SUNY ULSTER Honors Program

Make the Most of Your College Experience





SUNY Ulster's Honors Program cultivates a close-knit community of academically motivated students, providing an intellectually stimulating experience geared to their exceptional abilities.

Build an excellent resume for transfer to a four-year college and future employment by:

- Fulfilling general education requirements in a curriculum specifically tailored to challenge and engage.
- Gaining leadership and professional development opportunities through our Student Government Organization (SGO) and Eleanor Roosevelt Community College Emerging Leaders Program (ECCEL).
- Learning how to network with professionals through regional organizations and campus events.
- Taking advantage of academic travel and internships that provide real world experience beyond the classroom.
- Studying with other high achieving students.
- Gaining the academic support and mentorship of a designated Honors Advisor.

Incoming Fall 2014 honor students who successfully complete the 18-credit sequence will receive an Honors designation on their diplomas.



Check out the Honors Curriculum on the reverse side.

Honors Curriculum

For Entering Freshman Students - Fall 2014

Honors English I.

The English 171 curriculum is based on classics of the Western intellectual tradition. The course encourages individual exploration and original thought. The class is taught by Professor Tom Impola. It meets on Tuesday and Thursday between 1:10 and 2:30. This course fulfills the ENG 101 requirement.

Honors History Western Civilization I

History 171, Western Civilization I, is a discussion- based course that explores the history and development of Western Civilization from the ancient world through the Middle Ages using art, archaeology, and written sources. It is taught by Dr. Nichola Harris. It meets on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday between 9:45 and 10:40. This course fulfills the History 101 requirement.

Honors Communication I

COM 171 is an augmented version of Public Speaking that emphasizes the elements and forms of successful speech making through research, analysis, and practice. It is taught by Professor Robert Pucci. It meets on Tuesday and Thursday between 2:40 and 4:00. This course fulfills the COM 105 requirement.

For Returning Freshman Students - Spring 2015

Honors English II.

English 172 is a discussion-based class where students study and analyze authors and literature from the Medieval era to the 18th century through close readings, round table forums, and scholarly research. It is taught by Assistant Professor Jennifer Kaufman. This course fulfills the ENG 102 requirement. Library 111 must be taken in conjunction with this course.

Honors Western Civilization History II

History 173 is a survey course that traces the development of the distinctive features of European institutions, economic systems, society, religion and culture from the 16th century to the present day. It is the continuation course of Honors Western Civilization History I. It is taught by Dr. Nichola Harris. This course fulfills the History 102 requirement.

Honors Psychology I

Psychology 171 is an examination of human behavior and covers such topics as psychological perspectives, biology and behavior, learning, memory, cognition, perception, motivation, personality and stress. Through discussion and activities, students apply learning to themselves and the world around them. It is taught by Dr. Anne Davis. This course fulfills the Psychology 101 requirement.

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