

Honors Contract Application

Student Name: _____ Major: _____

Student ID: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Year: _____ Term (check one): Fall Spring Intercession Summer

Course Name: _____

Course Number and Section: _____ Course Instructor: _____

Deadline for Submission: Fall 2015: Friday, September 25 Spring 2016: Tuesday, February 16

On a separate sheet, please provide the following information. You should number your responses. Please note that you will have to work with the course instructor to complete this application. **In addition, you must provide a copy of the original course syllabus.**

1. What is your project and how does it differ from the regular work of the class?
2. Provide a justification for your project in terms of why it is important to your Honors learning experience (do not simply say that you need Honors credits).
3. How will you complete your project (e.g., review empirical articles, visit an exhibition) and what will the final outcome be (e.g., review paper, critical analysis, etc)?
4. Provide a timetable, including meetings with instructor, deadlines for components or drafts of the project, and due date of final project (no later than the scheduled final exam).
5. What are the criteria that will be used to evaluate the project? Will it be graded? If so, what percent of the course grade will the project constitute? If not, what are the minimum requirements that the project must meet in order to be judged acceptable?
6. If the project is deemed unsatisfactory, will it result in a lower grade for the course? It is vital that the criteria by which your work will be evaluated, and the consequences for unsatisfactory work, be stated clearly and explicitly. *This is for your own protection.*

For additional details, please visit: <http://www.umassd.edu/honors/honorscontractguidelines/>

Student Signature: _____

Course Instructor Signature: _____

Honors Director Signature: _____