

# Honors News

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## Congratulations to our December 2013 Honors Diploma Recipients!



This December, UM graduates Hannah Hawk, Amy Hester, and Paige Scott (not pictured) received the distinguished Honors Diploma along with their UM diploma.

Amy Hester remarks, "The Honors Program was a wonderful experience which taught me how to be a better student and, above

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all, a scholar. The ability to pursue creative questions from an interdisciplinary perspective is something that I will carry with me for the rest of my academic career."

Make sure you meet your requirements to receive your own Honors Diploma for all your hard work! If you are unsure about your progress, don't hesitate to ask questions by emailing honors@montevallo.edu. Don't forget the Golson Seminar that is only available in the fall semesters

## Honors Tip:

For Priority Registration, you need to meet with your advisor **FIRST**, then e-mail honors@montevallo.edu with your M# and name as soon as possible!



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

## March 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5 Civil Rights Field Trip	6	7	8
9	10	11	12 MHO	13	14 The Taming of the Shrew Trip	15 Alabama Scholastic Chess Tournament
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23	24	25	26 Spring Break	27	28	29

## Upcoming Events in April 2014

**April 3rd Puzzle Party Hill House 4:30pm**

Compete with other UM students in an intellectual game of logic and puzzles. Teams are encouraged. Watch Facebook and upcoming emails for more details.

**April 9th American Village trip leave Hill House at 1:30pm**

Join the Honors Program on another cultural outing, this time to the American Village — free tickets. RSVP on Facebook or email [honors@montevallo.edu](mailto:honors@montevallo.edu).

**April 11th High School Scholars Day Hill House 1:30-3:00pm**

Meet the incoming Honors freshmen! We need volunteers to meet and greet the new freshmen and their parents during an afternoon reception and make them welcome to the Honors community! Email [honors@montevallo.edu](mailto:honors@montevallo.edu) if you are interested.

**April 23rd Honors Recognition Luncheon Hill House noon-2pm**

A lunch just for you! Recipients of the Sophomore Certificate and the Honors Diploma will be recognized, and lunch will be served in Hill House. All Honors students are invited—RSVP required! Watch Facebook and upcoming emails for more details.

# MONTEVALLO TRIVIA TROT

By: Dr. Cathlena Martin

On November 12, 2013, senior Honors Program students hosted the Montevallo Trivia Trot for all UM students, faculty and staff.

The Montevallo Trivia Trot was a campus-wide scavenger hunt where contestants received clues that sent them around campus to different academic building locations. For example, one clue stated: "To get to the next MAIN location, you'll have to cross terrains, topple governments, and face your former self," referencing the new UMOM building and alluding to the departments housed there. At each building, contestants answered a trivia question related to the discipline in that building before being given another location clue. For example, music questions were asked in Davis, and health and kinesiology questions were asked in Myrick.

Senior Honors Program student Ashley Knowles reflected, "I couldn't think of a more appropriate event to be hosted by a bunch of Honors kids who, generally speaking, know plenty of 'useless' facts. I say 'useless' because most of the trivia information that fills our brains is not useful for everyday life. That doesn't change our desire to continue filling our heads with this knowledge. So having an opportunity to spread that knowledge with others and possibly pass it along as well was a great opportunity for us."



Even though hosted by the Honors Program and supported with funding from a QEP Illuminate grant, the event was open to all of UM. "The Trivia Trot really was an event for all kinds of students. Some 'trotters' went through the stations with their friends as a group, while others participated individ-



ually. Some were extremely competitive, but others were just in it for fun," said senior Honors Program student Hannah Gentry.

Over forty students, faculty, and staff were involved in the event. "The participants enjoyed the combination of brain and brawn, and we promoted information literacy across a

variety of subjects that are central to this University," said Susan Sabia, current president of the Montevallo Honors Organization, the student-run organization within the Honors Program. Not only did the participants get something out of the event, but the community as well. Donations were received for the Shelby Emergency Assistance.

Director of the Honors Program Dr. Cathlena Martin hopes that events like the Trivia Trot will continue: "We hope the Honors Program will continue to provide events for the campus that bolster a strong intellectual and fun community and that help support life-long learning."

