

Applied Physics, BS

Honors

Honors in the Major

Students majoring in applied physics have the opportunity to graduate with honors in their major. Departmental honors students must maintain a University of Iowa grade-point average (GPA) of at least 3.33. To graduate with honors in the major, students must conduct an investigation under the guidance of a faculty member during their junior and senior years. They must present a written report of their research (honors thesis) and describe their research results at a departmental seminar.

University of 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 applied physics major.