

## UHP Progress and Performance Policy

Membership in the UHP is a privilege. In addition to maintaining good standing according to all Kansas State University academic and student policies, UHP program membership requires:

- A minimum 3.50 cumulative GPA.
- Progress toward the completion of UHP requirements.

These twin criteria will be administered as follows:

- First-year UHP members who do not complete UHP 189: Honors Seminar, automatically forfeit membership in the program unless explicitly granted a waiver.
- If the student is a Campbell Scholar, then they must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 at the end of each Spring semester.
  - Non-Campbell Scholar UHP students whose cumulative GPA falls below 3.50 automatically forfeit the UHP course priority registration privilege, but may remain in the program so long as a 3.5 at time of graduation is feasible
- Progress: Students are considered to have made minimum satisfactory progress if, at the conclusion of each year in the program, they meet the following cumulative benchmarks:
  - 1st Year: UHP 189, 1 honors course, min. 3.50 GPA
  - 2nd Year UHP 189, 2 honors courses, 1 co-curricular experience, min. 3.50 GPA
  - 3rd Year: UHP 189, 3 honors courses, 2 co-curricular experiences, min. 3.50 GPA
  - 4th Year: UHP 189, 4 honors courses, 3 co-curricular experiences, min. 3.50 GPA

UHP students are also expected to complete an Honors project by the end of their final semester at K-State. However, completing this work prior to the final year may be recommended in some instances and for some majors.

Coursework:

- Students must complete a total of 4 courses for a minimum of 12 credit hours for honors credit. These may be honors courses and/or non-honors courses with contracts or pre-contracts.
- It is the student's responsibility to submit paperwork for contracts, co-curriculars, and the final project. These materials must be submitted through CANVAS.
- No activity may be used to fulfill multiple criteria. For example, PSYCH 599: Research in Psychology may not count as both a course and a co-curricular.

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- Honors coursework successfully completed at other universities can be transferred for UHP credit. See [\(link\)](#) for more information.

Communication: Students will receive notifications via e-mail of any concern regarding their GPA and/or their progress towards completion. Students will be invited to discuss issues with a UHP and/or College representative before any action is taken. Our philosophy is one of support and encouragement. We want to engage students with offers of help and assistance.

Exceptions: Student progress and performance vary, often for idiosyncratic reasons. We hope to provide members with a reasonable opportunity to rectify progress and performance challenges. When completion is, however, no longer reasonably likely, the Director shall discontinue membership.

Appeal: Students may appeal Director's decisions to the College Coordinator Committee.