

Honors Degree Application

Please prepare an application using this format. You should submit the application and six copies to the Chair of the Global Honors Scholars Committee no later than **1 November** if you plan to graduate in May or September, or **1 March** if you plan to graduate in January.

Candidate's Name _____ Phone # _____
Major Field of Study (and minor, if applicable) _____
Faculty advisor _____
Month/Year of Graduation _____

I. Qualifications. To apply for candidacy for the Honors Degree, you must have met the following requirements.

- 1) Phi Beta Kappa curriculum requirements: at least 4 hours of a lab science course; at least two semesters of a foreign language.

Lab science course _____
Foreign language (courses & semesters) _____ & _____

- 2) At least 9 hours of Honors credit (at least 3 of the 9 must be earned in an interdisciplinary Honors course (such as INT 213 or other). Please list course title, number of semester hours, and the semester/year.

Honors course _____
Honors course or contract _____
Honors course or contract _____

- 3) A cumulative G.P.A. of 3.5 or higher.
Current cumulative G.P.A. _____

II. Honors Project Proposal. Please include the following information in your application. You may submit separate sheets of paper and attach them to this form.

- 1. Proposed Honors Project.** Describe in detail your topic of study for the honors project. Discuss the purpose of the project, the questions you are raising, the methods of study, and the format and estimated length of the finished project (paper, laboratory report, article for publication, display, etc.)

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2. List of Resources. Provide a bibliography of sources that will be most useful in completing your project. Include specific titles, authors, and years, using a standard bibliography format (MLA, APA, or Tourabian).

3. Proposed Examining Committee. The committee before whom you defend your honors project should be comprised of at least five faculty members, two of whom must represent one or more disciplines outside the field of your study. List the names of your proposed committee members and supervising professor. Note: If the Honors Degree project also fulfills a requirement for a student's major, it is the student's responsibility to make sure that all requirements imposed by that major/department — including the participation of necessary departmental faculty on the examining committee members — are fulfilled.

Supervising professor _____

Committee members _____

(Five members are a minimum. The examining committee may include more than five.)

III. Signatures.

Student _____ Date _____
Supervising Professor _____ Date _____

The Global Honors Scholars Committee recommends that the above-named Global Honors Scholar be admitted as a Candidate for the Honors Degree.

Chair, Global Honors Scholars Committee _____ Date _____

Copies to: Academic Dean, Supervising Professor, Global Honors Scholars Committee, Registrar or ADP office, Faculty Advisor, and Candidate.