

Program Change Request

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Admission Reqs: Honors College HNRS

Admission Requirements

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Changes proposed by: jdt015

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Program Status Active

Academic Level Undergraduate

Type of proposal Policy

Select a reason for this modification

Making Minor Changes to an Existing Certificate or Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or Track)

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2022

College/School Code
Honors College (HNRS)

Department Code
Department of Honors Dean (HOND)

Program Code

In Workflow

1. **HNRS Dean Initial**
2. **Director of Curriculum Review and Program Assessment**
3. **Registrar Initial**
4. **Institutional Research**
5. **HOND Chair**
6. **HNRS Dean**
7. **Global Campus**
8. **Provost Review**
9. **University Course and Program Committee**
10. **Faculty Senate**
11. **Provost Final**
12. **Registrar Final**
13. **Catalog Editor Final**

Approval Path

1. 11/23/21 11:33 am
Lynda Coon (llcoon):
Approved for HNRS
Dean Initial
2. 11/29/21 11:54 am
Alice Griffin
(agriffin): Approved
for Director of
Curriculum Review
and Program
Assessment
3. 12/01/21 4:03 pm
Gina Daugherty

HNRS Admission

Reqs

Program Title

(gdaugher):

Approved for

Registrar Initial

4. 12/01/21 4:23 pm

Doug Miles

(dmiles): Approved

for Institutional

Research

5. 12/03/21 12:05 pm

John Treat (jdt015):

Approved for HOND

Chair

6. 12/03/21 12:23 pm

Lynda Coon (llcoon):

Approved for HNRS

Dean

7. 12/03/21 12:28 pm

Suzanne Kenner

(skenner): Approved

for Global Campus

8. 12/03/21 12:50 pm

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Mamiseishvili

(kmamisei):

Approved for

Provost Review

9. 12/20/21 8:39 am

Alice Griffin

(agriffin): Approved

for University

Course and Program

Committee

History

1. Nov 17, 2021 by

Charlie Alison

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Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

College Admission Requirements

To apply for honors, students should visit the Honors College website at honorscollege.uark.edu and click on Apply. There they can review admission requirements and the honors program requirements in their college. Honors-eligible new freshmen should fill out the Honors College Application, available online. To register for honors classes in their first semester, they should apply before attending freshman orientation.

New transfer students and current students should contact the honors program director or assistant director in their college to determine eligibility and, for some programs, which form of honors (four-year or departmental) would best meet their needs. Then they should fill out the Honors College Application form. The list of honors program directors and both honors application forms are available online at honorscollege.uark.edu.

The chart below contains basic requirements for each of the honors programs. For detailed information, see the individual honors program sections for each college or school in this catalog. Note that honors admission is based on the highest composite ACT or SAT score, not on superscores. In calculating GPA, extra weight is given only for Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate courses.

Honor Admission Requirements

College or School	New Freshmen	Current Students
Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.5 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.5 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA
Fay Jones School of Architecture	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.5 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.5 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA
Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.75 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.5 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA

College or School	New Freshmen	Current Students
Walton College of Business	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.75 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.75 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA
College of Education and Health Professions	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.5 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.5 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA
College of Engineering	Minimum 28 ACT composite or 1310 SAT and 3.75 high school GPA are eligible for automatic admission. Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review.	3.5 cumulative University of Arkansas GPA

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
Adds second option for Honors admission to all colleges: "Students with a 3.9 high school GPA can submit an essay and academic resume for application review."	This makes permanent one of the two additional paths to honors admission used last year on an experimental basis and has been approved by the individual college honors programs.

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (11/29/21 11:54 am): Changed program code back to match program title. Not sure what 1660 is referencing.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/03/21 1:43 pm): Removed the colon from the program code to address the duplication.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/03/21 1:54 pm): Cleaned up program title field for consistency and to reflect the Honors College.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (12/17/21 4:57 pm): At UCPC, Paul Cronan moved and Casey Harris seconded to amend the motion based on John Treat's recommendation to the current students requirements for Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences. Changing the cumulative University of Arkansas GPA from 3.75 to 3.5. Changing Walton College of Business for New Freshmen from 3.5 to 3.75 high school GPA. Plus amend the proposal for College of Engineering New Freshmen from 3.5 to 3.75 high school GPA.