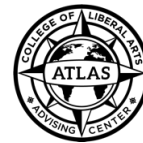


2023- 2024 Minor in Communication Studies**21 Units**

Use this checklist in combination with your official Academic Requirements Report (ARR). This checklist is not intended to replace advising. Consult the advisor for appropriate course sequencing. *Curriculum changes in progress. Requirements subject to change.*

Courses**Prerequisites**

Communication Studies Electives - Complete 21 UNITS from the following courses, of which 15 UNITS must be upper division (21 units total):

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| COMM 110: Interpersonal Communication (3) | |
| COMM 130: Essentials of Public Speaking (3) | |
| COMM 131: Essentials of Argumentation (3) | |
| COMM 132: Small Group Discussion (3) | |
| COMM 200: Communication Studies Careers and Scholarship (3) | |
| COMM 220: Elements of Organizational Communication (3) | |
| COMM 236: Forensic Activity (1 - 3) | |
| COMM 300: Survey of Rhetorical Theory (3) | GE Foundations |
| COMM 301: Communication Criticism (3) | COMM 300 with a Grade of "C" or Better |
| COMM 306: Communication Theory (3) | |
| COMM 307: Measurement in Communication Research (3) | COMM 306 with a Grade of "C" or Better; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 309: Language and Social Interaction (3) | |
| COMM 330: Intercultural Communication (3) | |
| COMM 331: Argumentation and Debate (3) | GE Foundations |
| COMM 333: Performing Culture (3) | GE Foundations |
| COMM 334: Communication in the Workplace (3) | |
| COMM 335: Persuasive Speaking (3) | GE Foundations |
| COMM 336: Forensic Activity (1 - 3) | |
| COMM 337: Professional Event Planning (3) | |
| COMM 338: Ensemble Performance (3) | |
| COMM 344: Interviewing Theory and Techniques (3) | |
| COMM 352: Story Telling (3) | |
| COMM 355: Instructional Communication: Theory and Application (3) | |
| COMM 358: Speech Arts for Children (3) | |
| COMM 400: Nonverbal Communication (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 410: Advanced Concepts in Interpersonal Communication (3) | COMM 110; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 411: Interpersonal Conflict Resolution (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 412: Gender and Communication (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 414: Communication in Families (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 415: Rhetoric of Social Movements and Protest (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 420: Advanced Concepts in Organizational Communication (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 421: Communication in Bargaining and Negotiation (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 422: Media Effects (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 423: Communication Theory and Technology (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 425: Communication and Violence (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 430: Advanced Concepts in Intercultural Communication (3) | COMM 330; Upper Division Standing; or Consent |
| COMM 431: Mediation and Dispute Resolution (3) | Corequisite: COMM 330 or 430; COMM 411 and 421 Prerequisite: Upper Division Standing; or Consent |
| COMM 432: Leadership Communication (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| COMM 434: Advanced Oral Presentation Skills (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |

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| | COMM 439: Communication and Popular Culture (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 441: Issues in Freedom of Communication (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 442: Campaign Persuasion (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 443: Communication and Mindfulness (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 444: Positive Communication Principles and Practices (3) | GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 449: Studies in Oral Persuasion and Attitude Change (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 450: Communication Training in Organizations (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 455: Peer Mentorship and Professional Development (3) | Upper Division Standing; Three of the Following: COMM 200, 300, 301, 306, 307, 330 with a Grade of "B" or Better; Or Consent |
| | COMM 490: Selected Topics in Communication Studies (3) | Upper Division Standing |
| | COMM 492A - B: Internship (3) | Upper Division Standing and Consent of Instructor |
| | COMM 495: Service Learning Internship (3) | Consent of Instructor |
| | COMM 499: Special Studies (1 - 6) | Upper Division Standing; Consent of Instructor; and Approved Agreement for Independent Study |

In order to graduate from CSULB, students must complete General Education/GWAR/Major requirements and have a minimum of 120 units (40 must be upper division) with at least a 2.0 in all GPAs (Overall, CSULB, Major).

Additional Information

- **See online Catalog for additional course information, limitations, and requirements.**
- Some courses may also fulfill GE requirements. Visit the GE website for course selection: csulb.edu/general-education.
- A course can only be used to satisfy one minor requirement. Double counting is not allowed within the minor.
- The minor in Communication Studies is available to any non-Communication Studies major.

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