

Commonwealth Honors College Curriculum

Students entering UMass Amherst Fall 2018 and later

Breadth of Scholarship (First-Sophomore years)
1. ENGLWRIT 112H – College Writing Honors <i>If College Writing is completed prior to CHC admission, any Gen Ed Honors Course (3+ credits) can substitute</i>
2. HONORS 201H – Ideas that Change the World (Gen Ed “I + US-DU,” 4 credits)
3. Gen Ed Honors Course (3+ credits)
4. Gen Ed Honors Course (3+ credits) <i>Students may petition to have any Honors Course satisfy this requirement.</i>
5. HONORS 391AH – Special Topics (1 credit)



Choose One

Depth of Scholarship (Junior-Senior years)	
Multidisciplinary Honors (MH)	Departmental Honors (DH) – <i>by approval</i>
MH is the suggested choice for students who wish to pursue honors work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outside of their primary major or • Between two or more disciplines See: www.honors.umass.edu/multidisciplinaryhonors	DH is the suggested choice for students who wish to pursue: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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
6. Any level Honors Course (3+ credits)	6. Any level Honors Course – <i>in your major</i> (3+ credits)
7. 300 level or Higher Honors Course (3+ credits)	7. 300 level or Higher Honors Course – <i>in your major</i> (3+ credits)
8. Honors Thesis Part 1 (3+ credits)	8. Honors Thesis Part 1 – <i>in your major</i> (3+ credits)
9. Honors Thesis Part 2 (3+ credits)	9. Honors Thesis Part 2 – <i>in your major</i> (3+ credits)

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