

University Honors Program On-Campus Admissions Info Session

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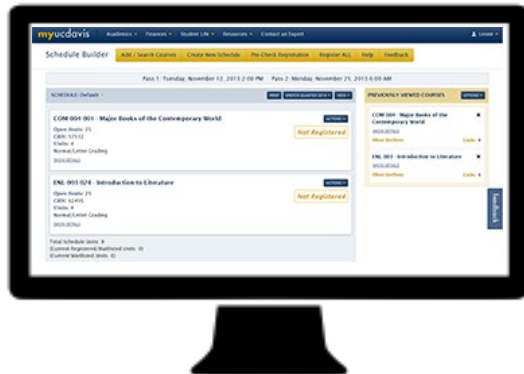


Mission of UHP

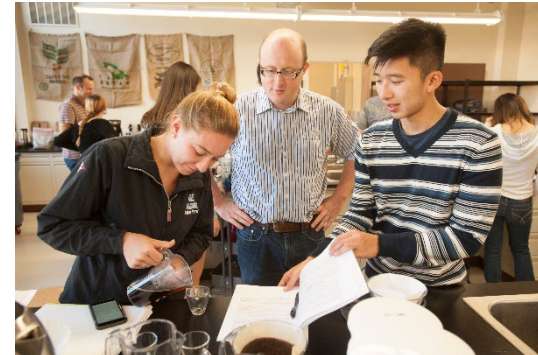
- Provide the experience of a small college education with the resources and opportunities of a world-class research university
- Promote student leadership and public service on campus and in the community, as agents of positive social change
- Serve as a platform for excellence in innovative teaching and learning that extends beyond UHP
- Prepare students for success in post-graduate training and their careers, and lead curious and creative lives in service of the public good



UHP Benefits



Priority registration



Small, interactive courses

COMMENTS:
SPECIAL ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS
SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE 2020-2021 UNIVERSITY
HONORS PROGRAM.

Transcript notation



Graduate library privileges



UHP Benefits



Advising



Access to Special Events



Dedicated UHP Staff



Community of Scholars

University Honors Program Curriculum

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Year 3 Activities do not need to follow a Fall-Winter-Spring timeline, can be done earlier			
Year 3	Research Preparation	Community Service	Project (select one)
	Signature Work Preparation Workshop Series	Minimum of 20 hours, must be volunteer (non-paid, non-unit earning)	Honors Contract (HNR190x) Individually Designed Project Study Abroad Washington Program
		Project Management Course (both service & project)	
		Leadership Development Programs (both service & project)	
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OCA UHP Application

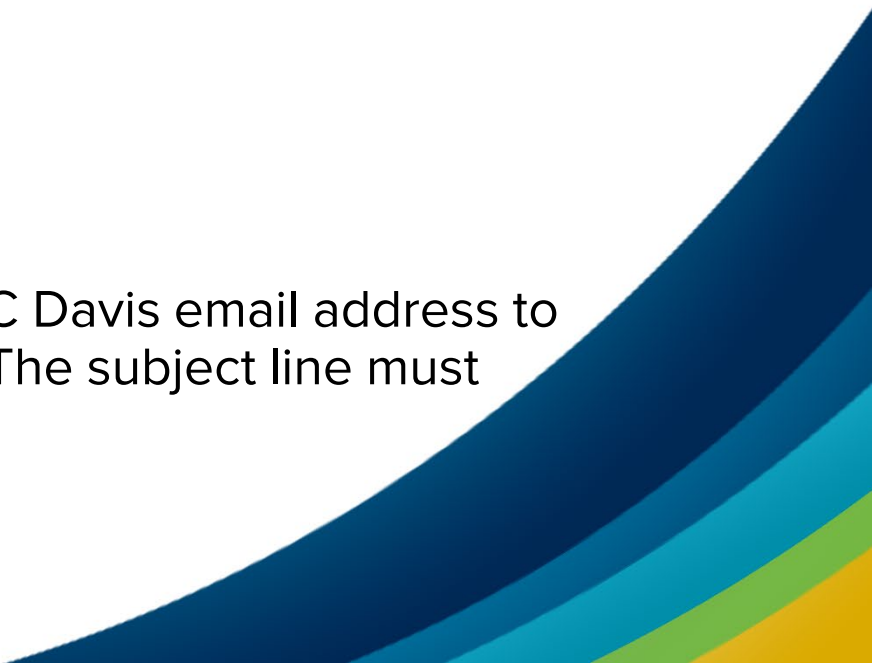
Four open ended questions – 400 - 800 character limit.

- What aspects of the University Honors Program and its Mission, Vision and Values motivate you to join the UHP?
- Describe a challenge or barrier you have encountered and how you dealt with the situation.
- How have you been involved in and/or contributed to the UC Davis campus community since starting at UC Davis?
- Describe what you hope to accomplish by the end of your senior year, and how you plan to give back to society after you graduate.

The application cannot be saved in-progress.



Recommendation Form

- One recommendation form must be submitted by a UC Davis faculty, instructor or professional staff member
 - Assistant, Associate or (Full) Professor
 - Lecturer
 - Teaching Assistant or Graduate Student Instructor
 - Graduate Student Lab or Research Supervisor
 - UC Davis Professional (Career) Staff Members
 - Recommender must email recommendation form from their UC Davis email address to UHPrecommendations@ucdavis.edu by **March 3 at 11:59pm**. The subject line must be: OCA Rec: [Student Name]
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OCA UHP Admittance

- Acceptances will be e-mailed mid-April
- Information will include conditions of participation and information on next steps



Student Testimonials

“Joining UHP has been a great experience and I am so glad I went through the on-campus admissions process. UHP offers you a community of students with similar interests and goals and can make a large campus feel a lot smaller!”

Alisha Hacker, Alumnus

“UHP has given me a sense of purpose and direction. It has provided a source of motivation, inspiration and guidance”

Eric Thai, Alumnus



Thank you!

Questions?

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