

PROFESSIONAL WRITING AND COMMUNICATION MINOR

The minor in professional writing and communication provides students with training in the various genres of business, technical and digital writing, and communication. Courses include a variety of professional writing, rhetoric, speech and communications classes, equipping students with skills vital to a wide range of career paths. This minor is beneficial for students with primary studies in business, the arts, the sciences, political science, history, pre-law, public relations and journalism, among other fields.

Minor Requirements

The minor in Professional Writing and Communication consists of 18 credit hours or 6 classes.

All classes in the minor must be passed with a grade of C or higher.

| Course | Title | Credits |
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| Select one 200-level ENGL class | | 3 |
| ENGL 363 | Introduction to Professional Writing | 3 |
| Select four courses of the following: | | 12 |
| ENGL/SPCH 387 | Introduction to Rhetoric | |
| ENGL 460 | Advanced Writing | |
| ENGL 462 | Technical Writing | |
| ENGL 463 | Business Writing | |
| ENGL 468 | Digital Writing | |
| ENGL 469 | Creative Nonfiction | |
| ENGL 494 | Advanced Professional Writing Workshop | |
| ENGL 466 | Internship | |
| SPCH 330 | Small Group Communication | |
| SPCH 331 | Organizational Communication | |
| SPCH 380 | Persuasive Communication | |
| SPCH 441 | Rhetorical Criticism | |
| SPCH 464 | Speechwriting | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 18 |