Honors Program Requirements for Students

Catalogs prior to 2018

To successfully complete the Honors Program, a student must graduate with a 3.50 overall GPA, complete a senior thesis project, and satisfy the Honors course requirements listed in their Catalog.

A student’s Program Evaluation details these requirements, which are explained here:

A. Honors Requirements:

- **Take HONR*101 or UNIV*110:**
  This is part of a graduation requirement for all students and does not count towards your Honors credit total.

- **Take one course from group 2 (listed above)**
  This is a preparation course for your Capstone/Thesis course (group 3). Not all majors have courses listed for this requirement, and we can substitute another Honors course in this spot if your major does not have one. Ask your major advisor if you are unsure what this course is. This course counts towards your 24 Honors credit total.

- **Take one course from group 3 (listed above)**
  This is your Capstone/Thesis course. Each Honors student is required to complete and turn in an Honors Thesis, which can take the form of a Research Paper, Scholarly Paper, Business Plan, Pedagogy, Artistic Performance or Display, or Portfolio. Each major should have an appropriate Capstone course, which you will complete under the guidance of a faculty member. Ask your major advisor if you are unsure what this Capstone course is. This course counts towards your 24 Honors credit total.

- **Take one HONR course at 200-300 level**
  This is one of the Honors College’s 200 or 300 level courses. We now offer enough seats in these courses for each Honors student to take one, so we only waive this requirement in unusual circumstances. This course counts towards your 24 Honors credit total.

B: Honors Electives

- **Complete 24 credits of Honors level work**
  These 24 credits include all Honors courses taken for which you have received a B or better.