UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH SCHOOL OF NURSING

ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

TITLE OF POLICY: UNIVERSITY HONORS CONVOCATION

ORIGINAL DATE: SEPTEMBER 1988

LAST REVIEWED/REVISED: DECEMBER 2015

POLICY: Students are invited to participate in the annual University Honors Convocation for achievement in the following areas:

- 1. Undergraduate juniors (60 credits plus) and seniors (90 credits plus) who rank in the top 2% of their respective classes.
- 2. Graduates of the current academic year (April, June, August) who rank in the upper 2% of their class.
- 3. Students who receive any prize, award or honor which meets the University definition of academic achievement.

PROCEDURE:

- 1. To determine which students fall into the upper 2% of the class, Student Affairs and Alumni Relations Office calculates and ranks each class according to cumulative GPAs including the current fall term grades.
- 2. The names and addresses of students falling into the above three categories and policy are submitted to the Provost's Office.
- 3. Recipients of these honors are invited to participate in the annual University Honors Convocation.

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