Honors Courses: Spring 2017
Priority Registration: November 1, 2016
Schedule as of 1/3/2017

Note: The below information is subject to change. Be sure to confirm all information on MyNevada prior to the start of classes.

Only students who are members of the University of Nevada, Reno Honors Program can enroll in Honors courses.

BIOL 125, 1001 – How Science Works: Biological Case Studies (3)  11:00 am – 11:50 pm  MoWe  FA 253  Leonard
Discussion of diverse biological examples to illustrate critical thinking about ideas and evidence in science. Prerequisite: Math 120 or corequisite. Corequisite: MATH 126 or higher. Students registering for the Honors lab and enrolled in the Lecture as well. Fulfills CO4.

BIOL 125, 1101 – How Science Works: Biological Case Studies (3)  11:00 am – 12:15 pm  F  FA 300G  Leonard

BIOL 190, 1003 – Intro to Cell & Molecular Biology (3)  11:00 am- 12:15 pm  TuTh  PSAC 114  Pravosudova
Introduction to the molecular and cellular basis of living organisms, including cell structure and function, principles of genetics and early development. Fulfills CO4. Prerequisites: CHEM 121A and CHEM 121L or CHEM 202.

CH 201, 1098– Ancient & Medieval Culture (3)  9:30 am – 10:45 am  TuTh  CFA 152  J. Cummins
Critical survey of Near East, Greece, Rome and Middle Ages: origins of Judaism, Christianity, Islam, philosophy and science; concepts like heroism, justice, and romantic love. Fulfills CO5. Prerequisite: ENG 102

CH 201, 1099 – Ancient & Medieval Culture (3)  2:30 pm – 3:45 pm  MoWe  MSS 101  Hill

CH 202, 1098 – The Modern World (3)  11:00 am – 12:15 pm  TuTh  SEM 257  Marvick
Analyzes Europe’s legacy in shaping world ideas, institutions, and cultures. Includes Renaissance, Reformation, Enlightenment, Romanticism, development of science and industry, political revolutions, colonialism, postcolonialism, globalization. Fulfills CO 5. Prerequisite: ENG 102.

CH 202, 1099 – The Modern World (3)  1:00 pm – 2:15 pm  MoWe  LLC 144  Varga

CH 203, 1098 – American Exper. & Constitutional Change (3)  2:30 pm – 3:45 pm  TuTh  OB 202  Mishler
Identities, ideas, and institutions from precontext to present, emphasizing civil rights, liberty, individualism, federalism environmentalism, urbanization, industrialization, and cultural diversity. Fulfills CO5 and CO8. Prerequisite: ENG 102.

CHEM 202, 1201 - Gen. Chemistry for Scientists/Engr II (4)  1:00 pm – 3:50 pm  Mo  DMS 401  Frost
Principles of chemistry including stoichiometry, atomic structure, chemical bonding, molecular structure, kinetic theory of gases, solutions, equilibrium, and thermochemistry. Credit allowed in only one CHEM 121, 122A, 122R or 202. Prerequisites: CHEM 201 (CHEM 121 acceptable with a grad of A or B0 and MATH 181. Students must register for the Honors lecture class and the Honors lab. Honors students earn only one Honors credit for the CHEM 202 lab. Fulfills CO4L, CO9.

HON 220, 1001 – Intro to Economic Theory and Policy (3)  1:00 pm – 2:15 pm  TuTh  WRB 1019  Tosun
Survey of major macroeconomic and microeconomic theories, with emphasis on their application to individual, business and governmental decisions. Fulfills BOTH Macroeconomic and Microeconomic requirements. Fulfills CO6.

HON 235, 1001 – Research in the Information Age (1)  1:00 – 1:50 pm  Fr  MIKC 114  Medaille
Required of all Honors students approaching senior thesis, this online course prepares Honors students for thesis research. Focus is secondary research; finding and evaluating previously published information and literature on a topic. Primarily taught online.

