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Instructions for Preparation of a Bachelor's Thesis

1. A thesis subject/topic should be selected by the student and the advisor of the department in which it is written.
2. The credit assigned to theses differs among the departments. See appropriate departmental personnel for further information.
3. The thesis should be completed and submitted to:
 - a. The head of the department according to the departmental senior thesis deadline and
 - b. The College of LAS Honors Program, 2002 Lincoln Hall, no later than one week following the last day of instruction.
 - c. The instructor in charge may require it earlier as s/he deems necessary, and the Dean of the College may extend the deadline if necessary.
4. The thesis must be presented unbound in a manila envelope. A copy of the title page (illustration on reverse side) must be attached to the front of the envelope.
5. Inserted into the envelope must be a **certification sheet** signed by the instructor in charge and by the head of the department. Forms for this purpose can be downloaded from the LAS Honors website or obtained from the LAS Honors Office, 2002 Lincoln Hall.
6. Formatting requirements:
 - a. The thesis must contain both a Table of Contents and a Bibliography.
 - b. The thesis must be typed, preferably on a computer, and easily readable. Use good quality paper for copying the thesis.
 - c. Use paper of standard size (8-1/2 x 11 inches) with one-inch margins, typed only on one side of the paper with double-spaced text.
 - d. Should the document require figures or graphics on separate sheets of paper, reduce their size such that they fit on standard size paper with one-inch margins. Figures and graphics may also be embedded within the text.
 - e. Pages should be numbered at the center of the top or bottom of each page or at the upper right-hand at the beginning of the margin.
 - f. The Title Page should be arranged in accordance with the models shown on the LAS Honors website. (For the precise degree to be awarded, student should consult the *Undergraduate Programs Catalog* or the College office.)
 - g. For all other questions concerning format, particularly the form to be employed for footnotes, table of contents, or bibliography, see your instructor or a format guide.

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