



John Wesley Scholars Program

Students accepted into the John Wesley Scholars program benefit from a comprehensive and engaging honors curriculum that fulfills their General Education requirements and leads to an honors concentration in their major area of study.

Honors Humanities Major

Honors Humanities is a rigorous interdisciplinary major that grapples with the 'big questions' of human existence and their relevance to everyday life through a highly integrated core curriculum. By completing the Honors Humanities Major, John Wesley Scholars fulfill IWU's General Education requirements and Competency and Proficiency requirements for graduation with a Bachelor's Degree.

The Honors Humanities major may not be taken as a stand-alone major. Honors Humanities is offered as a complementary major that provides interdisciplinary preparation for a more holistic and meaningful engagement of a particular field of study.

Admission to the Honors Humanities major is only open to students enrolled in the John Wesley Scholars program. **See list of courses on reverse.



Honors Scholarship Concentration in a Major Area of Study

John Wesley Scholars also pursue an honors scholarship concentration within their primary academic area(s) of interest which culminates in an independent research/creative project under the direction of a faculty mentor from their primary major(s).



Graduating from the Honors College with Distinction as a John Wesley Scholar

Upon successful completion of the Honors Humanities major and an Honors Scholarship Concentration in a major area of study, students graduate from the Honors College with honors distinction as a John Wesley Scholar. Students must maintain a 3.5 cumulative GPA and a 3.0 GPA in their coursework in the Honors Humanities major.

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Honors Humanities Major (General Education Core Curriculum for John Wesley Scholars)		52 hours
REQUIRED CORE COURSES		37 hours
Christian Liberal Learning and Life Calling		18
HNR 170	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Seminar I: <i>What is Truth?</i>	3
HNR 175	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Seminar II: <i>What is Beauty?</i>	3
HNR 270	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Seminar III: <i>What is Humanity?</i>	3
HNR 275	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Seminar IV: <i>What is the Good Life?</i>	3
HNR 375	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Seminar V: <i>Who is our Neighbor?</i>	3
HNR 475	Liberal Learning & Life Calling Capstone: <i>How then Shall We Live?</i>	3
Interdisciplinary Humanities		19
HNR 180	Foundations of the Christian Tradition	3
HNR 185	Rhetoric and the Sacramental Imagination	3
HNR 280	Wisdom, Culture & Justice through the Ages I	3
HNR 285	Great Texts in Context I	2
HNR 380	Wisdom, Culture & Justice through the Ages II	3
HNR 385	Great Texts in Context II	2
HNR 480	Advanced Topics in Interdisciplinary Humanities or	3
HNR 325	Honors Research Tutorial	
Honors Practica in Christian Calling		0-5
HNR 130	Honors Practicum in Christian Calling I: Practices of the Faithful – Called to Love	0-1
HNR 135	Honors Practicum in Christian Calling II: Practices of the Faithful – Called to Create	0-1
HNR 230	Honors Practicum in Christian Calling III: Habits of Faithfulness in One's Life Calling	0-1
HNR 330	Honors Practicum in Christian Calling IV: Practices of Redemptive Communities	0-1
HNR 430	Honors Practicum in Christian Calling V: Capstone	0-1
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES		15 hours
Social Science Electives (Two elective courses from PSY or SOC and ECO or POL or HST)		6
Health and Wellness		
PHE-101	Concepts of Health and Wellness (1)	2
PHE-102-139	One PHE Activity Course (1)	
Science/Mathematics		
Lab Science	(4)	7
Mathematics (at or above MAT 103 excluding MAT 108 and MAT 110) or		
Computer course (at or above CIS 110 excluding CIS 450)	(3)	
Writing Competency: Demonstrated by successful completion of Rhetoric & the Sacramental Imagination (HNR-185)		
Communication Competency: Demonstrated by successful completion of Honors Scholarship Presentation (HNR-499)		
Intercultural Competency: Demonstrated by successful completion of LLLC Seminar V: Who is our Neighbor? (HNR-375)		
Honors Scholarship Concentration in Major Area of Study		6 hours
<i>John Wesley Scholars in School of Arts & Humanities; School of Social, Behavioral Science, and Business; School of Theology & Ministry; School of Teacher Education; School of Nursing; Division of Mathematics</i>		
HNR 350	Honors Research Seminar	3
HNR 497	Honors Scholarship Project I ¹	1-3
HNR 498	Honors Scholarship Project II ¹	1-3
HNR 499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	0
<i>John Wesley Scholars in Division of Natural Sciences</i>		
BIO/CHE/PHY 495	Research in Biology/Chemistry/Physics	at least 4
BIO/CHE/PHY 490 HC	Biology/Chemistry/Physics Senior Seminar (Honors)	1
HNR 499	Honors Scholarship Presentation	1
¹ The Honors Scholarship Project is completed over the course of two semesters. Students decide with their faculty mentors how the 3-hour requirement will be distributed across the two semesters. Students may petition to pursue an Honors Scholarship Project of more than 3 hours (up to 6 hours).		