

## SPRING 2026 DEADLINES for GHS:4991 Honors Thesis in Global Health Studies

### ENROLL in GHS: 4991 and GHS 4992

Early Reg for sp26 is Nov 10 – Dec 5, 2025

Respond promptly to all emails from GHSP and/or Honors Advisor and attend all required arranged meetings.

### **Monday, February 2, 2026**

LAST DAY TO ADD GHS: 4991 and 4992 (without the Dean's signature)

[Form and Instructions for enrolling](#)

are on the GHS website

- Students email completed form and proposal to [globalhealthstudies@uiowa.edu](mailto:globalhealthstudies@uiowa.edu) before 4:30 pm, then receive permission via email from the GHSP to enroll in MyUI where they can choose their faculty mentor from the list

### **February – March**

#### **OPTIONAL – REGISTER FOR SPRING**

#### **UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FESTIVAL (SURF)**

<https://icru.research.uiowa.edu/furf-and-surf-undergraduate-research-festivals>

### **Friday, February 27, 2026** (all graduating seniors)

#### **APPLICATION FOR A SPRING 2026 DEGREE**

- Apply on MyUI
- Students completing “Honors in the GHS Major” are asked to verify that on the online application form
- May apply after deadline (with late fee), but must apply on time to be listed as completing “Honors in the Major” in the commencement student list

Info for graduating students

<http://registrar.uiowa.edu/graduation-commencement>

Contact Graduation Services with questions about application for degree: 2700 UCC; 319-335-0228; [registrar-degree-applications@uiowa.edu](mailto:registrar-degree-applications@uiowa.edu)

### **OPTIONAL – 3 weeks prior to presentation EMAIL FINAL PDF OF RESEARCH POSTER TO GHSP**

[globalhealthstudies@uiowa.edu](mailto:globalhealthstudies@uiowa.edu)) to have GHSP pay for printing

*Posters must be either 3 x 4 feet, or 4 x 3 feet.*

*Be sure to identify yourself, your faculty mentor, and the title of your project on your poster.*

*A PowerPoint (PPT) format is preferred in the actual size of the print (36x48 or 48x36 inches). If photos/graphics are used, we recommend placing images that are vector for logos (Illustrator) or 300+ dpi resolution images. PDF files are ok, but they must be high resolution (more information [here](#)).*

*Include your name and short project name on the PPT file.*

Visit <https://designcenter.uiowa.edu> for poster templates and resources

**Please note:** While students are encouraged to use the online templates and resources above, the Design Center no longer prints posters outside of the College of Medicine.

Poster printing for GHS students will now take place through [UI Printing](#).

**OPTIONAL – TBD**

SPRING UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FESTIVAL (SURF), 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Atrium, UCC

[FURF and SURF Undergraduate Research Festivals | Iowa Center for Research by Undergraduates - The University of Iowa \(uiowa.edu\)](#)

**Friday, April 24, 2026, 4:30 pm**

EMAIL ROUGH DRAFT OF HONORS THESIS to GHSP HONORS ADVISOR

**Friday, May 8, 2026, 4:30 pm**

EMAIL FINAL DRAFT OF HONORS THESIS to GHSP

- Requires faculty mentor signature on "GHS Honors Thesis Cover Sheet"
- Requires title page, abstract and citations/bibliography

[Form and instructions for Honors GHS submission](#)  
are on the GHS website

**Tuesday, May 12, 2026, 4:30 pm**

RECEIVE EMAIL CONFIRMATION THAT YOUR GHS THESIS HAS EITHER BEEN APPROVED BY THE GHSP OR REQUIRES EDITS

Pending—receive white honors cord from GHSP (graduating seniors participating in sp 22 commencement)

**Friday, May 15, 2026; 11:59 pm**

UPLOAD FINAL THESIS TO IOWA RESEARCH ONLINE REPOSITORY (optional)

All students completing Honors in the GHS major have the option of submitting their thesis materials to the [Iowa Research Online](#) (IRO) repository. Please refer to the [CLAS "Honors Thesis or Project Submission" website](#) for detailed instructions. Submission requires a Submission Agreement Form completed online by the Faculty Mentor (the faculty person with whom you worked on your thesis), and the GHSP Honors Advisor (Dr. Kristine Muñoz). Once the form is completed online, the thesis can be uploaded to the repository. The deadline to submit thesis materials to the repository is 11:59 p.m. on the Friday of Final Examination Week. Contact [clasps@uiowa.edu](mailto:clasps@uiowa.edu) with questions.