

GCU HONORS COLLEGE

Graduation Requirements and Honors Course Catalog

2019-20

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HONORS COLLEGE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The GCU Honors College requires students to meet all of the following criteria to progress through the program and graduate with the honors minor and honors distinction on their transcript:

- Maintain a minimum 3.25 GPA at GCU (reviewed annually)
- Complete Honors College coursework
 - » Incoming freshmen: Complete 20 credits of honors coursework
 - » Transfer students: Complete 16 credits of honors coursework
- Participate and pass HON106: Honors Symposium
- **Required Honors College General Education Courses**
 - » UNV-109HN: Introduction to Honors Education and Academic Literacies—Required
 - ◊ UNV-109HN replaces all UNV courses offered by GCU, including UNV103, UNV107, UNV108 and UNV112. All honors students are required to take UNV-109HN.
 - » CWV-106HN Christianity: Story, Theology and Mission (replaces CWV-101)—**Required**
 - » ENG-206HN The Power of the Media, Social and Critical Approaches (replaces ENG-106)—**Required**
 - ◊ ENG-206HN will be transitioning to UNV-201HN: Intersections Between the Humanities and Sciences starting spring 2020. Students that have already taken ENG-206HN will not be required to retake UNV-201HN. However, only UNV-201HN will be offered starting spring 2020 and moving forward.
- **Strongly Recommended Honors College Courses**
 - » BUS-340HN: Business Process Design (Launching spring 2020) (4 credits) – Honors Addendum
 - » COM-211HN: Honors Public Speaking (4 credits) – Honors Only
 - » ECN449HN: Poverty of Nations (2 credits) – Honors Addendum

Please review the GCU Policy Handbook regularly to stay current on all GCU Honors College program policies and graduation requirements. Also note, transfer coursework, including credits earned through dual enrollment, other colleges or universities, AP, IB or CLEP tests, is not accepted for UNV-109HN, CWV-106HN and ENG-206HN. All honors students, incoming and transfer students, are required to complete UNV-109HN, CWV-106HN and ENG-206HN to meet their honors graduation criteria.

HONORS COLLEGE CORE COURSES 2019-20

SPECIAL NOTE: Honors College core course options may change as degree programs are newly developed or revised from its original version. Please review the 2019-20 GCU Academic Catalog online or meet with your honors student services counselor to discuss your honors course options.

ABOUT HONORS CORE COURSES: Honors core courses use an honors addendum. Honors students are integrated into a non-honors classroom and follow an addendum to the standard course syllabus. This addendum modifies a select number of assignments throughout the course to enhance your learning experience. Be sure to locate the honors addendum in the Course Materials section of LoudCloud at the beginning of your course and identify the assignments that will include modifications or adjustments. **It is the honors student's responsibility to approach the faculty member during week one of courses to review and discuss the honors addendum, as well as future collaboration.**

QUESTIONS? Contact GCUHonors@gcu.edu or your honors students services counselor if you need further assistance with an honors core course.

Honors College Symposium Course Options

The Honors Symposium is a mandatory, 0-credit, co-curricular requirement for all first-year honors students. Honors students are only required to take the Honors Symposium course once during their time at GCU. Select a symposium course option from this list below. Contact your honors student services counselor to register for your course of choice during the spring semester.

- HON-106B Honors Symposium: Engineering (0 credits)
- HON-106C Honors Symposium: Computer Science and Information Technology (0 credits)
- HON-106D Honors Symposium: Nursing, Athletic Training and Health Care Administration (0 credits)

- HON-106E Honors Symposium: Education (0 credits)
- HON-106F Honors Symposium: Business (0 credits)
- HON-106G Honors Symposium: Theology (0 credits)
- HON-106H Honors Symposium: Biology and Environmental Studies (0 credits)
- HON-106I Honors Symposium: Fine Arts and Digital Arts (0 credits)
- HON-106J Honors Symposium: Justice Studies, Government and Humanities (0 credits)
- HON-106K Honors Symposium: Psychology, Sociology, Behavioral Health (0 credits)
- HON-106L Honors Symposium: Forensic Science (0 credits)
- HON-406B Project Management Fellowship

