

Gemstone Honors Program Academic Plan- Four Years at a Glance



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<p>GEMS100: <i>Freshman Honors Colloquium: Introduction to Gemstone (1 Credit)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Major and General Education Courses:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 70%; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 30%; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> </table> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TOTAL CREDITS</p>	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	<p style="text-align: center;">GEMS102: <i>Research Topic Exploration (1 Credit)</i></p> <p>*GEMS104: <i>Topics in Science and Technology & Society (3 Credits)</i></p> <p>* Gems104 satisfies DSHS or DSHU of DSSP; SCIS GenEd Requirements</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Major and General Education Courses:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 70%; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 30%; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> <tr><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Course</td><td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">Credit</td></tr> </table> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TOTAL CREDITS</p>	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit	Course	Credit
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SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

***GEMS202:** *Team Dynamics and Research Methodology (2 Credits)*

GEMS296: *Team Project Seminar I (1 Credit)*

*GEMS202 satisfies the DSSP GenEd Requirement

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GEMS297: *Team Project Seminar II (2 Credits)*

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JUNIOR YEAR

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

GEMS396: *Team Project Seminar III (2 Credits)*

GEMS397: *Team Project Seminar IV (2 Credits)*

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SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester

GEMS496: *Project Writing Seminar (2 Credits)*

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Spring Semester

****GEMS497:** *Team Thesis Defense Seminar (2 Credits)*

**Upon completion of GEMS497, students satisfy 6 credits for the DSSP category of the GenEd Requirements

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