

# COMMUNICATION STUDIES MINOR

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Lower Division</b>		
Select two of the following three conceptual/theoretical foundation courses:		6
COMM 210	Understanding Meaning-making	
COMM 220	Understanding Power in Culture	
COMM 230	Understanding Identity	
Select one of the following two inquiry method courses:		3
COMM 275	Analyzing Public Texts	
COMM 285/ SOSJ 263	Analyzing Practices and Habits	
<b>Upper Division</b>		
The upper-level electives have specific prerequisites. Plan your 200-level coursework based on the upper-level electives you wish to take. Consult with your advisor or the Department Chair for assistance.		
Select four of the following fifteen courses (Three credits must be at the 400-level):		12
COMM 310	Politics of Popular Culture	
COMM/INST 320	Resistance, Struggle, and Power	
COMM 330/ INST 332	Politics of Space and Place	
COMM 331/ SOSJ 363	Argumentation and Debate	
COMM 340	Encounters in Public Spheres	
COMM 350/ INST 351	Politics of Social Memory	
COMM 360	Media Aesthetics	
COMM 370	Digital Culture/Networked Self	
COMM 401/ SOSJ 464	Communication and Leadership	
COMM 420	Critical / Cultural Comm	
COMM 430/ SOSJ 466/ INST 430	Intersectional Communication	
COMM/INST 440	Rhetoric of Social Change	
COMM 450/ SOSJ 465	Justice and Arts of Civic Life	
COMM 480	Themes in Communication	
COMM 485	Communication Abroad (transfer credit for select study abroad experiences)	

### Notes for Minor in Communication Studies:

- Elective list for minors does not include: Independent Study, Internship, Capstone.
- Minors *may* take COMM 490 Crafting Professional Identity but it is not required for the minor degree requirements.