

## Timeline and Expectations for Honors in Biology

- Select a faculty mentor and research project
- Assemble Advisory Committee (2 faculty members plus research mentor who serves as chair)
- Write proposal (suggested first semester junior year)
- Submit proposal to advisory committee
- Respond to comments and/or ensure you are registered for BIOL 4V85 for the following semester
- Conduct research
- Ensure you have a Biology GPA of 3.25
- Submit an Undergraduate Scholars Program Form (aka Honors in the Majors form) to the Registrar and Biology Office by the end of the **third full week** of the semester in which the student intends to graduate.
- Write Honors in Biology Thesis
- Schedule presentation
- Submit Thesis to Advisory Committee a minimum of two weeks prior to presentation
- Present and defend Honors in Biology Thesis a minimum of 3 days prior to the end of the last week of instruction in the semester the student intends to graduate.
- Obtain signatures from Advisory Committee and submit Honors in Biology Thesis to the Registrar (email: [regofc@uca.edu](mailto:regofc@uca.edu)) by the end of the last week of instruction of the semester of graduation. Submit the Thesis Release Form to the Registrar with thesis.

For more information see Recognition of Academic Achievement in the Undergraduate Bulletin.