

Fall 2026 Honors Courses

All Honors courses require permits only available through the Honors Program.

Required: Please submit the [Honors Planning & Permit Request Form](#) by April 1st

To keep your Honors benefits (such as early registration),
 earn Honors credits every semester
 until you've completed all
22 credit hours of Honors requirements:
 HON 1010 (1 cr.)
 +
 15 credit hours from at least three different disciplines
 (For example: Chemistry, Music, and History)
 +
 6 credit hours of culminating Honors experiences
 (Colloquia, Honors Upper Division in the Major,
 Honors Directed Study or an Interdisciplinary Honors Thesis)

Honors Courses that count toward the 15 credit hours:

Communication:

COMM 2025-800 Honors Fundamentals of Communication					3 cr.
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
80359	800	MWF	9:00AM - 9:50AM	C. Mestayer	SWH 145

Historical Foundations:

HIST 2010-800 Honors Early United States History					3 cr.
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
80944	800	TR	3:00PM - 4:15PM	P. Hinton	HEND 114

Humanities & Cultural Expression:

MUS 1030-800 Honors Music Appreciation					3 cr.
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
81276	800	TR	1:30PM - 2:45PM	I. Knecht	BFA 305

RELS 2010-800 Honors Intro to Religious Studies					3 cr.
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
81831	800	MW	1:00PM - 2:15PM	S. Frye	SWH 145

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Scientific Reasoning:

BIOL 1123-801, 802, 803, 804 Honors General Biology II (Zoology)

Earn **4 Honors Credits** after completion of both BIOL 1123 lecture and lab.

Please note that all the different CRNs have the SAME lecture class but DIFFERENT lab times.

Choose only **ONE** Option!

Option 1:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
83658	801	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	S. B. Cook	PENN 318
		M	10:00AM - 11:50AM Lab	H. Ferrell	PENN 310

Option 2:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84115	802	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	S. B. Cook	PENN 318
		M	1:00PM - 2:50PM Lab	H. Ferrell	PENN 310

Option 3:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84116	803	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	S. B. Cook	PENN 318
		T	12:00PM - 1:50PM Lab	H. Ferrell	PENN 310

Option 4:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84117	804	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	S. B. Cook	PENN 318
		T	2:00PM - 3:50PM Lab	H. Ferrell	PENN 310

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Scientific Reasoning:

BIOL 3230-801, 802, 803, 804 Honors Health Science Microbiology

Earn **4 Honors Credits** after completion of both BIOL 3230 lecture and lab.

Please note that all the different CRNs have the SAME lecture class but DIFFERENT lab times.

Choose only **ONE** Option!

Option 1:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84102	801	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	D. Beck	LSC 1307
		MW	10:00AM - 11:20AM Lab	D. Beck	LSC 2208

Option 2:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84136	802	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	D. Beck	LSC 1307
		TR	9:30AM - 10:50AM Lab	D. Beck	LSC 2208

Option 3:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84137	803	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	D. Beck	LSC 1307
		TR	3:00PM - 4:20PM Lab	D. Beck	LSC 2208

Option 4:

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84147	804	TR	8:00AM - 9:15AM Lecture	D. Beck	LSC 1307
		MW	2:30PM - 3:50PM Lab	D. Beck	LSC 2215

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Scientific Reasoning:

CHEM 1111-800 Honors General Chemistry I Recitation					
Must also enroll in any CHEM 1110 (Gen Chem I) Lecture <u>AND</u> Lab section concurrently.					
Earn 4 Honors Credits after completion of CHEM 1110 with a 'B' or above <u>AND</u> CHEM 1111 with an "S".					
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
80300	800	T	4:00PM - 4:50PM	C. Rezsnyak	LSC 3122

Quantitative Reasoning & Analysis:

MATH 1911-800 Honors Calculus I Seminar					
Must also enroll in any MATH 1910 (Calculus I) section					
Pre-Requisite: ACT Math Subscore 30+ recommended					
Earn 4 Honors Credits after completion of MATH 1910 with a 'B' or above <u>AND</u> MATH 1911 with an "S".					
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
81056	800	W	11:00AM - 11:50AM	S. Kennon	BRUN 309

Social & Behavioral Sciences:

ECON 2010-803 Honors Principles of Microeconomics*					3 cr.
*This is a blended section of Honors and non-Honors students.					
Honors Students will conduct an interview with a TN Tech economist and host a brief podcast. For more details check out: Everyone Loves Economics.					
CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
80623	803	TR	9:30AM - 10:45AM	S. Isbell	BRUN 119

If none of the Honors Course Offerings work for you, please visit the Honors website for more options about earning credits for your 15-hour block: <https://www.tntech.edu/honors/courses-and-credit.php#The-15-Credit-Hour-Block-Explained>

Fall 2026 Colloquia

Students complete a majority of their 15 Honors credits in the disciplines before taking Colloquia.

Graduating seniors receive first consideration for available Colloquium seats.

All students take at least one Honors Colloquium except by special permission.

The Honors Colloquia are open to all majors.

HON 4013-801 AI, Finance, and the Human: *Navigating the Intelligent Economy* Colloquium

This interdisciplinary Honors Colloquium examines how artificial intelligence is transforming finance, decision-making, and the future of human work. Taught by three faculty members (in Finance, Computer Science, and Decision Sciences), the course invites students to explore questions at the intersection of technology, economics, and ethics: How is AI reshaping financial markets and banking? What ethical concerns arise when algorithms influence economic decisions affecting people's lives? And what skills will humans need in an AI-augmented economy? Through Socratic discussions, hands-on workshops using AI tools and financial simulations, guest expert panels, and collaborative problem-solving challenges, students will investigate both the opportunities and risks of AI-driven systems. The seminar emphasizes active engagement, interdisciplinary thinking, and practical exploration of emerging technologies shaping our economic future.

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructors	Bldg. & Room
80966	801	W	1:00PM - 3:45PM	J. Jenkins J. Lee J. Roberts	TBD

HON 4013-802 Korea's 20th Century Schism: *From Empire to DMZ* Colloquium

Students will explore the pivotal events of twentieth-century Korean history and the evolving relationship between Korea and the United States in this Honors Colloquium. The course will examine questions with global relevance: the consequences of national division, the ethics of foreign intervention, and the tensions between ideology, sovereignty, and globalization. Through guided discussions and interviews, students will analyze how historical events continue to shape contemporary politics and culture. The course emphasizes active participation, reflection, and collaborative dialogue. The culminating creative project will consist of a "Thinking Like a Historian" small museum-style exhibit connecting course materials to a chosen topic in modern Korean history.

CRN	Sec.	Day	Time	Instructor	Bldg. & Room
84224	802	T	12:00PM - 2:50PM	C. McCall	HEND 214

If the Honors Colloquium option doesn't work for you, please visit the Honors website for more opportunities to earn credits for your 6-hour block: <https://www.tntech.edu/honors/courses-and-credit.php#The-6-Credit-Hour-Block-Explained>