## MONTEVALLO Trivia Trot



**Where do you think you are?**  
November 12, 2013

**UPCOMING G.E. HONORS COURSES****Fall 2014 General Education Honors Courses**

**\*NEW\*** BIO 107:001 (81235) Honors Introductory Biology; MWF 12:00-12:50pm/ Lab Th 2:00-3:50pm; Dr. Sestero; Harman 102; 4 Credits

HIST 103:001 (80241) History of World Civilization for Honors; MWF 10:00am- 10:50am; Dr. Barone; Hill House; 3 Credits

HIST 103:002 (80242) History of World Civilization for Honors; MWF 11:00am- 11:50am; Dr. Barone; Hill House; 3 Credits

COMS 102:001 (80751) Honors Foundations of Oral Communication; MWF 11:00am-11:50am; Dr. Wang; Reynolds 114; 3 Credits

ENG 103:001 (80651) Honors Composition I; TR 12:30pm-1:45pm; Dr. Murphy; Hill House; 3 Credits

ENG 103:002 (80656) Honors Composition I; TR 2:00pm-3:15pm; Dr. Murphy; Hill House; 3 Credits

ENG 233:001 (80610) Honors Global Literature Survey; TR 9:30am- 10:45am; Dr. Rickel; Comer 306; 3 Credits

ENG 233:002 (80648) Honors Global Literature Survey; TR 11:00am- 12:15m; Dr. Rickel; Comer 306; 3 Credits

PHIL 111:001 (80682) Honors Introduction to Philosophy; MWF 11:00am-11:50am; Dr. Patton; Comer 309; 3 Credits

**New General Education Honors Course [Coming Fall 2015](#)**

**Spanish 103!**

This will be an Honors section of Spanish 101.

**Honors Tip:**

Remember the Golson Seminar is **ONLY** offered in the Fall and is **REQUIRED** to get your Honors Diploma!



## UPCOMING HONORS COURSES

### Fall 2014 Honors Courses

#### 1-Credit Courses

**\*NEW\*** HNRS 308:001 (80035)– The Art and Science of Fermentation  
Dr. Bawden, W 2-2:50; Hill House

HNRS 308:002 (80483)- Italianissimo: A Quick Introduction to Italian Culture and Language Dr. Stoops; M 1-1:50; Comer 102

HNRS 400:001 (80484): Golson Seminar (required for ALL Honors students wishing to finish the Honors Diploma) Dr. Martin; M 3:30; Hill House

#### 3-Credit Courses

HNRS 309:001 (80480)/ GEOG 303:001 (80952)/ ANTH 311 (81245)/ ES 310 (81246)  
**Introduction to Geographic Information Systems**  
Dr. Ochoa-Winemiller; MW; 2-3:15; UMOM 103

HNRS 309:002 (80481)/ SPN 370: **Special Topics: Social Movements in Latin America**  
Dr. Vazquez-Gonzalez; MW 2-3:15; Comer 104

HNRS 309:003 (80978)/ ES 401/ ENG 419/ ENG 519: **Interdisciplinary Approaches to Environmental Studies** Dr. Rozelle; Comer 208; TR 11-12:15

HNRS 309:004 (81025)/ REL 302/ ES 310: **Religion and Ecology**  
Dr. Wesley; TR 11-12:15; Prereq ENG 102

HNRS 309:005 (81252)/ ENG 301/ ES 310: **The Internal/External Landscape: Psycho-geography and the Creative Writer** Dr. Chancellor; Comer; TR 11-12:12; Prereq ENG 102

HNRS 309:701 (81049)/ ENG 428 (81009)/ ENG 528 (81010)/ PHIL 465 (81258)  
**Modern British Literature and Early 20th Century Philosophy** Drs. Inglesby & Forrester;  
Comer 308; W 5-7:30; Prereq ENG 300 for ENG 428; Phil 110 or 220 for PHIL 465

