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**Why Honors?**

Why honors? Why did I choose to be part of this program? That is a question people often ask me and a question I even asked myself. There are a lot of reasons why I decided to be an honor program student.

The first reason was for the scholarship. I thought that taking part in this program would make me automatically benefit from the “Presidential Scholarship”. But when I came here I learned that as an international student I can’t be eligible for that scholarship. At this moment, I didn’t have any reason to be an honor student anymore, but thinking about this I realized that yes, I do have reasons to be there.

The Honors program is a program that focuses on leadership, research and development skills for a person and I think it is something great for me whose ambition is to be a leader, make changes and help people as best as he can. I understood that this program would be something great for my personal growth, helping me to grow as a leader, an opportunity searcher, and most importantly, as an actor in the society rather than a simple spectator that is subject to the decisions made by others.

This program is interesting because you can meet a lot of talented people and make really strong relationships.

As an honor student, at the end of this program I’ll have a portfolio full of meaningful experiences and works that would help me in the future. That is something really interesting to have the possibility to build a meaningful portfolio in one of the classes you are taking.

In definitive, “Why honors?” For me, find his anwer in the leadership, research, interpersonal and personal growth that this program provides, all the necessary skills that a leader needs and that this program giveme, a meaningful experience that will be transcribed in my portfolio. That is the Honors program, those are the reasons why I chose and I am proud to be an honor student.