

# DECLARATION OF INTENT TO GRADUATE WITH DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

Departmental Honors focuses on the student's work in the major. Students are invited to apply for the departmental honors program after successful completion of SOC 3885 Research Methods I with an overall GPA of 3.4 or higher. They must maintain a GPA of 3.4 or higher and take six hours of honors courses and SOC 4510 (for which they will write an honors thesis). The completion of an honors thesis DOES NOT fulfill the Senior Capstone requirement.

Students who complete nine hours of honors work, including SOC 4510, will graduate with "honors in sociology." Students must earn a grade of "B+" or higher in all honors coursework taken to fulfill any honors requirements.

## 1. 6 hours honors credit

\_\_\_\_\_ Honors Course (3 credit hours)

Semester \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2. SOC 4510 (3 credit hours)

Semester \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Completion and Approval of Honors Thesis Proposal \_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Completion and Approval of Honors Thesis \_\_\_\_\_

Honors Thesis Committee Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Second Reader \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*The student below has expressed an interest in pursuing departmental honors and is aware of all the requirements. Students should submit a 1 page cover letter explaining their reasons for pursuing honors and a writing sample along with this application to the Departmental Honors Director for review.*

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Departmental Honors Director Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_