

Application for the Honors Program at Simmons College

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The Honors Program at Simmons College is an interdisciplinary academic program for gifted and motivated students. Honors Scholars become part of a community of individuals who are committed to depth and breadth in their undergraduate education. Honors Scholars receive intensive mentoring in the classroom in writing and research from some of Simmons's most distinguished faculty. Outside the classroom, Honors Scholars participate in experiential learning in Boston by engaging in internships, attending cultural events, and hearing noted speakers from a variety of disciplines.

Any prospective student of Simmons College may apply for admission to the Honors Program. Those who are

admitted into this highly selective program are self-motivated, intellectually curious, and eager for challenge. They graduate near the top of their high school class and have a solid record of honors or AP courses.

To apply to the Honors Program you must complete the standard admission application PLUS the supplemental application for the Honors Program below. All applications must be received by March 1st. Questions should be directed to the Director of the Honors Program at honors@simmons.edu.

Section One

Name _____
last first middle

Address _____
street apt. or p.o. box number

_____ city state zip country (if not U.S.)

Telephone _____ Email address _____

Section Two

Please submit an essay of approximately 350-400 words on the topic below.

Honors students at Simmons often take an active role in student government and organizations, including our student newspaper the *Simmons Voice*. Write the lead editorial for the *Voice* on an issue of local, national, or global importance.

Section Three

Think about the books you have read during your high school years (inside and outside of the classroom); rank the three best in order. Explain the reason for your top selection. Please clearly label your answer "Section Three."

Please submit all three sections to the Office of Undergraduate Admission by March 1st.