

## Latin Honors Qualification Form: Department of Psychology, University of Denver

Honor designations for baccalaureate degrees are *cum laude*, *magna cum laude* and *summa cum laude*. *Cum laude* is awarded to a degree candidate who has completed at least 90 quarter hours at the University with a minimum GPA of 3.75 in all course work taken at DU.

*Magna cum laude* is awarded to a degree candidate who has completed at least 90 quarter hours at the University with a minimum GPA of 3.85 in all course work taken at DU.

*Summa cum laude* is awarded to a degree candidate who has completed a minimum of 90 quarter hours at the University with a minimum GPA of 3.95 and receives a recommendation from the major department. Candidates for *magna cum laude* and *summa cum laude* must complete a thesis/culminating project or Distinction in a major.

The experiences below are what the Psychology Department will consider as a thesis/culminating project for the major. Please check the one you completed.

- ☐ Distinction in the major
  - ☐ Completion of research project funded by Partners in Scholarship (PINS)
  - ☐ Completion of research project funded as a Summer Research Grant (SRG)
  - ☐ Presenting a research poster or talk at a conference for a professional society
  - ☐ Co-authoring a paper with a faculty member submitted to peer-reviewed journal
  - ☐ Completion of Field Experiences in Psychology sequence (all 3 quarters)
  - ☐ Completion of a microcredential in Psychology
  - ☐ Completion of a psychology-related service learning project or internship\*
  - ☐ Other (this is rare, please describe in detail): \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ DUID# \_\_\_\_\_ Graduating Quarter/Year \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the student listed above has completed the project listed above, which I consider an appropriate culminating experience in our major. For experiences noted with a \*, I further certify that as part of this culminating experience a satisfactory written product was produced (that was not merely repurposed from a course requirement), and that advanced knowledge of scientific methods in psychology was a point of focus for this experience.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Psychology Faculty Member

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Signature of Psychology Faculty Member (Required)

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Date

This is a *departmental* form is due to the Curriculum Chair of the Department of Psychology no later than Week 5 of the quarter the student wishes to graduate. Forms turned in later than Week 5 or to another office may not be processed correctly.