

THE HONORS AMBO

Events. Opportunities. Reminders.
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Dear Honors Students,

Today is an excellent day for some American history!
Did you know...?

On this day in **1789**, the United States Constitution went into effect.

On this day in **1791**, Vermont became the 14th state in the US.

On this day in **1861**, Abraham Lincoln was inaugurated as president.

Now, before you can make history for Uncle Sam, make sure that you know what's waiting for you in Fall 2014 with our...

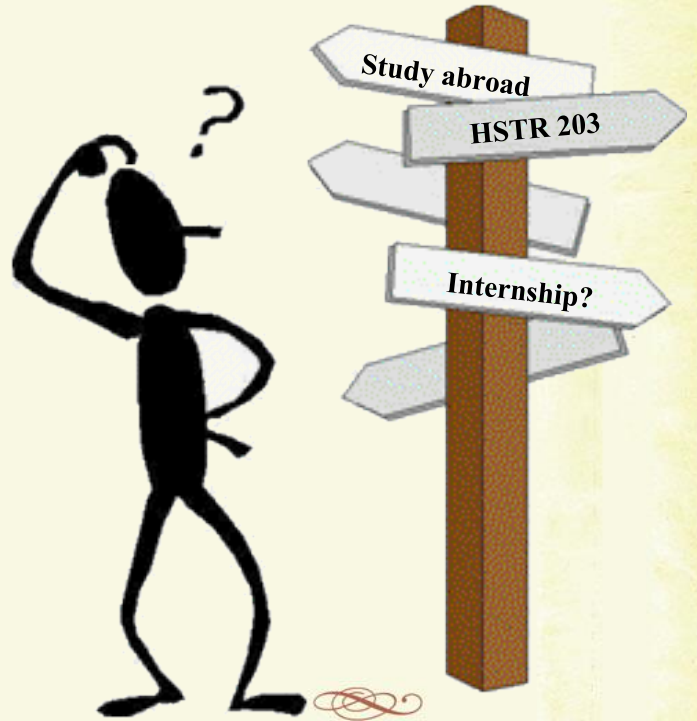
Program-wide Advising Meetings

Wednesday, March 5th &
Thursday, March 6th
5pm-6pm

In 112 McMahan (Admissions Annex)

***Note: attending *one* of these meetings is *mandatory* for all freshmen. Attendance will be taken. Attendance is *highly encouraged* for all sophomores and juniors.**

Learn about new course offerings, grants and fellowships, graduate opportunities, internships, and of course, spring break 2015 in Jerusalem!



So many possibilities.
Which path to take?
How to get there?



Take **this** path first.

A Penny for your Thoughts (Page 1)

"A quiet secluded life in the country, with the possibility of being useful to people to whom it is easy to do good, and who are not accustomed to have it done to them; then work which one hopes may be of some use; then rest, nature, books, music, love for one's neighbor – such is my idea of happiness." – Leo Tolstoy

Events Calendar

Program-wide Advising Meetings

Wednesday, March 5 5:00pm-6:00pm

Thursday, March 6 5:00pm-6:00pm

112 McMahon

The first step on your path to becoming an informed student, and perhaps an American hero. Please see page 1.

Tea or Hitchhiker's Guide

Not this Friday Not 4:00pm-5:00pm

Not in the HRC

Enjoy spring break!

Interested in spending three weeks in Italy this summer?

Application deadline: March 17.

Study the various strata of culture and civilization in Rome, Naples, and the island of Capri! This program will focus on the interdisciplinary study of Italian culture and society through literature, visual arts, archaeology, and architecture. Live in Rome for two weeks and on the island of Capri for one week, while earning credit for ITAL 221. See the attached brochure for more information.

Travel the world with the Merkel Fund!

Application deadline: March 21

Named after Dr. Ingrid Merkel, the founder of the Honors Program, the Merkel Fund assists students who are traveling for academic purposes. This can include conferences, poster presentations, study abroad, and more. To apply, simply email a one-page letter describing where you will travel, what you will be doing there, and your exact proposed budget for the scholarship money.

STUDENT CORNER

This is JEOPARDY!

\$200	\$200	\$200	\$200	\$200	\$200
\$400	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$400
\$600	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$600
\$800	\$800	\$800	\$800	\$800	\$800
\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000

Honors students competing for the title of Jeopardy champion.

This is going to get intense.

When: Thursday, March 20
7:00pm-8:00pm

Round up a group of 5 students and register by filling out the attached form!

Come to a Program-wide Advising Meeting to learn more.

Spring Break is almost here.

Are you going on the Honors spring break trip to Madrid?

We would love to hear about your experience! Please drop by the Honors Office in 112A or 107 McMahon after break and share your photos with us!

A Penny for your Thoughts (Page 2)

"Rest and be thankful." – William Wordsworth