



# COMMONWEALTH HONORS MAP

*A unique opportunity to become part of the CHP and to graduate as an honors scholar.*

## HISTORY, POLITICS & GLOBAL STUDIES

The Commonwealth Honors Program (CHP) provides a community for academically talented, like-minded students to develop their fullest potential and to foster an environment that nurtures their integrity, honesty, perseverance, academic achievement, independence, intellectual curiosity, self-reliance and a collaborative spirit.

### Benefits of the Program:

- Guaranteed transfer to any of the honors programs and colleges in the Massachusetts university system
- Enhanced prospects for acceptance to private four-year colleges and universities
- Increased opportunities for scholarships
- Recognition as Commonwealth Honors Scholar at Commencement
- Membership in a community of intellectually curious learners
- Participation in upper-level seminars

### Courses to take:

Choose one class from List 1 – **and** – two classes from List 2

#### List 1:

**ENG 101 English Composition I Honors**

**ENG 102 English Composition II Honors**

**ETH 101 Ethics and Society Honors**

**SOC/HUM/COM 143: Race, Class and Gender**

#### List 2: For ECO/GOV/HST/SOC Elective:

**HST/HUM/SOC 290 World Cultures:** Interdisciplinary honors seminar

**HUM/COM 292: U.S. History Through Film:** Interdisciplinary honors seminar

**SOC 294: Globalization**

#### For Humanities Elective:

**HUM/SOC 290 World Cultures:** Interdisciplinary honors seminar

**HUM/COM 292: U.S. History Through Film:** Interdisciplinary honors seminar

#### For Free Elective:

Choose any of the above

### Commonwealth Honors Program Graduation Requirements:

- Minimum 3.2 GPA and a B average for all honors courses
- Complete a minimum of three honors courses: Two must be from 200-level honors seminars, of which one must be an interdisciplinary, honors-only seminar
- Participation in annual research conference

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