was a member of Sigma Tau Delta, Phi Kappa Phi, and the National Society of Collegiate Scholars. Savannah also graduated as the top-ranking English major at Clemson. She currently works for Mental Health America.

**Kaitlyn Merklein, Class of 2017,** graduated from Auburn University with a degree in Biosystems Engineering and works as an environmental engineer at Santee Cooper

**Joshua Stringer, Class of 2000**, is currently the finance manager at Crews Subaru.

**Mandy Van Deusen Santos**, **Class of 1998**, completed a Master of Arts in Theology from Fuller Theological Seminary in June 2022 and began working as the Spiritual Formation Pastor at Echo Church in San Jose, CA.



We are also fortunate to have several alumni who are current faculty at Northwood Academy!

**Brooke Cashwell, Class of 2020,** is a nursery teaching assistant at the preschool.

**Sarah Gentry, Class of 2014**, will be the ninth and tenth grade CP English teacher this school year.

**Chelsea Lookabill (Ahlemann), Class of 2012**, is the Upper School Fine Arts and Journalism teacher.

Katrina Hinson (Shumpert), Class of 2011, teaches Algebra 1 and 2 at the Upper School.

**Vivian Tremaine (Seyle), Class of 2011**, is the Student Activities Director for the Upper School.

Matt Gilbert, Class of 2007, teaches seventh and eighth grade U.S. History.

**Jennifer Morales, Class of 2002**, teaches third grade and is the Lower School Accreditation Coordinator.

**Laura Lynn Orvin, Class of 2002**, is the Director of HR and Payroll and serves as the Business Office Manager for Northwood Academy.

**Bradford Singleton, Class of 2002**, is the Executive Pastor for Northwood Church and serves on the school board for Northwood Academy.

**Kerri Puckett (Denham), Class of 1998**, is an administrative assistant for the Lower School.

**Autumn Teachey, Class of 1998**, is a teaching assistant for the preschool.