



Hutton Honors College

Welcome and Information

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Hutton Honors College

- entering class of ~750 (8.2%)
- most students arrive with 28+ credits
- helps highly motivated students meet and learn from each other across majors
- focus on interdisciplinarity, academic breadth *and* depth
- other Honors programs exist on campus and there are multiple ways to graduate with honors



benefits of membership

- Hutton students are eligible to take “honors” courses wherever offered on campus (few exceptions exist)
- Hutton students are the only ones who can take Hutton seminars and earn the Hutton Honors Notation
- can elect to live in Honors Residential Community
- special extracurricular and recruiting events
- special advisors
- Tea with the Dean!



Honors courses across campus

“Honors” sections of big introductory classes (“Honors Business Writing,” “Honors Intro Computer Programming,” “Honors Foundations of Chemistry and Biochem,” “Honors Intro Spanish,” “Honors Calculus I,” etc.)

Hutton Honors seminars (3 credits): interdisciplinary, discussion based, small classes (10-22 students), may fulfill Gen Ed requirements

Hutton Honors Notation gateway courses (1.5 credits each): 101 and 202

require more reading, writing, and active participation than ‘normal’ classes



Hutton Honors Notation

- Two gateway courses 101 and 202 (must be completed by end of second year)
- External minor (or second major) or at least four Hutton Honors seminars
- Senior thesis or equivalent
- CGPA of 3.50 or above at graduation

The Notation signifies breadth, as well as depth.

It is an option for Hutton students, not a requirement.

Can be combined with school or department honors.



Honors “101” and “202” Gateway courses

prompt active consideration of past education and current plans

build awareness of all forms of knowledge produced + preserved on this campus

think about what you want from college, how your goals may change

Plato, *The Republic*, book 6

Kant, “What is Enlightenment?”

Emerson, “Self Reliance”

DuBois, *Souls of Black Folk*

Kuhn, *Structure of Scientific Revolutions*

Eric Booth, *The Everyday Work of Art*

Virginia Woolf, *Room of One's Own*

Paolo Freire, *Pedagogy of the Oppressed*

Christensen, “Disruptive Innovation...Catalytic Change in Higher Ed”

Labaree, *A Perfect Mess: Unlikely Ascendancy of American Higher Ed*

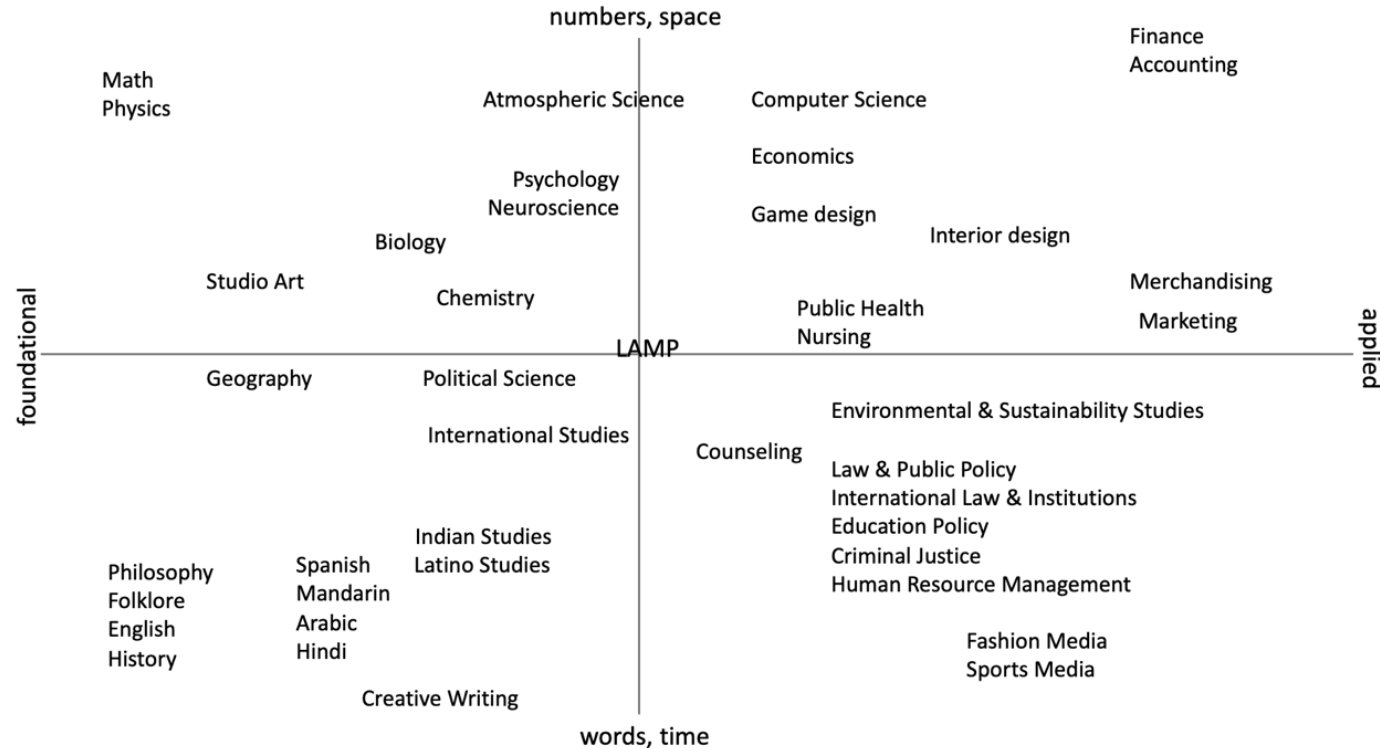
Cathy Davidson, *Now You See It: ...Technology, Brain Science... Schools*

Ben Wildavsky, *The Career Arts: Making the Most of College*



Outside Minor

What determines if minor is “outside”?



HUTTON HONORS SEMINARS



Anger: Sacred and Profane



Luxury, from Sin to Market Sector



Law and Philosophy



Literature of the Holocaust



Students who do not pursue the Honors Notation

- remain in Hutton as long as they are “on track” to graduate with honors of some kind: (3.50 GPA at end of first year; 3.60 at end of second; 3.70 at end of third **or** participation in department or school honors program)
- have access to Hutton Honors advisors
- can live in Honors Residential Community
- can participate in extracurricular programs and Honors student organizations
- can enroll in Hutton Honors seminars



Honors Advising

- each HHC student has an Honors advisor as well as an advisor in their major
- Hutton advisors are generalists—they know the entire campus—and take a lot of time and care with students
- students will register for Fall semester classes during NSO; **can change schedule until the end of the first week of classes with no fee**
- students with specific Honors advising questions should come by Hutton (7th and Woodlawn) between 1:00-4:00; drop-in basis only
- Advising is about much more than classes: grants, study abroad, fellowship applications, life



Scholarships, research, grants

- Hutton sponsors annual Research Symposium
- grants to help support research (beginning and advanced), creative activity, serving as undergraduate teaching intern for an IU course
- Office of National Scholarships & Awards (for Fulbright, Boren, Truman, Rhodes, Marshall and 150+ more)
- Hutton International Experiences Program –offers short-term, faculty-led study abroad; grants for semester and year-long programs; ~600 students/year



Getting the most from Hutton and IU

- attend events, even if it's not your “thing”
- participate in Honors student organizations (Open House—Saturday of Welcome Week)
- community service/volunteer opportunities
- keep experimenting with clubs and organizations until you find your people
- study abroad!



Questions?

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