HON 3499: Advanced Academic Development

0 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: HON 1100 or HON 3497

This course is designed to prepare students to operate at advanced levels as academically-prepared professionals in their various fields. Students in the course will learn how to navigate the world of major competitive awards as an arena which they will inhabit in their future careers as researchers, teachers, and professionals.

HON 3600: Introduction to Community, Service, and Leadership 3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Admission into the President's Emerging Global Scholars Minor The purpose of this course is to enable students to prepare for a life of service, leadership and community engagement. The class will teach various leadership theories and how each theoretical approach is applied in a variety of organizations. Concepts learned through the course will be immediately applicable for students. Students will have the opportunity to place their theoretical learning in the context of active service.

HON 3620: Issues in the Global South

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: HON 3600

Students must gain global competencies and an inclusive worldview to help further their global citizenship and prepare them for leadership positions within their specific academic discipline and intended careers. This course examines global issues related to developing countries, or what are collectively called the "Global South." The Global South numerically consists of the largest number of nations in the world encompassing more than 150 countries in Asia, Latin America, Africa, and the Middle East. Despite their diversity, developing nations share several common characteristics. Common issues include war, poverty, oppressive gender norms, race and religious inequality, globalization, neo-liberalism, the impact of colonialism, and political and social instability. This course aims to help students identify and critically analyze the major issues and challenges facing developing nations in dialogue with specific contexts and greater global experiences. Using an interdisciplinary approach, this course leads students in examining a specific developing country in the Global South as a case study for understanding common issues faced by developing countries.