

## Annual Report – Honors College Faculty Council – 2020

### Council Members:

[Douglas Parham](#) – Health Professions

[Holger Meyer](#) – LAS Math/Natural Science

[Elaine Bernstorf](#) – Fine Arts

[Nathan Filbert](#) – (chair 2019-2020) - University Libraries

[Samantha Gregus](#) – LAS Social Sciences

[Patrick Bondy](#) – LAS Humanities

[Jeremy Patterson](#) – Applied Studies, Institute for Interdisciplinary Innovation

[Roy Myose](#) – Engineering

[Atul Rai](#) – Business

[Jessica Raburn](#) – Honors Advisor, ex-officio

[Kimberly Engber](#) – Honors Dean, ex-officio

### September 2019:

- [Cohen Honors College Goals 2019-2020](#)
- [CIM First Year Seminar Syllabus](#) – FYS Carolyn Shaw “My Place in the World”
- [FYS Learning Outcomes](#)
- [Assistant Teaching Professor CAS - Honors Position Description](#) –

New Business (1:30-2:00)

- a. College Goals 2019-20 (Kimberly Engber)
- b. Great Plains Honors Council conference update (Trish Gandu)
- c. Curriculum Proposal: WSUN 102
- d. Meeting days/times for the semester

Old Business Updates (2:00 – 2:30)

a. Honors Teaching Faculty Models: New joint assistant teaching professor appointment with College of Applied Studies

b. Honors Science Track update: approved by council course proposals pending in CIM system

Next Meeting – Day/Time TBD: • Reflecting on Purpose and Ensuring Value (How to do this?) • Engaging, expressing, and ensuring faculty-student compositions that demonstrate these goals and purposes • Read over General Assembly Analyses and Responses, think on the above, and come prepared to discuss

October 2019

Honors Curriculum for Psychology

General Assembly Analysis and Responses

I. New Business

- a. Honors Curriculum for Psychology (Samantha Gregus)
- b. Reflecting on Purpose and Ensuring Value
- c. Engaging, expressing, and ensuring faculty-student compositions that demonstrate these goals and purposes
- d. General Assembly Analyses and Responses

II. Old Business

- a. WSUN 102N: Me and My Place in the World/Carolyn Shaw FYS approved unanimously
- b. Honors Teaching Faculty Models: New joint assistant teaching professor appointment with College of Applied Studies
- c. Honors Science Track update: approved by council course proposals pending in CIM system

November 2019

Public Health Science Departmental Honors Track

New Business

- a. Advisory board meeting Friday Nov. 15th
- b. NCHC conference update
- c. President's request for information
- d. Dean's evaluation
- e. Public Health Honors track

February 2020

[HCSC Recommendation for Removing GPA-ACT 1.13.20](#)

[Great Plains Honors Council Conference Sticker](#)

- I. Cohen Honors College Diversity Plan
  - a. University of Oregon model
  - b. Proposal for Change to the ByLaws: Admissions (Honors College Student Council)
- II. First-Year Honors Student Experience
  - a. New Student Retreat and Orientation (HCSC/FHAB)
  - b. First-Year Research Experience update (Dean)
- III. Aerospace Engineering Honors track
- IV. Great Plains Honors Council conference update (Dean)

March 2020

[HNRS 101 Faculty Handbook Fall 2015](#)

[HNRS 101 Zero Credit 2020](#)

[Minutes of February 14, 2020 UHCC Minutes](#)

Great Plains Honors Council Conference March 20th – 21st (Fri-Century II; Saturday morning-RSC) • General Assembly: April 15th 4:00pm (Hubbard Hall 209)

- Law 3+3 programs in the works led by Dean Andrew Hippisley and Jeffrey Hershfield

I. Curriculum Proposals

- a. Aerospace Engineering Honors track
- b. HNRS 306H – OK Boomer
- c. 0 credit first-year course

April 2020

[HNRS 101 Faculty Handbook Fall 2015](#)

[HNRS 101 Zero Credit 2020](#)

II. Old Business

a. First-Year Planning Update/Discussion (Kimberly, all)

b. Revisions to By-Laws, report of final vote (Nathan)

### III. New Business

a. Faculty Involvement (Nathan)

b. Admissions Update (Kimberly) 1. 315 admitted to Honors for Fall 2020 ♣ States: AK, AR, AZ, CA, CO, IL, IN, KS, MI, MO (22), NC, NE, OK (21), TN, TX (22), WI ♣

Note: 4 Honors First-year seminars offered for fall 2020 ♣ Note: 382 had been admitted to Honors to date last year

2. Two Zoom events for prospective students planned for spring 2020: 1. academics and 2. student life, student organizations

May 2020

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[End of Year Report - Honors College Student Council](#)