Academic Honors

Dean's List

The Dean's List recognizes students' high achievement and is compiled at the end of the fall and spring semesters. To be eligible for the Dean's List a student must have:

- earned at least 12 hours in the semester
- achieved a semester grade-point average of 3.60 or higher

Students enrolled in study abroad programs and students with grades of 'I' or Incomplete are eligible for Dean's List consideration when final grades are reported and documented in the Registrar's Office.

Graduation Honors

Candidates for degrees who have achieved certain levels of academic excellence at Wofford College are graduated with one of the honors listed below. These honors are determined on the basis of the cumulative grade-point average.

Summa Cum Laude: 3.90-4.00  
Magna Cum Laude: 3.75-3.89  
Cum Laude: 3.50-3.74

Departmental Honors

Academic awards are given by faculty to the outstanding graduating seniors on the basis of academic achievement, character, and intellectual promise. Some are named in honor of persons who have made significant contributions to the intellectual life of the college. The awards are associated by academic department.

Accounting: The Harold W. Green Award  
Art History Award  
Biology: The W. Ray Leonard Award  
Business Economics Award  
Chemistry: The Coleman B. Waller Award  
Chinese Award  
Computer Science: The Dan W. Olds Award  
Economics: The Matthew A. Stephenson Award  
English: The L. Harris Chewning Jr. Award  
  The W. Norman Coleman Award  
  The Walter E. Hudgins Award  
Environmental Studies: The John W. Harrington Award  
Finance: The James Edwin Proctor Award  
French: The George C.S. Adams Award  
German: The James A. Chiles Award  
Government Award  
History Award  
Humanities Award  
Intercultural Studies: The Global Citizen Award  
International Affairs Award  
Mathematics: The John Q. Hill Award  
Music: The George A. Carlisle Award  
  The Peter Allen Moore Award for Strings  
Philosophy Award  
Physics Award  
Psychology: The James E. Seegars Award  
Religion: The Charles F. Nesbitt Award  
Sociology and Anthropology Award: The Gerry Ginocchio Award  
Spanish: The John L. Salmon Award  

Theatre: The James R. Gross Award