

FIRST SEMESTER HONORS PROJECT SYLLABUS

Course Introduction to Honors Project 3190
Fall/Spring, 20__

Instructor TBA

Catalog Description:

Introduction to Honors Project is a one-semester course designed to assist the student to develop and prepare a proposal for an Honors Project. The formal written proposal is submitted to the Honor's Committee for approval.

Prerequisites

- 60 hours completed, not necessarily at ETBU
- 6 hours completed within the chosen field
- Overall GPA of 3.5, maintaining a GPA of 3.5 overall, and a GPA of 3.75 in the student's major
- Project must be in the student's major

Textbook

No text is required, although the student will be expected to utilize scholarly journals within the academic major to help develop and prepare the proposal.

Course Objectives

The course will assist the student to prepare and develop a proposal for an honors project. The formal written proposal should include the following:

- Review of literature or annotated bibliography
- Hypothesis or research question or thesis statement
- Project overview:
 - Methods of research
 - List and description of research materials
- Outline of the structure and presentation of the final project as required within the specific discipline. (Must include the scope of the paper, performance, and/or presentation if required, etc.)
- Project Committee Members-Names with signatures
- Dean's signature-indicating support for the faculty member supervision assignment and the requisite load assignment

The Project Supervisor verifies the student's eligibility for an Honors Project and initiates directed study with the student. The Supervisor works closely with the student to write a proposal, select a Project Committee, and determine if a Library Consultant will be required. The proposal will then be submitted to the Honors Committee for approval. Once the Honors Committee approves the proposal the Supervisor works closely with student until the project is completed.

The Project Committee is selected by the Project Supervisor, in consultation with the student, and approved by the Honors Committee as part of the proposal prior to the second semester. The Project Committee will be made up of three ETBU faculty members including the Project Supervisor. No more than two of the three should be members of the department associated with the project.

The student may enroll in the second semester of the four-semester Honors Project sequence only after the acceptance of the formal proposal by the Honors Committee.

The formal written proposal is to be submitted in electronic format to the Honors Committee Chairperson no later than thirty days prior to the last class day of the semester.

Grading A letter grade will be awarded by the Project Supervisor at the completion of the semester.

Attendance Policy The student should arrange weekly meetings with the Project Supervisor

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION ABOUT THE HONORS PROJECT PROGRAM
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Will provide link to Honors Webpage as soon as it is available.