THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Communication Minor Information Session Main Campus (Tucson)



Registration NOTE:

- COMM courses are restricted to declared minors with the exception of COMM 101 (Intro the Study of Communication).
- COMM courses are popular and fill up quickly. Registration in COMM courses is not guaranteed and COMM Minors may have to take Summer and/or Winter courses.
- For this reason, the COMM Minor can be difficult to complete quickly. Please allow yourself enough time to complete this minor. We recommend at least 3-4 semesters.



MINOR REQUIREMENTS:

- A minimum of 18 units required and 9 of which must be Upper Division
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 - o Upper Division are courses numbered 300-499
- At least 3 units must be completed at the University of Arizona (in residence)
- A 2.0 minimum GPA is required in the minor to graduate
- Not ALL courses are offered each semester and vary by term

- Communication Minors need to be prepared to take Summer courses
- Summer and Winter COMM courses do not have any prerequisites
- Junior class standing is recommended for Upper Division coursework



COMMUNICATION MINOR

- Breakdown of Minor Requirements:
 - Core: 3 Units
 - Skills: 9 Units
 - COMM Electives: 6 Units



COMM Course Options

One Core Course is required (3 units):

• COMM 101: Intro to the Study of COMM

Three COMM Skills Courses are required (9 units – Need to be declared to enroll):

- COMM 113: Intro to Small Group COMM
- COMM 114: Intro to Interpersonal COMM
- COMM 117: Culture & Communication
- COMM 119: Public Speaking
- COMM 201: Intro to Public Relations
- COMM 209: Intro to COMM Technology
- COMM 280: Intimate & Sexual COMM

- COMM 310 Intro to Organizational COMM
- COMM 312: Applied Organizational COMM
- COMM 314: Creative Professional COMM
- COMM 319: Advanced Public Speaking
- COMM 325: Argumentation
- COMM 411: COMM & Conflict Management



COMM Course Options

Two Electives Courses are required (6 Units - Need to be declared to enroll):

- COMM 301: Survey of Mass Communicating
- COMM 311: COMM Technology Theory
- COMM 318: Persuasion
- COMM 402: COMM & Music
- COMM 410: Struggle for the Presidency
- COMM 420: COMM & the Legal Process



COMM Course Prerequisites

COMM 101: None

COMM Skills: Must be declared COMM Minor

COMM Electives: Must be declared COMM Minor





Transfer Courses

- Transfer coursework can be used towards the Communication Minor
- At least 3 units MUST be completed at the University of Arizona
- At least 9 units MUST be Upper Division courses from a four-year institution. Junior College/Community college credits is NOT Upper Division
- Transfer Equivalents for In-State Transfers can be checked via the <u>Course Equivalency Guide</u>
- Transfer Equivalents for Out-of-State Transfers:
 - Transfer credit to be used in the COMM Minor needs to be evaluated by a COMM Advisor.
 - Planning on taking a course? There is a <u>Transfer</u> <u>Credit Pre-Approval Process</u>
- For more Information on transferring coursework and looking up Pima course equivalencies, check out our website here: <u>https://comm.arizona.edu/transfers</u>





Experiential Opportunities

- Internships Opportunities and information can be found here: <u>https://comm.arizona.edu/internships</u>
- Study Abroad Talk to your advisor about your opportunities
- Clubs Check out our Clubs and Organizations here: <u>https://comm.arizona.edu/clubs</u>

*Talk to your Advisor about all the opportunities available to you as a COMM Minor.





COMMUNICATION

UA Barcelona & UA Madrid Fall, Spring, or full academic year Take Communication Major Classes Abroad!

- **COM 316:** Media & Conflict = COMM Elective
- **COM 317:** Communication & Gender = COMM 413 (COMM Elective)
- COM 318: Intercultural Communication = COMM 117 (COMM Skills)
- International Internship: can earn credit for COMM Elective (evaluation required for approval)

Learn more about Barcelona & Madrid and start your application: https://international.arizona.edu/study-abroad

Additional questions? Contact your Communication Advisor or reach out directly to the Study Abroad Office, **studyabroad@arizona.edu**





Thank you for completing the Communication Minor Information Session!

You will be declared as a COMM Minor after your completion of the following:

<u>Communication Minor Quiz (</u> click here)

• Please read it very carefully and answer all the questions before you submit.

New minors are declared every Friday morning.

In addition to completing the quiz, you must have at least a 2.00 cumulative GPA at this time.

Completion of the quiz does not automatically declare the minor. You will receive an email once your minor has officially been declared.



Academic Advising

Please review information on this presentation and what is available on https://comm.arizona.edu/



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*<u>Appointments</u> are available to Communication Majors **only**. *Minors are welcome to see an advisor during our posted drop-in hours. Log on to <u>Trellis Advise</u> to view our weekly hours.

