



Application Form
University Honors Program

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Personal Information

Ms., Mrs., Mr. (circle one)
Name
Address
Social Security Number
Telephone
Email

Academic Background:

High school attended
Combined SAT scores
Colleges attended
LIU (if applicable)
Average
Verbal
GPA
GPA
GPA
GED score
Math
Credits
Credits
Credits

Advanced placement tests and scores or other college credit you have:

What is your ethnic origin? We will use this information to match you to scholarship opportunities.

Black non-Hispanic
Asian or Pacific Islander
Am. Indian or Alaskan Native
White non-Hispanic
Hispanic

Semester and year you plan to enter the Honors Program:

Long Island University Scholarships (if any)

Intended major or program:

Are you interested in the residence hall?

How did you first learn about the Honors Program?

An important part of your application to Honors involves a writing sample. Please answer the essay question on the back of this application. Your essay should be a minimum of 2 pages and a maximum of 3 typed pages. Return forms to: Cris Gleicher, James Clarke, or Susanna Yurick-Honors Program, Long Island University, 1 University Plaza, Pratt 310, Brooklyn NY 11201, (718) 488-1658, E-mail: Cris.Gleicher@liu.edu

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ESSAY QUESTION: Write an essay of 2 to 3 pages (1½ is too short, 3½ is too long) discussing a work of literature that is powerful in some way. Why is this work important? What makes it significant? Give a brief synopsis, the title and author, and provide an analysis of the piece. Do not just summarize the work. The work you write about can be a novel, short story, play or poem. A piece of non-fiction is appropriate as well. Your essay should be typed and double-spaced. Use a standard sized font (e.g., 12 point).

(RETURN TO cris.gleicher@liu.edu)

THE HONORS PROGRAM AT LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY GIVES YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO...

- Enroll in Honors courses, which satisfy core and advanced requirements. Honors courses are cross-disciplinary, emphasizing field experience, primary research, small group work, service learning and independent projects.
- Participate in classes limited to 16 students.
- Attend conferences all over the country, participate in study-abroad semesters and become a member of a close-knit community of students on campus. Utilize the honors lounge in the Pratt Building, Room 310, where students meet, study, play chess and socialize as well as use our computers, printers, e-mail access and other facilities.
- Receive academic advisement, guidance and counseling. Early registration is also provided.
- Earn the Honors designation on your transcript and diploma upon graduation. This distinction makes you more competitive for professional or graduate school as well as for other career opportunities.
- Connect with an Honors student mentor who will introduce you to the program.
- Receive e-mail correspondence and issues of our newsletter, *Brooklyn Honors*, informing you of program events and activities to which you are warmly invited. You will also be advised of employment, scholarship and fellowship opportunities.
- Compete for a new student book voucher, a one-time award worth \$150 at the campus bookstore.
- Compete for dormitory awards that offset the cost of living on campus.
- Enroll in independent research courses which satisfy between three to six credits of advanced Honors requirements.
- Create your own Contract Major, where Honors students in good standing create their own major. Contract majors in the past have included social Psychobiology, International Relations, and Public Relations.

We are looking for students with

- Minimum high school average of 85
- Minimum college average of 3.5 and/or
- Combined SAT scores of 1050

Who are

- Motivated and
- Strong or promising writers.