Commonwealth Honors College Curriculum  
*Students entering UMass Amherst Fall 2018 and later*

### Breadth of Scholarship  
**(First-Sophomore years)**

1. **ENGLWRIT 112H – College Writing Honors**  

   If College Writing is completed prior to CHC admission, any Gen Ed Honors Course (3+ credits) can substitute.

2. **HONORS 201H – Ideas that Change the World** (Gen Ed “I + US-DU,” 4 credits)

3. **Gen Ed Honors Course** (3+ credits)

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   Students may petition to have any Honors Course satisfy this requirement.

5. **HONORS 391AH – Special Topics** (1 credit)

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### Depth of Scholarship  
**(Junior-Senior years)**

#### Multidisciplinary Honors (MH)

MH is the suggested choice for students who wish to pursue honors work:
- Outside of their primary major or
- Between two or more disciplines

See: [www.honors.umass.edu/multidisciplinaryhonors](http://www.honors.umass.edu/multidisciplinaryhonors)

6. **Any level Honors Course** (3+ credits)

7. **300 level or Higher Honors Course** (3+ credits)

8. **Honors Thesis Part 1** (3+ credits)

9. **Honors Thesis Part 2** (3+ credits)

#### Departmental Honors (DH) – by approval

DH is the suggested choice for students who wish to pursue:
- Advanced scholarship in their major
- Graduate studies in their major or related field
- A career related to their major

View your department’s specific DH requirements at: [www.honors.umass.edu/departmentalhonors](http://www.honors.umass.edu/departmentalhonors)

6. **Any level Honors Course – in your major** (3+ credits)

7. **300 level or Higher Honors Course – in your major** (3+ credits)

8. **Honors Thesis Part 1 - in your major** (3+ credits)

9. **Honors Thesis Part 2 – in your major** (3+ credits)

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*Required for graduation from honors: 3.400 minimum cumulative GPA, minimum grade of B or higher in all Honors Courses and 45 graded residence credits*