College of Education

- ECE-220HN Typical and Atypical Behaviors in Early Childhood (4 credits)
- ECE-360HN Family, Community and Cultural Awareness in Early Childhood (4 credits)
- ECH-130HN Educational Psychology in Early Childhood (4 credits)
- ECH-325HN Child, Family, Community and Culture (4 credits)
- ECH-425HN Early Literacy Development (4 credits)
- ECH-440HN Assessing, Monitoring and Reporting Progress of Young Children (4 credits)
- ECS-320HN Child Guidance and Classroom Management for Typical and Atypical Behaviors (4 credits)
- ECS-435HN Assessment, Evaluation and Reporting for Early Childhood/Special Education (4 credits)
- ECS-455HN Developmentally Appropriate Instruction: STEM Subjects (4 credits)
- EDU-213HN Educational Psychology (4 credits)
- EDU-330HN Social Justice for Educators (4 credits)
- EDU-450HN Classroom Engagement and Management (4 credits)
- EDU-480HN Research-Based Methods and Strategies of Teaching English Language Arts (4 credits)
- ELM-200HN Child and Early Adolescent Development and Psychology (4 credits)
- ELM-250HN Creating and Managing Engaging Learning Environments (4 credits)
- ESL-433HN Advanced Methodologies of Structured English Immersion (4 credits)
- SPD-200HN Survey of Special Education: Mild to Moderate Disabilities (4 credits)

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- BIT-200HN Introduction to Computer Technology (4 credits)
- BIT-415HN IT Project Management (4 credits)
- BIT-417HN IT Governance and Ethics (4 credits)
- BIT-430HN Introduction to Business Analytics (4 credits)
- BIT-435HN Advanced Business Analytics (4 credits)
- BIT-470HN Strategic Information Systems Management (4 credits)
- BUS-330HN Business Process Design (Launching Spring 2020) (4 credits)
- BUS-340HN Ethical and Legal Issues in Business (4 credits)
- BUS-485HN Strategic Management (4 credits)
- ECN-220HN Introduction to Economics (4 credits)
- ECN-351HN Essentials of Economics (4 credits)
- ECN-361HN Microeconomics (4 credits)
- ENT-436HN Intrapreneurship and Innovation (4 credits)
- ENT-445HN Business Planning for Entrepreneurs (4 credits)
- MGT-420HN Organizational and Behavior Management (4 credits)
- **MGT-422HN** Honors Organizational and Behavioral Management (4 credits)**

College of Science, Engineering and Technology

- BIO-319HN Applied Nutrition (4 credits)
- BIO-322HN Pathophysiology (4 credits)
- BIO-333HN Molecular and Cellular Biology (4 credits)
- BIO-440HN Molecular and Cellular Biology (4 credits)
- BIO-457HN Genetics (4 credits)
- **BIO-459HN** Honors Genetics (4 credits)**
- BIO-475HN Advanced Genetics (3 credits)
- BIO-475LHN Advanced Genetics (1 credit)
- BIO-483HN Pathophysiology (4 credits)
- **BIO-485HN** Honors Pathophysiology (4 credits)**

**Honors-only student cohort offered for this course

- CHM-315HN Analytical Chemistry (3 credits)
- CHM-315LHN Analytical Chemistry (1 credit)
- CHM-350HN Fundamental Biochemistry (3 credits)
- CHM-350LHN Fundamental Biochemistry Lab (1 credit)
- CHM-360HN Principals of Biochemistry (3 credits)
- CHM-360LHN Principals of Biochemistry (1 credit)
- CHM-365HN Instrumental Analysis (3 credits)
- CHM-365LHN Instrumental Analysis Lab (1 credit)
- CHM-451HN Pharmacology (4 credits)
- CHM-460HN Advanced Biochemistry (3 credits)
- CHM-460LHN Advanced Biochemistry (1 credit)
- CST-213HN Computer Programming III (4 credits)
- CST-217HN Principals of Database Design and Programming (4 credits)
- CST-220HN Operating Systems Concepts and Lab (4 credits)
- CST-221HN Operating Systems Concepts (4 credits)
- CST-235HN Computer Programming III (4 credits)
- CST-341HN Open Source Computing (4 credits)
- CST-360HN Design Patterns in Java (4 credits)
- CST-361HN Design Patterns in Java (4 credits)
- CST-410HN Game Design and Game Play Lecture and Lab (4 credits)
- CST-416HN Mobile Game Development Lecture and Lab (4 credits)
- CST-435HN Search Engines and Data Mining (4 credits)
- CST-440HN Analytics for Dynamic Social Networks Lecture and Lab (4 credits)
- CST-451HN Senior Project I (2 credits)
- CST-452HN Senior Project II (2 credits)
- CYB-420HN Global Perspectives on Cyberwarfare (Coming Soon) (4 credits)
- EEE-302HN Advanced Circuits Lab (4 credits)
- EEE-431HN Communications Signal Processing and Lab (4 credits)
- ENV-300HN Environmental and Human Health Risk Assessment (4 credits)
- ENV-402HN Chemical Investigation and Remediation Strategies (3 credits)
- ENV-402LHN Chemical Investigation and Remediation Strategies (1 credit)
- ESG-202HN Electrical and Electronic Circuits (3 credits)
- ESG-202LHN Electrical and Electronic Circuits (1 credit)
- ESG-451HN Capstone Project I (2 credits)
- ESG-452HN Capstone Project II (2 credits)
- ETG-410HN Controls and Instrumentation (4 credits)
- ETG-498HN Senior Project I (2 credits)
- ETG-499HN Senior Project II (2 credits)
- EXS-335HN Kinesiology (3 credits)
- EXS-335LHN Kinesiology (1 credit)
- EXS-340HN Physiology of Exercise (3 credits)
- EXS-340LHN Physiology of Exercise (1 credit)
- EXS-428HN Biomechanics and Sports Nutrition (4 credits)
- EXS-430HN Health Promotions (4 credits)
- EXS-432HN Health Planning and Implementation (4 credits)
- EXS-441HN Epidemiological Issues (4 credits)
- EXS-455HN Advances Principles of Sports Performance (3 credits)
- EXS-455LHN Advances Principles of Sports Performance (1 credit)
- EXS-458HN Theory and Practice of Strength Conditioning (4 credits)
- ITT-250HN Service Orientated Architecture (4 credits)
- ITT-270HN Routing and Switching (4 credits)
- ITT-325HN IT Project management Lecture and Lab (4 credits)
- ITT-410HN Emerging Technologies and Lab (3 credits)
- ITT-415HN Business Case Planning for Global Enterprise (4 credits)
- ITT-450HN Cloud Technologies, Systems and Applications Lecture and Lab (4 credits)
- MEE-340HN Structure and Property of Materials (3 credits)
- MEE-340LHN Structure and Property of Materials Lab (1 credit)
- PED-415HN Secondary School Physical Education (4 credits)
- PED-450HN Methods of Teaching and Assessing Health (4 credits)
- PHY-122HN University Physics II (3 credits)

