

➤ **1) Guidelines to offer Honors / Minors degrees.**

- To enhance the employability skills and impart deep knowledge in emerging areas.
- Usually not being covered in Undergraduate Degree credit framework.
- Concept of Minor Degree in emerging areas: Multi-Disciplinary Streams.
- Honors Degree in specialized areas: Core Stream.
- Need of manpower in emerging and specialized areas.
- Take help of industry-academia experts. • Honors and Minor degrees:
- Additional degree over and above the Basic UG Engg. / Arch Programme.
- A Student has to earn additional credits (18-20) for the Honors / Minor degree.
- Over and above 160 credits for Under Graduate Degree in Major Discipline.

➤ **2) Eligibility for Opting Honors / Minor Degree –**

- Enrolment process to begin in mid of sem. III
- A Student can opt for one Honors and / or one Minor degree at a time.
- Final allotment of students done on merit basis after the declaration of results of sem. III and before beginning of sem. IV.

Minor Degree:

- Students from other than basic branch are eligible to apply.
- CGPA of minimum 6.5 including sem. III with pass in all subjects of first year (F.Y. Students)
- CGPA of minimum 6.5 including sem. III (Direct Second Year admitted students- Diploma Marks converted to CGPA)

Honors Degree:

- Students from same branch are eligible to apply.
- CGPA of minimum 7.0 including sem. III with pass in all subjects of first year (F.Y. Students)
- CGPA of minimum 7.0 including sem. III (Direct Second Year admitted students- Diploma Marks converted to CGPA).

➤ **3) Rules and Regulations of Minors and Honors degrees**

- For Honors and Minors all existing academic and examination rules will be applicable.
- The minors / honors degree will be run only when the minimum students count is 30 for respective track.
- Students once enrolled for any minor / honors degree are not permitted to change the track. However, a student can withdraw at any semester.
- The fee for minors / honors degree is to be paid in addition to the college fees.
- There will not be any fee concession/relaxation for any category student.
- The fee will not be refunded when withdrawn from the minor / honors degree.
- Student should complete Honors / Minor degree within a period of three years from the date of registration to Honors / Minor degree.
- Students failing to clear Honors / Minor courses offered at sem.- IV and sem.- V will be discontinued for further courses of the Honors / Minor degree.

➤ **4) Award of Honour / Minor Degree:**

- Proposal to Shivaji University to be forwarded for approval to award Honors / Minor degrees
- Honors / Minor degree will be awarded after completion of basic degree.
- Separate Honors / Minor degree along with grade card will be issued to the student after successfully completing the opted Honors / Minor degree by the Institute and /or Industry.