

# ENGLISH HONORS PROGRAM APPLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

*Admissions only occur each fall to start in the spring semester.*

*You must be able to dedicate three full standard semesters to the program: spring and fall 2019, and spring 2020.*

**The application deadline for Spring 2019 is November 16, 2018.**

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Last Name First Name M.I.

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University ID Number E-mail Address

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Telephone Number Semesters Completed Expected Graduation Date

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Overall GPA (ex 3.68) English Courses GPA Name of Faculty Member who will Submit a Recommendation (see 1 below)

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Local Mailing Address

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City State Zip Code

Supporting materials required in addition to this application:

1. Please ask one of your English professors to send a letter of recommendation to Professor Jason Rudy. (Note: Your recommender MUST be a roster professor in the English Department at UMD - not an instructor, graduate student, etc.). **Please note that if you are proposing a creative writing project in poetry or fiction, you must also be approved by the Creative Writing faculty prior to submitting this application. You may seek approval through their application, which is due by Monday, October 15, 2018. Visit [ter.ps/ApplyEHonors](http://ter.ps/ApplyEHonors) for the application and more information.**
2. Please provide with your application a sample of your writing (for example, a paper written for an English course), and an unofficial transcript.
3. Attach a 1-2 page essay on why you would like to join the Honors Program; why do you want to work on an Honors thesis; what are your goals and expectations?

**Submit Application and Supporting Materials as Attachments to:  
Professor Jason Rudy, [jrrudy@umd.edu](mailto:jrrudy@umd.edu), Director of English Honors  
Please put "Honors Application" in the email subject line.**