

## Presidential Global Scholars Program Credits Earned

### > PGS and General Education

PGS students earn 15 credits toward their Pathways General Education requirements at Virginia Tech as follows:

- UH 2504 Topics in Discourse and Global Citizenship
- UH 2514 Topics in Quantitative/Computational Thinking and Global Citizenship
- UH 2524 Topics in Natural Sciences and Global Citizenship
- UH 2544 Topics in Social Science and Global Citizenship
- UH 2554 Topics in Humanities and Global Citizenship

### > PGS and Honors Credits

PGS students earn a minimum of 20 credits toward their Honors diploma by taking:

- UH 1504: PGS Study Abroad Pre-Departure Seminar (2 credits)
- UH 2504: Topics in Discourse and Global Citizenship
- UH 2514: Topics in Quantitative/Computational Thinking and Global Citizenship
- UH 2524: Topics in Natural Sciences and Global Citizenship
- UH 2544: Topics in Social Science and Global Citizenship
- UH 2554: Topics in Humanities and Global Citizenship
- UH 4994: Undergraduate Research

In addition, PGS students have the option of enrolling in their ITAL courses for Honors credit: ITAL 1105/1106/2105/2106 (3 or 6 credits)

Successful PGS students would thus earn **20 credits** toward their **Honors diploma**. Motivated PGS students who take their Italian courses for honors credit could earn 23 or 26 credits toward their Honors diploma. See below for more details.

### > PGS and an Honors Laureate Diploma

The following details how the credits earned through the Presidential Global Scholars Program apply to the credit requirements of an Honors Laureate Diploma.

An Honors Laureate Diploma is composed of the Four Elements of an Honors Education: Honors College Curriculum, Disciplinary Depth, Transdisciplinary Capabilities, and Undergraduate Research & Guided Experiential Learning. To graduate

# HONORS COLLEGE

with an Honors Laureate Diploma, students are required to complete at least thirty total honors credits. Elements Two, Three, and Four each require at least six honors credits.

PGS provides twenty of the thirty credits required of an Honors Laureate Diploma. Of the ten remaining, up to six honors credits are available for the required PGS Italian courses with Faculty-Student Agreements. The final four can come from among any of the ways to earn honors credit.

## Honors College Curriculum

Credits Earned
UH 1504 (2)
UH 25XX (3)

## Disciplinary Depth

Credits Earned	Required Credits Remaining
UH 25XX (3)	3

## Transdisciplinary Capabilities

Credits Earned	Required Credits Remaining
25XX (3)	0
25XX (3)	

## Undergraduate Research & Guided Experiential Learning

Credits Earned	Required Credits Remaining
UH 4994 (3)	0
UH 25XX (3)	