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Quick Facts

- This free cultural event is scheduled for Tuesday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m. in Whitton Auditorium (Carroll Hall). It's open to the public.



Mayor Jennifer Roberts

ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA — **Charlotte Mayor Jennifer Roberts** will visit Winthrop University next week as part of the Leadership Speaker Series.

In **“Becoming the Winning City of Tomorrow,”** Roberts will discuss the challenges and opportunities of leading a diverse and fast-growing 21st-century city. This free cultural event is scheduled for Tuesday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m. in **Whitton Auditorium** (Carroll Hall). It's open to the public.

Born and raised in Charlotte, North Carolina, Roberts won the mayoral election in 2015. Previously, she worked for four years as a diplomat with the United States Department of State, serving in the Dominican Republic and Mexico. She also served as director of the Mayor's International Cabinet, a lending officer in International Corporate

Banking at First Union and executive director of the Charlotte World Affairs Council.

She holds degrees from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Johns Hopkins University and the University of Toronto.

She resides in Charlotte with her husband, Manley, and children Montana and Manley Jr.

This event is sponsored by the **College of Business Administration**, the **Department of Political Science**, the **Women's and Gender Studies Program**, and the **John C. West Forum on Politics and Policy**.

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