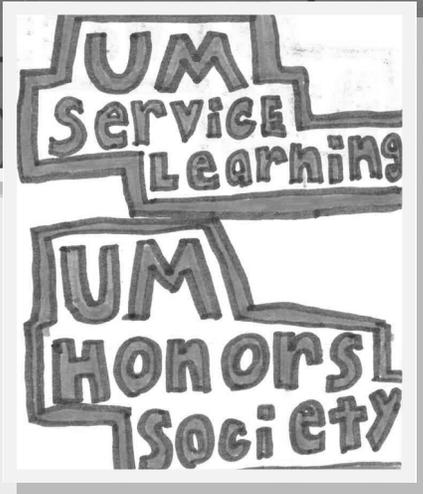
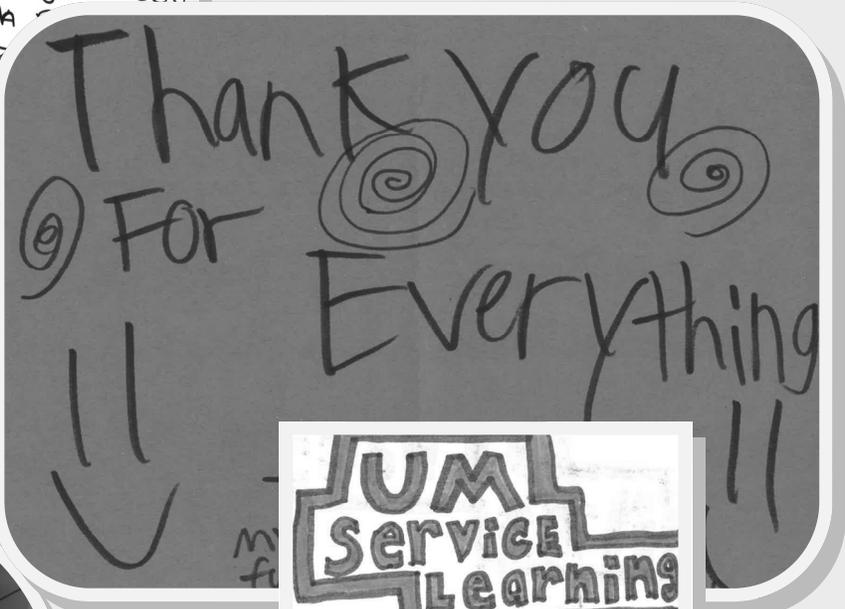
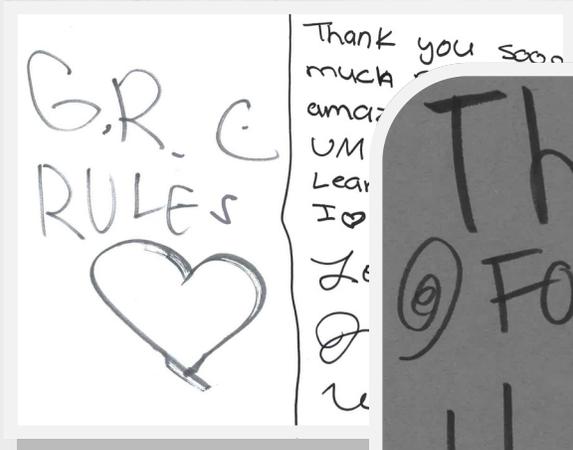
### Summer Honors Course

May

HNRS 309/ ES 310/ POS 303/ MG 460 **Environmental Policy: Managing Local, National, and Global Resources** Dr. Hudson; UMOM 201; MTWRF 1-4pm. 3 credits

# MONTEVALLO HONORS ORGANIZATION

Montevallo Honors Organization (MHO) and the UM Service Learning Center teamed up to welcome Gifted Resource Center (GRC) students from Montevallo Elementary School onto campus. These 3rd-5th graders enjoyed a night of educational and entertaining activities crafted and presented by their collegiate counterparts—you in the Honors Program! There were mini classes on broadcasting, puzzle making, chemistry, art, and chess. Not only did those participating gain volunteer hours, they also enjoyed a free pizza party that was provided for all college participants! A flood of thank-you notes came in after the event from all the children that truly enjoyed their GRC Fun Night! Thanks to all who donated their time and effort!



# Gifted Resource Center's Fun Night a Success with MHO Volunteers!



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### Shout-Out to All Honors Student Athletes

Davis Bowyer: Golf  
Katherine Bradner: Track  
Emalee Butler: XC & Track  
Jessica Clark: XC & Track  
Jill Kleist: XC & Track  
Anna Quinn: Volleyball  
Elizabeth Rhinehart: Track  
Jacob Whiting: Baseball



Great job keeping up with  
your grades as well as your  
sport!



### Honors Tip:

Remember that if you take a cross-listed Honors course under a different listing than the HONRS designation and still want it to count towards your Honors Certificate or Honors Diploma, you need to notify us at [honors@montevallo.edu](mailto:honors@montevallo.edu) or it will not count.

