



Honors Program Advisement Information

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-Program Requirements

24 semester hours of Honors course credit, including the Honors thesis, are required to receive the Honors Diploma.

- An overall 3.25 GPA at graduation (starting Spring 2013)
- Required courses
 - EH 105: Honors English Seminar - 3 semester hours (see the [FAQ Q9](#) if you're not sure about this)
 - HON 100: Honors Lecture Series (formerly Honors Forum) or HON 120: Honors Inquiry - 2 or 3 semester hours total
 - One Honors Interdisciplinary Seminar or other approved course - 3 semester hours.
 - Honors Thesis course (3 semester hours in HON or your department)
- Remaining hours may be from any of the following categories.
 - Honors sections of regular courses (e.g., PHL 101 - Honors Intro to Philosophy)
 - Specially designed courses just for Honors
 - Honors lab sections associated with a regular lecture (e.g., PH 114-20 along with PH 111) – students receive Honors credit for BOTH lab and lecture.
 - Foreign Language – Students may receive up to 3 hours of Honors credit for a 200 level or above foreign language course. The student must receive a B or better to be awarded Honors credit.
 - Honors contract in any 300+ course (arranged with instructor)
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-Honors Certificate of Completion of Upper Level Requirements

Students who want to participate in the Honors Program but who may not be able to complete the entire 24-hour honors credit hour requirement have the choice to pursue the Honors Certificate of Completion of Upper-Level Requirements. Please talk to the Honors Office first; you may still be able to complete the full Honors Diploma. Requirements for the Certificate are as follows:

- **12 semester hours of Honors courses**
 - 3 hours from any 300 or 400 level course (or Honors contract)
 - Must include an Honors Interdisciplinary Seminar
 - Must include an approved Honors Research/Creative Project
 - An additional 3 hours of Honors coursework

-IMPORTANT – Anyone who registers for an Honors course **MUST** have the Honors score entered in SOATEST. It should give them a test score error when they try to register. If they don't have this score, this means they are not a member of the Honors Program and must get permission from the Honors Office before enrolling in the class.

-The **Honors designation** can be found under Student Cohorts and Student Attributes.

- Honors Student Cohorts and Student attributes can be found under SGASADD in Native Banner.
- Cohort code will have term, semester and HPP (201109HPP for Fall 2011 cohorts)
- Attribute indicates if they are pursuing the Honors Diploma (HDIP) or Honors Certificate (HCER)

-Please check our website (honors.uah.edu) regularly for new Honors courses and updated information!

- New courses for Fall 2012 are:
 - HON 120- Honors Inquiry (1 hour) (description attached)
 - HON 200 - Honors Leadership Practicum (1 hour) (description attached)

-**Honors Advisement worksheets** have been updated. You can access these forms at <http://honors.uah.edu/honors-advisement.php>.