Honors Track in Mathematics

Departmental Honors
Outstanding students may pursue departmental honors in their major field of study by completing the departmental honors track specified by their major department. (Students in field majors or double majors should consult with their department and the honors director to develop an individually-tailored honors track.)

To enroll as a candidate for departmental honors, a student must have junior standing and a cumulative grade point average of 3.250. Each department will specify requirements for satisfactory completion of the honors track, but for all departments a minimum grade point average of 3.500 for work in the honors track is required.

To fulfill the Honor’s degree requirements in Mathematics and Statistics, the student must complete the following:

All courses listed in Group R (Math 415, 511, 547, 551, 555)
Math 513
Math 640
Plus three additional courses selected from those listed in Groups A, B, and C

In addition, all majors are required to take a high level computer programming language.

The above work must be completed with a grade point average of 3.5.

Since it is common for students completing the above program to continue on to pursue a graduate degree in mathematics, it is recommended that the student complete a course in at least one of the following language: French, German, or Russian.