



**Policy Chapter:** Chapter 6 Faculty Affairs

**Policy Number and Title:** 06.028 Graduation with Honors

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**I. Policy Statement**

Students meeting specific grade point averages are eligible to graduate with honors (cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude).

**II. Application of Policy**

All Undergraduate Students

**III. Policy Responsibilities**

Candidates for graduation whose overall grade point average, based on grades earned in University of North Texas resident credit courses and transferred resident credit courses, is from 3.5 through 3.69 are eligible to graduate *cum laude*; those whose GPA, as defined above, is from 3.7 through 3.89 are eligible to graduate *magna cum laude*; and those whose GPA, as defined above, is from 3.9 through 4.0 are eligible to graduate *summa cum laude*. Hours earned through correspondence and extension courses, or pass/no pass courses, may not be counted in calculating the GPA for determination of eligibility for graduation with honors. Candidates for a second bachelor's degree are not eligible for graduation with honors.

**IV. Revision History**

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