

## Honors Thesis Application Form

Certification of Eligibility to Enroll in PS or CJ 4510:

1. All GJS honors students must complete and turn in this form with their thesis prospectus to the GJS Honors Program Director within the first week of the semester in which they want the credit registered.
2. Please submit a 1-2 page thesis prospectus in addition to this form. **Any thesis application forms turned in without the prospectus will be returned.**
3. To submit the thesis application, email it, your prospectus, and the completed [special course form](#) to Dr. Williams ([williamsmr4@appstate.edu](mailto:williamsmr4@appstate.edu)) and CC your thesis advisor and second reader. They will each reply to the email chain indicating their approval in lieu of signatures.
4. Once you have gotten approval from your first reader, second reader, and the honors director, your paperwork will be forwarded by the honors director to the necessary parties. Dr. Will Hicks, the chair of the department, will need to approve your special course form in order for you to be registered for 4510.
5. Note that honors students will need to complete a [Special Course Form](#) for each semester they plan to receive academic credit for the thesis and thesis preparation
6. Completing the thesis does not guarantee graduation with honors. Students must complete (6) hours of honors coursework with a B or better in each course, successfully complete the thesis preparation, and meet the major GPA requirement to graduate with honors in political science or criminal justice.
7. A signed copy of the thesis must be emailed to the Honors Program Director by the last day of regular classes in the semester in which the thesis is completed.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Banner ID: \_\_\_\_\_

ASU Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Semester & Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Department honors classes taken/currently enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected honors (check all that apply): University \_\_\_\_ Political Science \_\_\_\_ Criminal Justice \_\_\_\_

Credit Hours for 4510 you are registering for: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Thesis Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Tentative Thesis Defense Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Thesis Director's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Second Reader's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\*I certify that this student is eligible to enroll in PS or CJ 4510 (Senior Honors Thesis):

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(Signature of Honors Program Director)

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(Date)