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Students who participate in Minnesota State Mankato's Honors Program will have the confidence and competence to turn their big ideas into solutions for a changing world.

Minnesota State Mankato's Honors Program challenges motivated students to take their college experience further than they thought possible. They will develop the ability to solve problems, the skills to tackle tough jobs and the courage to engage in difficult discussions. They will cultivate the desire to seek new knowledge and to explore new places. They will become widely recognized, renowned, prominent, distinguished leaders, researchers and global citizens who are able to bring about change in the world, no matter what their chosen discipline may be.

The program includes classes designed specifically for honors students as well as a variety of co-curricular activities to enrich those classroom experiences. Students will have the opportunity to work with mentors, to take part in the University’s Undergraduate Research Conference and to be involved in a number of other events, seminars and activities on and off campus.

Because they will have the opportunity to push themselves to do more here at Minnesota State Mankato, they will be ready to push for success in the real world as well.

“Honors Program activities are very enriching. There is not a week where the program doesn’t have something going on. Many of these activities are not only fun, but thought-provoking as well.”
— Kurtis Malecha, Chemistry Major

“The Honors Program has a large class selection and a variety of ways to meet course requirements, so making a flexible class schedule around practices and other athletic events is easy to do.”
— Emma Grumke, Accounting Major, Women’s Soccer Team

“Teaching honors students is a wonderful challenge—they are engaged and quick to learn, but they don’t necessarily have background in my field. Every class challenges my expectations and challenges me to perform at my best.”
— Anthony Filipovitch, Professor, Chair of the Urban & Regional Studies Institute