## Policies and Procedures:

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*for students admitted to NIU Spring 2018 and earlier*

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| **General** | • Attending an advising session is required during each semester of program membership.  
• Enrolling in an Honors course each semester or obtaining approval for “non-enrollment” is required. Exception is made for students who join Honors after the add/drop deadline, or who join during the 2nd week add/drop period but were unable to add an Honors course after a good faith effort to do so.  
• Minimum GPA must be maintained each semester to remain in good standing.  
• Probation shall last one semester. To return to good standing, students must attain at least the minimum GPA by the end of the probationary semester.  
• Dropped students can reapply after one semester. Re-joining the University Honors Program requires meeting with the Associate Director of Academic Strategic Planning. | N/A  
Inactive  
Probation  
Drop  
N/A | Fall 2017  
Spring 2018  
Fall 2017  
Fall 2017 |
| **Curriculum** | • “H” designations must be secured on Honors courses (e.g., ICC, mini-section, capstone, etc.) during the semester completed; no retroactive Honors credit given for courses after grades are posted.  
• ICCs shall be an option for students enrolling in 300- or 400-level coursework only (exception made for Music majors).  
• Enrolling in an ICC requires completion of the “Honors” portion of the class (except in cases of complete course withdrawal).  
• A minimum grade of B- must be earned to receive credit for an ICC.  
• Capstone proposal and final paper are due to the University Honors Program by the Friday of Week #2 and the Sunday before finals begin (by 11:59pm CT), respectively. | No Honors credit for coursework  
N/A  
Prohibited from future ICCs  
No Honors Credit for ICC  
No credit for Honors capstone | Fall 2017  
Fall 2017  
Fall 2017  
Fall 2017 |
| **Scholarships** | • To remain in good standing, McKearns Fellows must continually demonstrate adequate progress towards the fulfillment of University Honors with a GPA ≥ 3.5.  
• All scholarship recipients (Honors Fellows, Kovacevich, Massey, etc.) must adhere to the NIU student code of conduct, standards on the NIU Honors website, and/or expectations in award notification. | Suspension / Removal from McKearn Fellows Program Discontinuation of scholarship / Future ineligibility | Spring 2016  
Fall 2017 |