

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

The Bachelor of Science in Professional Studies (BSPS) is a flexible degree completion program designed for students who bring academic, technical, and/or professional backgrounds to their studies. The program values and integrates prior learning—both academic and experiential—allowing students to build a personalized degree plan that reflects their unique goals and experiences.

Departmental Honors in Professional Studies

The Bachelor of Science in Professional Studies offers students the opportunity to earn Departmental Honors as a way to recognize exceptional effort and achievement within the major. This distinction celebrates students who go above and beyond in their coursework and capstone experience. Through the capstone project, honors students will demonstrate their advanced learning, leadership, and readiness to make an impact in their professional fields.

Students who meet the following criteria are eligible to apply for Departmental Honors in Professional Studies.

- Resident GPA 3.5+
- 90+ earned credits

Students who have completed or are currently enrolled in EHS 400 are not eligible to apply.

Honors Program Requirements

- B or better in EHS 300. Honors Contract required. Students who completed EHS 300 before earning 90 credits will be exempt from this requirement.
- B or better in EHS 400. Honors Contract required.
- Presentation of EHS 400 Capstone project at CERCA, COHHS Spring Research Forum, Provost's Honors Symposium, or in other settings deemed appropriate by the Professional Studies Academic Program Coordinator.