

Data Science, BS

Honors

Honors in the Major

Students majoring in data science have the opportunity to graduate with honors in the major. They must maintain a grade-point average (GPA) of at least 3.67 in their major and a cumulative University of Iowa GPA of at least 3.33. Students must complete an honors thesis.

Students are responsible for finding a faculty member willing to supervise their honors project. The faculty member must approve the proposed project and a timetable for the work. Credit for thesis work must be earned in either CS:3990 Honors in Computer Science or Informatics for work supervised by a computer science faculty member or an honors course supervised by a statistics and actuarial science faculty member.

Honors in data science also satisfies the 12 s.h. experiential learning requirement for University of Iowa honors students.

University of Iowa Honors Program

In addition to honors in the major, students have opportunities for honors study and activities through membership in the University of Iowa Honors Program. Visit Honors at Iowa to learn about the university's honors program.

Membership in the UI Honors Program is not required to earn honors in the data science major.