

**TopScholarStories:** Issue – December 2019

*News of our Top Scholars and Alumni:*

**Carolina, 1801, Horseshoe, McNair and Stamps Scholars**

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**Current Scholars:**

**Podcast highlights refugees and their stories**

. . . . *Aidan Thomason, a Carolina Scholar,* helps produce a new podcast, "Seeking Refuge" with Carolina Global Scholars and Maxcy House. They share personal stories of refugees and those who are working with refugees in Columbia and beyond. The podcast is on Apple podcasts and Spotify, and episodes are released every other Monday. Here’s a link to the November podcast, **which happens to feature Top Scholar alumna (Carolina Scholar 2019) Katie Heins.**

https://podcasts.google.com/?feed=aHR0cHM6Ly9waW5lY2FzdC5jb20vZmVlZC9zZWVraW5nLmJhY2tncm91bmQucG5n&episode=aHR0cHM6Ly9waW5lY2FzdC5jb20vZmVlZC9zZWVraW5nLmJhY2tncm91bmQucG5n&hl=en&ved=2ahUKEwi28uHZp6vmAhWKVN8KHcfGBQQQjrkEegQIBxAG&ep=6&at=1575988907730

**USC students pulled from study abroad in Hong Kong following unrest – fea. Sandi Boyle, Carolina Scholar**

. . . . “The recent escalation of events on the Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) campus led to an early evacuation of all USC students participating in the Darla Moore School of Business international business and Chinese enterprise program.”


**Alumni:**

**McNair Scholar alumna writes book to be published Summer 2020**

. . . . *Rachel Moyle Beanland,* a 2003 graduate of the South Carolina Honors College, will publish a novel this summer, *Florence Adler Swims Forever.*

https://www.simonandschuster.com/books/Florence-Adler-Swims-Forever/Rachel-Beanland/9781982132460