

Welcome to the.....

.....Honors Research  
Colloquium



## I' m in the Honors program....now what?

- Take advantage of Honors classes
- Take advantage of educational opportunities outside of the classroom
- Get a Research Experience
- Graduate With Honors
  - Honors in the Major Program (HITM)
  - Complete an Honors research thesis

## Who are we?

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Associate Director, Office of Undergraduate Research

**Students:** Spring 2011 admits to the Honors program: 211

- Business – 39
- Arts and Sciences -- 63
- Education -- 4
- Music, Art, Dance, Theater -- 15
- Communications -- 9
- Social Sciences -- 23
- Engineering – 6
- Human Sciences – 15
- Nursing – 5
- Hospitality – 4
- Social Work – 1
- Criminology & Criminal Justice – 2
- Exploratory - 25

## How will this class help me?

- 1) Learn about opportunities outside of the classroom
  - International programs
  - Certificate programs
  - Civic Involvement opportunities (LEAD)
  - How to get involved in research opportunities
  - Getting scholarships and funding for research
  - Getting awards and recognition
  - Travel opportunities
  
- 2) Meet students and faculty who can help you
  - Speakers
  - Panel Discussions
  - Open forum time

**Students typically have a lot of questions about research.**

**Questions we will answer this semester.....**

- What are the advantages of getting a research experience?
- How do I decide what will be interesting to me?
- How do I find a mentor?
- What do I do once I start?
- Can I get paid? scholarships? Awards?
- How much time does it take?
- Is it worth the investment?
- Any other questions you have.....

**How will we do this?**

Let' s take a look at our syllabus.....