HON 235, 1002 – Research in the Information Age (1)  1:00 – 1:50 pm  Web-based  Radniecki

HON 410, 1001 – Area Study (3)  1:00 – 1:50 pm  Fr  MSS 241  Villanueva
Students earn Honors for international study. View of a particular region of the world from the perspective of several academic disciplines. Class requirements and form available online. Approval form must be submitted prior to travel in order to register for HON 410 the semester immediately following travel. Oral presentations required. Fulfills CO11. (Note: This class is offered only in the Spring.)
HON 490, 1001 – Honors Thesis I (3)
Class meets 1/31, 2/21, 3/14, 4/4, 4/25.
Fulfills CO13.

HON 491, 1001 – CAP: Honors Thesis II (3)
Class meets 2/1, 2/22, 3/15.
Fulfills CO14.

HON 491, 1002 – CAP: Honors Thesis II (3)
Class meets 2/2, 2/23, 3/16.
Fulfills CO14.

HON 491, 1003 – CAP: Honors Thesis II (3)
Class meets 2/3, 2/24, 3/17.
Fulfills CO14.

JOUR 490A, 1002 – Special Problems (3)
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm Mo RSJ 205 Peuchaud

MATH 182, 1003 – Calculus II (4)
12:00 pm – 12:50 pm MoTuWeThFr MS 321 Ramazan
Continuation of MATH 181; transcendental functions, methods of integration, conics, vectors. Honors Calculus will emphasize the mathematical proofs that form the logical foundations of calculus while fully covering the practical techniques from the non-Honors course needed for science and engineering. Fulfills CO2. Prerequisite: MATH 181.

PHYS 180, 1003 – Physics for Scientists & Engineers I (3)
8:00 – 8:50 am MoWeFr SLH 3 Neill
Vectors, one and two dimensional kinematics, particle dynamics, work and energy, momentum, rotational mechanics, oscillations, gravitation, fluids, elastic waves and sound. Fulfills CO4. Prerequisite: MATH 181. Students also need to enroll in a general section of PHYS 180L.

PSC 405H, 1001 – International Human Rights (3)
2:30 pm – 3:45 pm TuTh WRB 3006 Siegel
Violation and protection of human rights in international law and politics; major issues since 1945 in various countries and regions. Dr. Siegel is Professor Emeritus of Political Science at UNR and has been active in the ACLU of Nevada for the past forty years. Prerequisite(s): CH 201; CH 202; CH 203; junior or senior standing, or approval by the teacher and the Honors Program.

PSY 101, 1004 – General Psychology (3)
1:00 pm-2:15 pm MoWe MSS 242 Hinitz
Presents psychology as a science concerned with the actions of organisms in a social and cultural context. Fulfills CO6.

SOC 101, 1006 – Principles of Sociology (3)
10:00 am–10:50 am MoWeFr MSS 242 Johnson
Sociological principles underlying the development, structure and function of culture, society, human groups, personality formation and social change.

SOTA 101, 1002 (School of the Arts) – Introduction to the Arts (3)
9:00 am – 9:50 am MoWeFr CFA 18 Cotter
Introduction to the four areas of art-making contained within the School of the Arts—visual art, music, theater and dance. The class explores the philosophical questions prompted by art (What is “beauty?” How does art relate to ethics and morality?), the uses of art in culture (How does art interact with constructions of personal and cultural identity?), and the diverse practices and theories related to the four disciplines. Finally, we will look closely at interdisciplinary collaborations, interrogating the blurred boundaries between the arts. In addition to reading, viewing, listening and in-class discussion, this class will include visitations to galleries and performing arts venues. Students will develop the ability to write and speak critically about the art they observe. Fulfills CO7.

WMST 101 – 1007 Introduction to Women’s Studies
9:30 am-10:45 am TuTh LLC 144 Jackson
Interdisciplinary analysis of women in culture and society from historical and cross-cultural perspectives. Fulfills CO6, CO10.