- PHY-122LHN University Physics II (1 credit)
- STG-330HN Thermodynamics and Lab (4 credits)
- STG-380HN Ethics and Professionalism in Science and Technology (4 credits)
- STG-390HN Professionalism in Science and Technology-Communications (4 credits)

College of Humanities and Social Sciences

- BHS-320HN Ethics of Behavioral Health Science (4 credits)
- BHS-420HN Human Development (4 credits)
- BHS-430HN Introduction to Family Dynamics (4 credits)
- **COM-211HN** Honors Public Speaking (4 credits)**
- COM-355HN Communication and Research Methods (4 credits)
- COM-362HN Argumentation and Advocacy (4 credits)
- COM-451HN Relational Communications (4 credits)
- COM-456HN Organizational Communications (4 credits)
- ENG-240HN Writing for the 21st Century Workplace (4 credits)
- ENG-270HN English Literature II (4 credits)
- ENG-353HN American Literature II (4 credits)
- ENG-355HN Multicultural Literature (4 credits)
- ENG-450HN Shakespeare (4 credits)
- ENG-451HN Shakespeare and History of Drama (4 credits)
- ENG-456HN Communicating Scientific Ideas to Popular Audiences (4 credits)
- ENG-460HN The Novel (4 credits)
- GOV-307HN Introduction to Political Theory (4 credits)
- GOV-358HN Research Methods in Government and Politics (4 credits)
- GOV-364HN Public Policy Analysis (4 credits)
- GOV-378HN American Constitution (4 credits)
- HIS-310HN Civil War and Reconstruction (4 credits)
- HIS-380HN Renaissance and Reformation (4 credits)
- HIS-426HN 20th Century Europe (4 credits)
- HIS-450HN US History Since 1945 (4 credits)
- HIS-466HN Southwest Borderlands (4 credits)
- JUS-202HN Professional Responsibility in Justice (4 credits)
- JUS-212HN Criminal Behavior and Victimology (4 credits)
- JUS-320HN The Police Function (4 credits)
- JUS-325HN The Adjudication Function (4 credits)
- JUS-430HN Criminal Law (4 credits)
- JUS-452HN Juvenile Delinquency and Justice (4 credits)
- MAT-312HN Higher Geometry (4 credits)
- MAT-470HN Mathematical Modeling (4 credits)
- PCN-365HN Advanced Counseling Theories – Addiction and Substance Use Disorder Counselors (4 credits)
- PCN-370HN Psychopath and Adv. Treatment – Spec Pop w/ Addiction and Substance Use Disorders (4 credits)
- PCN-404HN Prof, Legal and Ethical Issues – Addiction and Substance Use Disorder Counselors (4 credits)
- PCN-481HN Process Addictions (4 credits)
- PSY-255HN Personality Psychology (4 credits)
- PSY-362HN Social Psychology and Cultural Applications (4 credits)
- PSY-369HN Social Psychology (4 credits)
- PSY-452HN Experimental Psychology (4 credits)
- PSY-470HN Abnormal Psychology (4 credits)
- SOC-320HN Marriage and Family (4 credits)
- SOC-386HN Human Behavior and the Social Environment (4 credits)
- SOC-410HN Social Inequality and Stratification (4 credits)
- SOC-417HN Sociological Theories (4 credits)
- SOC-436HN Stratification and Inequality in a Diverse Society (4 credits)
- SPA-310HN Spanish Composition and Grammar (4 credits)
- SPA-320HN Contemporary Issues (4 credits)
- SPA-410HN Theory and Methodology for Translation and Interpretation (4 credits)
- SPA-440HN Web-Based Resources and Technology for Translation and Interpretation (4 credits)

