YOUR GUIDE TO HONORS DISTINCTION

If you are completing General **HONORS**...
- You need 13 Credits Hours: 12 Hours of lower level honors coursework numbered 1000 – 2999 and 1 Hour in an Honors Seminar (HON1000)
- Please review YOUR individual program requirements to determine YOUR specific core requirements
- **Upper level Honors courses cannot be used for this distinction.**

Example General Honors Courses:
- HON 1000 (1 credit hour)
- ENGL 1103 (3 credit hours)
- PHIL 2010 (3 credit hours)
- MATH 1070 (3 credit hours)
- PSYC 1101 (3 credit hours)

If you are completing **ADVANCED HONORS**...
- You need 18 Credit Hours: 12 Hours of upper level honors coursework numbered 3000 - 4999 and 6 Hours of Honors Colloquia (HON3260)
- The twelve hours of upper level honors coursework is specific to your major. Review your major area(s) to select an honors course that will count in your program of study.
- **Lower level Honors courses cannot be used for this distinction.**

Example Advanced Honors Courses:
- HON 3260 (3 credit hours)
- HON 3260 (3 credit hours)
- 12 credit hours of upper level honors coursework numbered 3000-4999

If you are completing **RESEARCH HONORS**...
- You need all 18 hours of Advanced Honors PLUS the Honors Thesis Project
- You cannot receive the Research Honors completions without completing the Advanced Honors distinction

Example Research Honors Courses:
- Honors Thesis: Research (3 credit hours)
- Honors Thesis: Writing (3 credit hours)

**NOTE:** You can choose to complete, one, two or all three distinctions. You can complete an Honors Thesis Project without the advanced honors distinction; however, you will not be awarded the research distinction upon completion.

How to Search for Honors courses via PAWS/GoSolar:
1. Click the Registration Tab
2. Look-Up Classes to Add
3. Select Term
4. Select Degree: “Bachelors (4-year undergraduate students)”
5. Select Course Type “Honors College”