The minor in Organizational Communication provides students with an understanding of the role of communication in organizational contexts. Courses focus on how organizations interact with internal and external constituencies.

The Organizational Communication minor requires the completion of at least four courses for 20 credits, including one foundational course. Upon completion of the minor, students should file the Minor Program Form with a college or school counselor. Any variation from the program described below needs the approval of an undergraduate advisor in the School of Communication.

**Required foundational courses (5 credit hours)**
Comm 325 – Introduction to Org Comm (5)

**Choose at least three courses from these electives (15 credit hours)**
Comm 368 – Intercultural Comm in Org. Contexts (5)
Comm 531 – Communication and Conflict Mgmt (5)
Comm 628 – Contemporary Persuasion Theory (5)
Comm 631 – Communication and Decision Making (5)
Comm 635 – Small Groups and Organizations (5)
Comm 656 – Information Technology and Org. Comm (5)
Comm 657 – Technology of Communication (5)

**Overlap with the GEC** Permitted, unless specifically disallowed by an individual minor program.

**Overlap with the major** Not allowed and
• The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
• The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

**Overlap between minors** Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

**Grades required**
• Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
• Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
• Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

**100-level course** For every five credit hours of 100-level course work on the minor, the minimum total required for the minor is increased by five.

**Approval required** The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:
• The academic unit offering the minor, or
• A college/school counselor.

**Filing the minor program form** The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

**Changing the minor** Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:
• The academic unit offering the minor, or
• A college/school counselor (depending on the minor).

**Arts and Sciences minor program guidelines**
The following guidelines govern minors:

**Required for graduation** No

**Credit hours required** A minimum of 20 (some minors require more)

**Transfer credit hours allowed** A maximum of 10