
HONORS COLLEGE FOUNDERS AWARD

Application

Deadline: April 1st

DESCRIPTION

The Founders Award was created to support Honors students' pursuit of experiential learning opportunities. Awards are most often given for participation in an unpaid internship, academic study-abroad opportunity, or summer research activities, but students may apply for any type of experiential learning (other than those required for their major). Typically, two to three awards of \$500 to \$800 are awarded in a summer, fall, or winter semester.

The awards will be based on the following factors:

- Quality of the proposal, including clarity thoroughness of goals and purpose
- Relevance of the experience to the student's educational and/or career goals
- Likelihood of a high-quality, productive learning experience
- Demonstrated progress toward one of the Honors pathways

ELIGIBILITY

Successful applicants must:

- Be members in good standing of the University Honors College;
- Have completed at least 30 hours of academic credit at the time of application
- Have completed at least 3 hours of Honors coursework at the time of application

PLEASE NOTE

The entire application consists of the application page and a separate sheet with responses to questions 1-2 below.

Student Information

Student Name: _____ **Student ID:** _____

Emich Email: _____@emich.edu **Phone Number:** _____

Mailing Address: _____

Major(s): _____

Minor(s): _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____ **College Hours Completed:** _____

Honors Hours Completed: _____ **Honors Hours in Progress:** _____

Intended Honors Pathway(s): ___University Honors ___Departmental Honors ___Highest Honors

Dates of Experience: _____

Name, Type, and location of experiential learning: _____

Will you be earning academic credit? ___ Yes ___ No

If yes, from what institution? _____

Number of hours of credit: _____ **Which department(s)?** _____

Essay Questions

On a separate piece of paper, respond to the following prompts:

1. How will this experiential learning opportunity further your educational and/or career goals?
2. Describe any special qualifications you have that pertain to this experiential learning opportunity and your likelihood of success (e.g., courses taken, honors, awards, prior internships or employment, special learning experiences).



**Submit the application form and your essays as a single PDF to
The Honors College at EMUHonors@emich.edu.
Do not submit a Google document.**