

TRANSFER STUDENT GUIDE



THE UNIVERSITY OF
MEMPHIS

Helen Hardin Honors College

As the largest Honors College in the state of Tennessee, Helen Hardin Honors College at the University of Memphis is dedicated to enabling a successful outcome for every student.

Being an honors student gives you access to never-ending opportunities for research, internships, study-abroad experiences and more!



1500+
Honors College
Members



200+
Study Abroad
Opportunities



200+
Fields of Study



42
Research Centers
and Institutes

Apply to the Honors College as a Transfer Student

- The Honors College accepts transfer students who have a 3.25+ college GPA and less than 60 earned credit hours
- Honors credits from previous institution(s) with an earned grade of “B” or higher are accepted toward program requirements
- We must be able to determine honors credits on official transcript from previous institution(s)
- Honors experiences completed at previous institutions may count toward Honors College requirements
- Students with over 60 earned credits may apply to the Honors College and be considered if they earned honors credit or participated in an honors experience(s) at previous institution(s)

Graduate with “University Honors”

- **25 credit hours of honors courses**, earning a **B or higher** in all honors courses
- Honors Forum - UNHP 1100 (transfer students can substitute with another honors course)
- Two Honors Experiences
- **A 3.25 GPA or higher** (overall and UofM) at the time of graduation

Approved Honors Experiences

- Upper-Level Honors Course
- Graduate Level Course
- Study Abroad for College Credit
 - One-Time Only
 - Also counts as 3-honors credits
- Internship for Academic Credit
 - One-Time Only
 - Also counts as 3-honors credits
- National Student Exchange (NSE)
 - One-Time Only
 - Also counts as 3-honors credits

Benefits of Joining the Honors College

- Scholarship opportunities
- Study abroad and domestic exchange programs, conference travel, internships
- Support for undergraduate research opportunities
- “University Honors” graduation distinction (will appear on diploma and transcript)
- Priority registration, extra library privileges, etc.
- Honors housing at the Living Learning Complex (LLC)
- Co-curricular Activities
 - Honors Student Organization (HSO)
 - Social Events (movie nights, game nights, gatherings, etc.)
 - Community Service Events
 - Guest speakers, professional development workshops, etc.

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