



Honors Program

Informatics students are eligible to participate in the Bren School of Information and Computer Sciences Honors Program, with the option of carrying out a research project under the guidance of an Informatics faculty member.

Admission to the program is based on a formal application submitted to the School in the spring. Applications are available each year beginning May 1 and should be submitted by June 1 to ensure consideration.

Qualifications

To be eligible to participate in the Bren School of ICS Honors Program, you must meet the following requirements by the end of the Spring quarter of your sophomore year:

- An overall minimum average GPA of 3.2
- A minimum average GPA of 3.5 in Informatics 41, 42, 43, and 44 (or equivalent)
- A minimum average GPA of 3.5 in Informatics 101, 111, 121, and 131

Transfer Students

Transfer students may use transferred units to meet the course requirements listed in bullets 2 and 3 above. They also (a) must have completed a minimum of three courses in their major at UCI with (b) an overall UCI grade point average of at least 3.2 and (c) a UCI grade point average in their major of at least 3.5. Transfer students should apply no later than the end of their third quarter at UCI.

Requirements

- Satisfactory completion of ICS H197, Honors Seminar
- Satisfactory completion of two quarters of Informatics H198, Honors Research
- Submittal of a final, written report. If this report is certified to be of honors quality by the student's faculty advisor and the Bren School of ICS Honors Program advisor, the student is considered to have successfully completed the Bren School of ICS Honors Program, and this is noted on his/her transcript.

To learn more about the Bren School of ICS Honors Program, please consult with the academic counselors in the Student Affairs Office to discuss your plans, progress, and any questions you may have. The Honors Program application form can be downloaded here: http://www.ics.uci.edu/ugrad/honors/honors_application.php.