

Human Communication, Minor

The human communication minor is intended for students interested in studying the role of interpersonal communication in relationships, including romantic relationships, friendships, and relationships in groups or in organizations. Successful students gain an in-depth understanding of how communication can affect the quality of relationships, the satisfaction that is derived from relationships, and whether a relationship is likely to last or dissolve. Courses in the minor focus on research-validated theories, concepts, and models that aid students in understanding the many different types of relationships that exist in their personal and professional lives.

Minor Requirements

Complete all courses listed below unless otherwise indicated. Also complete any corequisite labs, recitations, clinicals, or tools courses where specified.

Students must complete a minimum of three courses exclusive to this minor beyond the courses required for the student's declared major(s) and additional minor(s).

Foundational Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete two of the following:		8
COMM 1131	Sex, Relationships, and Communication	
COMM 1231	Principles of Organizational Communication	
COMM 2131	Dark Side of Interpersonal Communication	
COMM 2135	Sex and Interpersonal Communication	
COMM 2303	Global and Intercultural Communication	
COMM 2304	Communication and Gender	
COMM 2500	Analyzing Conversations in Everyday Life	
COMM 2534	Group Communication	

Advanced Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete two of the following:		8
COMM 2301	Communication Research Methods	
COMM 3230	Interpersonal Communication	
COMM 3530	Communication and Sexualities	
COMM 3532	Theories of Conflict and Negotiation	
COMM 4535	Nonverbal Social Interaction	

GPA Requirement

2.000 GPA required in the minor