

Honors and Scholars Council (HSC)
Meeting Minutes
September 18, 2019

Present: Robert Bargna (student), Angela Capece (faculty), Wayne Heisler (faculty), Stephanie Sen (faculty/Honors Program Coordinator), Kristine Spike (student)

Excused: Jordan Draper (staff), Dixita Malatesta (staff)

Business:

- Review and approval of Meeting Minutes from September 4, 2019.
- Honors-by-Contract (HBC): new Google form and workshops to clarify process.
- Optional Honors Project: two semesters of independent studies versus Capstone courses; the Honors Program is working with Records and Registration on the Optional Honors Project listing.
- Admissions and Honors: review of current practices; discussion of ideas for revamping current practices with the primary goal of diversifying and enriching the Honors prospect pool.
- Priority Registration: brief discussion of revisions to the roll-out in spring 2018.
- Fall 2019 action items: Admissions and Honors; specific curricular changes.

Homework for next meeting (October 2, 2019): review 2018–2019 Annual Report via Google Drive, especially Appendix H.

Respectfully submitted by Wayne Heisler