

DECLARATION OF INTENT TO GRADUATE WITH DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

Departmental Honors

Department Honors focuses on the student's work in the major. Students are invited to join the departmental honors program in their sophomore or junior years. They must have a major GPA of at least 3.45 and take six hours of honors courses before enrolling in ANT 4510 (for which they will write an Honors Thesis). The completion of an Honors Thesis also fulfills the Senior Capstone requirement.

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

The normal timeline to pursue this option is to identify a committee the second to last semester before graduation after completion of two courses and to write the Honors Thesis in the last semester before graduation while enrolled in ANT 4510. With the help of the Departmental Honors Advisor, students will select a faculty mentor who will serve as the Honors Thesis Advisor, in addition to 2 additional readers. For more information, please contact Dr. Timothy J. Smith (smithtj2@appstate.edu)

1. 6 hours of honors credit (must be completed before registering for ANT 4510)

_____ Honors Course (3 credit hours)

Semester _____ Grade _____

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2. ANT 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 _____

Departmental Honors Advisor _____ Date _____

The student below has expressed an interest to pursue Department Honors and is aware of all requirements

Applicant Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Departmental Honors Advisor Signature _____ Date _____