Center for & Department of Middle Eastern Studies
UNDERGRADUATE HONORS PROGRAM APPLICATION

The honors programs in CMES and DMES offer ambitious and academically talented students the opportunity to enhance the undergraduate curriculum with an honors thesis completed under the direction of an affiliated faculty member. Admission to the honors program does not guarantee graduation with Special Honors. Honors coursework may not fulfill major requirements.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Recommended minimum GPA of 3.5 in major coursework
- Junior- or senior-level classification

GRADUATION WITH SPECIAL HONORS REQUIREMENTS
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Minimum GPA of 3.5 in major coursework
- Successful completion of the Honors Tutorial courses (679HA & B) with a grade of A in each half
- Sixty semester hours completed in-residence

GENERAL INFORMATION
STUDENT NAME: ___________________________________________ EID: ______________________
FIRST SEMESTER AT UT: ______________________ EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE: ______________________

ACADEMIC INFORMATION
HONORS PROGRAM APPLYING TO: □ ARA □ HEB □ ISL □ MES □ PRS □ TUR
OTHER DECLARED MAJOR(S): _____________________________________________
AREA(S) OF INTEREST WITHIN THE FIELD OF STUDY SELECTED ABOVE:
__________________________________________________________________________
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PROPOSED THESIS TOPIC: _________________________________________________
PROPOSED THESIS SUPERVISOR: ____________________________________________

To be completed by undergraduate advisor:
TOTAL COLLEGE HOURS: _______________ UT GPA: _______________
TOTAL UT HOURS: _______________ MAJOR GPA: _______________
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ADDITIONAL MATERIALS
PLEASE ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO THIS FORM:
□ Academic summary from the Registrar’s Office
□ Thesis proposal: A one-page statement outlining your proposed research project, including a discussion of your preparation to complete the project.
□ Writing sample: A paper written for a course in the field of study selected above that demonstrates your skills in writing, critical thinking, and analysis.

DEADLINE: MAY 15
Submit all materials by 5pm on the due date to:
Kimberly Dahl, Student Services Coordinator
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512-471-3217
WMB 6.122A

DEPARTMENT DECISION: □ Admit □ Deny