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HONORS CURRICULUM OVERVIEW and REQUIREMENTS

- Departmental Honors Programs and Honors Program Directors
- Multidisciplinary Honors
- Honors 201H: Ideas that Change the World
- Honors 391AH: Topics
- Honors Thesis or Project
  - Brochure: Getting Started and Brochure: Finishing Up

RESEARCH and GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

HONORS COURSE GUIDE

CHC PATHS - online forms portal

TYPES OF HONORS COURSES

SPIRE-Accessible Honors Courses (faculty-generated)
- Fully enriched Honors Courses and Seminars (see Honors Course Guide)
- Honors Colloquia (see Honors Course Guide)
- Six-Credit Intensive Language Courses
- Graduate-Level Courses (600-level courses and up)
- Honors Thesis or Project Seminars (see Honors Course Guide)

Contracted Honors Courses (student-generated)

- Independent Studies Honors (ISHs) - registration via CHC PATHS
- Honors Theses or Projects (499s) - Proposal Guidelines and registration via CHC PATHS

Petitioned Honors Courses (faculty-generated courses) - Petition form

- Five-College Courses
- Study Abroad Courses
- National Student Exchange Honors Courses
- UMass Amherst 500-level Courses
- Transfer Honors Courses

COMMUNITY OF SCHOLARS -- PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Student Advisory Board
- Bachelor’s Degree with Individual Concentration (BDIC)
- Office of National Scholarship Advisement (ONSA)
- International Scholars Program (ISP)

- Peer Leadership Program
  - Peer Interns
  - Peer Advisors
  - Peer Ambassadors
Welcome Weekend Orientation Leaders

- Annual Undergraduate Research Conference
- The Gateway Program

COMMUNITY OF SCHOLARS - EVENTS

- Pizza & Prof Nights
- Weekly Wednesday Workshops
- Celebration of Excellence

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

- Class of 2013 and later

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