

Communicating Social Issues Minor

The Communicating Social Issues minor is open to all undergraduate majors at The University of Texas at Austin. If demand exceeds space available, the Moody College reserves the right to select students based on their academic record or a secondary application.

Acceptance into the minor does not come with preference or guarantee of a seat in any course. Course prerequisites and major restrictions are enforced.

Total Hours Required: 15 Requirements

Requirements are listed in the table below. Additional requirements may follow the table, so be sure to read the entire page. Some required courses listed below may also satisfy [General Education](#) requirements, including [Core Curriculum](#). Students should also review the [University's Undergraduate Minor and Certificate Requirements and Policies](#).

Code	Title	Hours
COM 307	Overview of Social Justice and Media	3
COM 321	Communicating Social Justice Capstone	3
Hours chosen from:		9
ADV 320	Integrated Communication for Nonprofit Organizations	
ADV 322	Health Communication: Messages, Campaigns, and the Media	
ADV 323	Public Communication of Science and Technology	
ADV 324	Communicating Sustainability	
ADV 336	Topics in Multicultural Issues in Advertising and Public Relations (any topic)	
ADV 378.47	Social Issues	
CLD 301	Introduction to Communication and Leadership	
CMS 338	Leadership Stories	
CMS 340K	Communication and Social Change	
CMS 342C	Communication and Civic Participation	
CMS 342K	Political Communication	
CMS 344K	Lying and Deception	
CMS 354	Conflict Resolution	
CMS 358C	Identity In Relationships	
CMS 362D	Decolonizing Communication Studies	
CMS 362E	Environmental Communication	
CMS 363P	Politics and Protest in Sports	
CMS 364K	Gender and Communication	
CMS 367I.1	Immigration and Communication	
COM 316	Photographic Communication	
COM 323.2	Social Change Internship	
J 301F	Fundamental Issues in Journalism	
J 308S	Introduction to Media Studies	
J 313P	Multimedia News Reporting	
J 341F	Understanding African Americans and the Media	
J 348D	Gender and the News	
J 351F	Journalism, Society, and the Citizen Journalist	
J 356R	Race and Digital Media Cultures	
J 359S.1	Covering Marginalized Communities	

RTF 303D	Media and Culture
RTF 323C	Screening Race
RTF 328C	Gender and Media Culture
RTF 335.2	Race, Class, and Gender in American Television
RTF 335.4	Queer Television
RTF 359.8	Women and Sports Media
RTF 359S.5	Queer Media Studies
RTF 359S.9	Latina Feminisms and Media
RTF 359S.15	Black Television Comedy
RTF 365.15	Latinx Media, Arts, and Activism
SLH 314L	Sociocultural Bases of Communication

[College Requirements - Communication](#)

[Undergraduate Minor and Certificate Requirements and Policies](#)

Total Hours **15**

Additional Requirements and Policies

- Nine hours of in residence coursework and nine hours of upper-division coursework are required.
- All courses must be taken for a letter grade, unless the course is only offered on the pass/fail basis.
- A minimum grade of C- (or CR for courses offered only on a pass/fail basis) is required for all minor coursework.