



EAST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE HONORS PROGRAM

HONORS CERTIFICATION PROCESS

FALL 2023

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

WHAT IS ELAC HONORS CERTIFICATION?

- STUDENTS WHO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE HONORS PROGRAM QUALIFY FOR ELAC CERTIFICATION. STUDENTS WHO ARE HONORS CERTIFIED ARE GIVEN PRIORITY ADMISSION CONSIDERATION TO THE FOLLOWING UNIVERSITIES:
- UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA:

PROGRAM CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- TO BE CERTIFIED IN THE HONORS PROGRAM, STUDENTS MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:
 1. FIVE HONORS COURSES WITH A 3.0 AVERAGE GPA* OVERALL IN HONORS COURSEWORK.
 2. LIB SCI 101 COLLEGE RESEARCH SKILLS, 1 UNIT (HONORS SECTIONS WILL BE OFFERED EVERY SEMESTER. (THIS IS A SEPARATE REQUIREMENT AND DOES NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE FIVE COURSES REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATION)).
 3. 3.0 AVERAGE GPA IN ALL LACCD AND EXTERNAL COLLEGE

PROGRAM CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS (CONTINUED)

- IF HONORS DESIGNATED COURSES WERE TAKEN AT OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGES, WE WILL COUNT TWO MAXIMUM TOWARDS HONORS CERTIFICATION AT ELAC.
- VERIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED THROUGH TRANSCRIPTS OR A LETTER OR EMAIL FROM THAT COLLEGE'S HONORS DIRECTOR.

WHEN DOES HONORS CERTIFICATION OCCUR?

- THE PROGRAM TYPICALLY CERTIFIES STUDENTS IN THE SEMESTER THEY ARE COMPLETING

ELAC HONORS CERTIFICATION FORM

ADDITIONAL PROCESS FOR UC IRVINE TRANSFER HONORS (TH) A HONORS TO HONORS (H2H)

- STUDENTS WHO APPLY TO UCI AND SEEK CREDIT FOR ELAC HONORS PROGRAM PARTICIPATION WILL BE SENT A LINK TO AN ELECTRONIC FORM ~~THE ELAC~~ ~~INTENT TO TRANSFER IN FALL 2024~~ ~~ONLY~~ BY THE ELAC PROGRAM. YOU MUST FILL OUT THE FORM IF YOU HAVE SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION TO UCI FOR FALL 2024.
- A LINK WILL BE SENT BY THE ELAC HONORS PROGRAM IN THE FALL ~~SEMESTER~~ ~~YOU~~ ~~WILL~~ ~~BE~~ ~~REQUIRED~~ ~~TO~~ ~~ENTER~~ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
 - STUDENT NAME
 - EMAIL USED ON THE UC APPLICATION
 - UC APPLICATION ID (NOT UCI ID) AND
 - BIRTHDATE

THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE WILL BE SUBMITTED TO UCI ~~BY THE ELAC~~ ~~HONORS~~ ~~PROGRAM~~ IN EARLY DECEMBER.

ADDITIONAL PROCESS FOR UC IRVINE HONORS TO HONORS (H2H):

- UCI HONORS TO HONORS IS A PARTNERSHIP WITH A GROUP OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES WHERE THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE HONORS PROGRAM MAY NOMINATE OUTSTANDING HONORS STUDENTS WHO HAVE APPLIED TO UCI FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION FOR CAMPUSWIDE HONORS AND FOR MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS. STUDENTS ON TRACK TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE END OF SPRING PRIOR TO ADMISSION MUST HAVE A 3.7 OR HIGHER UC TRANSFERABLE GPA IN COURSES TAKEN AT ALLEGESER COLL
- ART, NURSING, AND MAJORS THAT REQUIRE AN AUDITION DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE H2H PARTNERSHIP.
- THIS ADDITIONAL PROCESS BEGINS IN JANUARY. STUDENTS HAVE ACCESS TO THE LIST OF QUALIFIED ELAC STUDENTS WHO HAVE APPLIED FOR ADMISSION DURING THE FALL TERM. THE ELAC HONORS PROGRAM WILL IDENTIFY APPLICANTS WHO ARE ON TRACK TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE END OF SPRING PRIOR TO ADMISSION.
- STUDENTS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT ANYTHING ADDITIONAL BEYOND THE ELECTRONIC HTCC INTENT TO TRANSFER FORM AS NOTED IN THE PREVIOUS SLIDE.

ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION PROCESS FOR UCLA TRANSFERS TRANSFER ALLIANCE PROGRAM (TAP)

- TAP HONORS CERTIFICATION GIVES A PRIORITY CONSIDERATION FOR ADMISSION TO MAJORS AND ALTERNATIVE MAJORS IN UCLA'S COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE AND SOCIAL SCIENCES ONLY. IF YOU CANNOT BE ADMITTED TO YOUR FIRST CHOICE MAJOR, UCLA WILL SCREEN FOR ELIGIBLE ALTERNATE MAJORS IF LISTED ON YOUR APPLICATION.
- UCLA SPECIALTY SCHOOLS DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN TAP (ID ((M)Tj 0.096 Tw w (T)Tj -0.096 Tw (AP)Tj(LTH (AND PU)

TRANSCRIPTS/AP SCORES

PLEASE SEND OFFICIAL COPIES OF THE FOLLOWING TO THE
ADMISSIONS OFFICE:

- OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS (TO VERIFY IGETC 6A LOTE AREA)
- OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS FOR ALL ~~LACCD~~ COLLEGES ATTENDED.
- COLLEGE BOARD ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORE REPORT

HAVING ALL TRANSCRIPTS ON FILE WILL MAKE THE PROCESS OF APPLYING FOR HONORS CERTIFICATION, GRADUATION, ADVANCED PLACEMENT CREDIT, AND CSU GE/IGETC CERTIFICATION EASIER

COUNSELING

FOR GENERAL ADVISEMENT, GRADUATION/TRANSFER A
CERTIFICATION CHECKS, STUDENT EDUCATIONAL PLAN
HONORS STUDENTS MAY SEE ANY COUNSELOR AT ELA

EMAIL CONTACT

- WE WILL USE YOUR DISTRICT ISSUED EMAIL TO CONTACT YOU.
- EXAMPLE: HUSKYJ1301@STUDENT.LACCD.EDU
- YOUR PERSONAL EMAIL WILL BE ONLY USED IF WE CANNOT GET IN CONTACT WITH YOU.

- REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR LACCD EMAIL ADDRESS!!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. WILL I BE DROPPED FROM THE PROGRAM IF I DON'T TAKE ANY COURSE M SEMESTER?

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (CONTINUED)

5. HOW DO I REFLECT MY PARTICIPATION IN THE ELAC HONORS PROGRAM ON MY UNIVERSITY TRANSFER APPLICATIONS?

CSU APPLICATION: CURRENTLY THERE IS NO FIELD IN THE CSU APPLICATION TO INDICATE PARTICIPATION ON ON ACTIVITIES/PROGRAMS.

UC APPLICATION: PARTICIPATION SHOULD BE INDICATED WITHIN THE SECTION A CALLED "ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS". HONORS COURSE SECTIONS MAY ALSO BE LISTED UNDER "ADDITIONAL COMMENTS" SECTION.

COMMON APPLICATION: PARTICIPATION CAN BE LISTED UNDER THE "EXPERIENCE AND ACHIEVEMENT" SECTION.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTION ABOUT HONORS GRADUATION CORDS

6. DOES THE ELAC HONORS PROGRAM PROVIDE THE DEAN'S AND PRESIDENT'S HONORS LIST CORDS FOR GRADUATION? ~~NO.~~ THE HONORS PROGRAM ONLY PROVIDES A CORD FOR HONORS PROGRAM STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS IN THE PROGRAM. "ACTIVE" IS DEFINED AS HAVING COMPLETED AT LEAST ONE HONORS COURSE WITH A "B" AND HAVE MAINTAINED A 3.0 GPA. THE HONORS PROGRAM CORDS ARE GIVEN THROUGH THE HONORS PROGRAM.

PROGRAM CONTACTS

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