

Honors Ambassador

Description:

Honors Ambassadors are current DePaul Honors students who connect with prospective students interested in learning about the Honors Program and life at DePaul. Prospective students are usually high school seniors deciding where they want to go to college next year, although they can be current college students considering transferring to DePaul. Ambassadors will be connected to these prospective students via a DePaul Honors staff member. Once connected with a prospective student, they will be responsible for reaching out in a welcoming manner, setting up a time to chat with the student (either via email, zoom, or even an in-person meeting in the Honors Student Lounge), and then lead a conversation with a student. They will talk about their favorite Honors classes, the benefits they have derived from the Honors Program, their favorite parts about DePaul University and Chicago, and generally represent both DePaul and Honors in a positive, welcoming light. Honors Ambassadors will also be expected to occasionally assist with in-person and virtual Honors Information Sessions.

Students must apply and interview for this position. If selected for an interview, you will be notified after applications close.

Honors Ambassadors earn Honors Leadership upon successful completion of the responsibilities outlined below.

Responsibilities:

- Write a short bio (2-3 sentences) and provide a school-appropriate selfie for the Honors Website
- Conduct conversations with prospective students, either via zoom or email. These conversations will often be with students in your same college.
- Meet with prospective students on campus in the Honors Student Lounge
- Assist with on-campus visit days and in-person information sessions
- Assist with virtual information sessions
- Serve as a liaison between prospective students and the DePaul Honors Program.
- Represent both DePaul and the Honors Program in a positive, welcoming light to perspective students and their families.
- Promote Honors Program benefits and opportunities in conversations with prospective students.
- Maintain communication with, and report concerns to, the Assistant Director Mary Kate Turek, marykate.turek@depaul.edu utist@depaul.edu.

In order to successfully earn Honors Leadership, Ambassadors must assist with a minimum of three student conversations or information sessions during the academic year.

Eligibility to run for an LLC Rep position:

- You must be a second-year or older student

Application Process:

A minimum of six Honors Ambassadors will be chosen for the academic year. Interested students must first fill out an application, which opens early fall. Selected students will then be invited to an interview. Candidates will be selected after an interview with Assistant Director Mary Kate Turek.