College of Theology

- HTH-330HN Christian Ethics (4 credits)
- HTH-350HN Survey of Historical Theology (4 credits)
- HTH-379HN History of Christianity (4 credits)
- HTH-469HN Contemporary Theology (4 credits)
- INT-310HN Christianity in a Global Context (4 credits)
- MIN-430HN Ministerial Communication (4 credits)
- WSA-321HN Psalms, Hymns and Spiritual Songs (4 credits)
- WSA-322HN Theology and Worship (4 credits)
- WSA-423HN Worship Lecture (4 credits)
- WSA-424HN Christian Worldview and Media (4 credits)

College of Fine Arts and Production

- ADV-250HN Advanced Design Fundamentals (4 credits)
- ADV-340HN Media Law and Ethics (4 credits)
- ADV-350HN Digital Advertising Communication (4 credits)
- DAN-200HN Somatics for the Dancer (2 credits)
- DAN-320HN Technology for Dancer Educators (2 credits)
- DAN-390HN Choreography II: Process (2 credits)
- DAN-395HN Dance Production (4 credits)
- DDN-210HN Designing with Type (4 credits)
- DDN-340HN History of Design (4 credits)
- DDN-400HN Business for the Design Professional (4 credits)
- DDN-475HN Advanced Design Practicum (4 credits)
- DFP-101HN Introduction to Cinema: History and Aesthetics (4 credits)
- DFP-311HN Cinema Directing (4 credits)
- DFP-331HN Visual Storytelling (4 credits)
- MUS-223HN Conducting (4 credits)
- MUS-360HN Music History I (3 credits)
- MUS-369HN Music History II (3 credits)
- MUS-393HN Form and Analysis (3 credits)
- MUS-451HN Advanced Choral Conducting (2 credits)
- MUS-452HN Advanced Instrumental Conducting (2 credits)
- MUS-453HN Advanced Conducting (4 credits)
- TRE-325HN Theatre History I: Greek to Restoration (4 credits)
- TRE-330HN Theatre History II: 18th Century to Present (4 credits)
- TRE-439HN Stage Direction (4 credits)
- TRE-475HN Stage Lighting and Design (4 credits)

College of Nursing and Health Care Professions

- ATP-301HN Recognition and Evaluation of Injuries I (3 credits)
- ATP-301LHN Recognition and Evaluation of Injuries I Lab (1 credit)
- ATP-302HN Recognition and Evaluation of Injuries II (3 credits)
- ATP-302LHN Recognition and Evaluation of Injuries II Lab (1 credit)
- ATP-360HN Theory of Prescribing Exercise (3 credits)
- ATP-360LHN Theory of Prescribing Exercise Lab (1 credit)
- ATP-401HN General Medical Conditions (3 credits)
- ATP-401LHN General Medical Conditions Lab (1 credit)
- EXS-366HN General Medical Conditions (4 credits)
- EXS-415HN Advanced Athletic Training (4 credits)
- EXS-426HN Theory of Prescribing Exercise (3 credits)
- EXS-426LHN Theory of Prescribing Exercise (1 credit)
- HCA-450HN Quality in Health Care (4 credits)
- HCA-455HN Organizational Behavior and Leadership in Health Care (4 credits)
- HCA-460HN Operations and Risk Management (4 credits)
- HCA-470HN Strategic Planning and Implementations in Health Care (4 credits)
- NSG-300HN Foundations of Nursing (3 credits)
- NSG-310HN Introduction to Professional Nursing (3 credits)
- NSG-322HN Behavioral Health Nurse (3 credits)
- NSG-440HN Population Health (Launching SP19) (3 credits)
- NUR-438HN Population Health – Fall Semester Only (3 credits)



QUESTIONS?

Contact your student services counselor.

**Honors-only student cohort offered for this course

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