Honors Program Enrollment Form (2019 - 2020)
http://nature.berkeley.edu/advising/honors-program

Please return the completed form to 260 Mulford Hall by Friday of the third week of instruction (Fall 2019: Friday, Sept 13th | Spring 2020: Friday, Feb 7th) for each semester that you are enrolled in the CNR Honors Program. A research proposal is not required for students enrolling in their second semester of Honors. Once the Honors Program Coordinator receives this enrollment form and your research proposal, they will enroll you directly in the Honors course for your faculty mentor.

Name: ___________________________ SID#: ___________________________
Semester: ___________ Year: 20___ UCB E-mail: ___________________________
Overall GPA: ________ (Must be at least 3.60) Major: ___________________________
Class Standing: ☐ Junior ☐ Senior Anticipated Graduation Date: _________________

Requirements for Enrollment in the CNR Honors Program

1. Submit your research proposal and honors enrollment form: Attach an additional document detailing your research proposal, which should include the following:
   1. Project Title
   2. Abstract
   3. Background
   4. Objectives
   5. Hypothesis
   6. Methods
   7. Timeline
   8. Expected Results
   9. References
   10. Frequency of meetings with faculty research mentor

Students are strongly encouraged to attend a research workshop offered by the Office of Undergraduate Research for proposal writing guidelines. See research.berkeley.edu. Sample completed theses (final paper) are also available at the CNR front desk.

2. Identify a faculty member to serve as your research mentor: If you choose to work with a faculty member outside of CNR, you must also identify a faculty sponsor in CNR. If your research mentor is a CNR faculty member, you do not need to find an additional sponsor. Environmental Sciences students are required to obtain the signature of an ESPM 175 instructor in addition to their research mentor (if they are different).

Requirements for Completion of the CNR Honors Program

a. Complete 8 units of departmental honors courses with your faculty mentor: You will be enrolled in a four-unit H196 course for two consecutive semesters. You will submit this enrollment form for your second semester as well, but do not need to resubmit. Environmental Sciences students will enroll in ESPM H175A and H175L in the Fall, and ESPM H175B and H175L in the Spring. Four units represents twelve hours of research conducted per week. Honors courses must be taken for a letter grade and students must earn a grade of B or better each semester.

b. Maintain a minimum overall UC GPA of 3.6 through graduation.

c. Participate in the CNR Honors Symposium: An oral presentation at the end of your 2nd semester is required. The Honors Symposium is typically held the Thursday and Friday of RRR week. Environmental Science students are required to present at the ES Senior Symposium in April and can use that presentation to complete the Honors requirement; they do not need to present at both the Honors and ES Symposia unless they choose to do so.

d. Submit an honors research thesis paper to your faculty research mentor. At the conclusion of your participation in the CNR Honors Program, you must submit an honors research thesis paper to your faculty research mentor. Thesis format will conform to the expectations for submission of a “publishable” paper to the relevant research discipline, in accordance to the guidelines established by your faculty research mentor. You can see sample thesis papers at the CNR front desk.
Student’s Signature: By signing this form, you acknowledge you have read and understand the requirements for successfully completing the CNR Honors Program.

_____________________________________________                               ________________________________
Student’s Signature                                                                                           Date

Faculty Research Mentor: I agree to mentor this student for two semesters of honors research per the attached proposal and subject to the regulations specified above. Environmental Sciences students must have an ESPM 175A instructor sign below. **I have read and approve of the student’s proposal.**

Research Mentor’s Name

Department

Research Mentor’s Signature

Date

Email

Phone

PLEASE NOTE: If your faculty research mentor is not in a CNR department, please also identify a faculty sponsor in your home department in CNR below. Environmental Sciences students must have their ESPM 175L instructor sign below. If your research mentor is also one of the ESPM 175 instructors, please have them sign again below.

Faculty Sponsor: I agree to sponsor this student for two semesters of honors research as per the attached proposal and subject to the regulations specified above. **I have read and approve of the student’s proposal.**

Faculty Sponsor’s Name

CNR Department

Email

Phone

Faculty Sponsor’s Signature

Date

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Honors Program Coordinator Signature                                  Class Number                                  Date Enrolled