Today’s Agenda

- Your Honors Facilitator presents: Honors Learning Experiences
  - How to DO an Honors Contract
## Honors Contract Process

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<th>Contracts</th>
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<td>Completed in a class you are already taking</td>
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<td>Establish at the beginning of the semester</td>
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<td>15 hours over the course of the semester</td>
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<td>Contract does not impact grade in class</td>
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**Stuart Palmer** is the contact for Honors Contracts.
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Be aware of the deadline.
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Good to know….

• Start early!

• Some instructors, for various reasons, might be unavailable to collaborate

• Review the Honors Contract process

• Brainstorm ideas and possible end products

• Prepare for a conversation with your instructor
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Meeting with your instructor…

• Office hours, zoom meeting, phone call, in person chat

• Share Honors Contract resources from the website

• Suggest an idea unique to your interests and aspirations

• Finalize your idea with your instructor’s feedback

• Submit the Honors Contract form together
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Pre-designed options are OK.

BSC 181/182: Human Physiology & Anatomy I and II

• Write sample questions for each exam
• Develop in-depth study guides for each exam
• Share concepts in discussion posts and respond to questions; share difficult topics and helpful resources

MQM 100: Statistical Reasoning

• Excel assignments beyond course requirements
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Working in a group is OK.

NUR 326: Gerontological Nursing

- 4 students
- Literature review
- Brochures
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• Submit the Honors Contract form by the deadline.

• The Honors Program reviews for clarity and completeness. No news is good news.

• You and your instructor receive a copy.
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• Connect to one or more of the Dimensions of Honors Learning

• Plan one or more meetings with your instructor to discuss your progress and seek feedback.
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Share your Honors Contract.
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What happens at the end of the semester?

The Honors Program will…

1. Contact instructors for confirmation of the completion of Contracts.
2. Contact students with the form to reflect on the experience.
3. Have Contract courses noted as “Honors” on transcripts.
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What happens at the end of the semester?

Students will...

1. Submit final products to instructors.
2. Submit form to reflect on the Honors Contract experience.
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What happens at the end of the semester?

**Instructors** will...

1. Evaluate final products.
2. Confirm completion of Honors Contracts with the Honors Program.
3. Comment on final products.
Honors Peer Mentor Spotlight
Honors Contract Contest

- Future opportunity
- Submit final project and reflection
- Prizes for top entries:
  - 1st Place - $500
  - 2nd Place - $250
  - 3rd Place - $100
A meaningful Honors Contract experience might set the foundation for future Honors Research.