Honors Advisory Committee Annual Report to the Faculty Senate 2012-13 Academic Year

Highlights from the year:

The Class of 2016 arrived on campus with nearly 50 new first-year students in the Honors College.

In the fall semester, the Honors Advisory Committee assisted with the recruitment of the parttime Coordinator for Student Support and Advising. The successful end to that national search was the hiring of Ms. Kristen Hark, who started her work in the Honors College in November.

The Committee facilitated the second year of a new Honors admission process. More than 80 prospective students completed the portfolio application process, and their work was reviewed by subcommittees of the HAC. Those subcommittees made recommendations regarding admission to the Honors College and also ranked candidates for the Citizen Scholar, Hull Scholar, and Longwood Scholar awards.

Implementation update:

In regards to the implementation of the Honors College proposal that the Faculty Senate voted on in the 2007-2008 academic year (reference above and available online at http://www.longwood.edu/assets/senate/Honors_College_proposal.pdf), this year the Honors College was staffed by one full-time administrator, one full-time administrative assistant, one part-time academic advisor, and one part-time programming coordinator.

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