Honors Program

Department Information

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- **Degrees Offered:** Minor

Minor Requirements

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Required Credits: 16

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Honors Electives - Select 6 Credits from the following:

- HON 340
- HON 341
- HON 342
- ART 380
- HON 391
- HON 396
- UNIV 492

Graduate Level Course

- HON 491: Seminar (1 credit)
- HON 489: Senior Thesis (2 credits)
- HON 494: Individual Study (1 credit)²

Total Credits: 16

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1. Students must submit a proposal to take a graduate level course as a junior with the intent to complete the course as a senior. Students will work with their program advisor to ensure all Graduate School paperwork is complete.

2. Students must take at least 1 credit of independent study in the department of the thesis advisor.

Honor Capstone Project Notes

- Students in the Honors program must complete the honors capstone project to complete the honors minor. The honors capstone project is the culmination of the Honors experience. Students will work with a faculty mentor to design and carry out the project. Students may complete a research thesis, online portfolio, experiential-based project, creative/performative project or an innovation project.

- Projects should be conceptualized as a project that cannot be completed within the confines of one class or one semester. This means that the project should be sufficiently broad in scope and in-depth in analysis. Students can select one of five options for the honors capstone project.