

Minor in Philanthropy

About This Program

The Minor in Philanthropy enhances students' understanding of the nonprofit sector and equips them with skills in fundraising strategies and nonprofit management. These skills can be applied to numerous nonprofit classifications such as charitable organizations, theater companies, and other organizations dependent on public support. Students selecting the Philanthropy minor should consult first with the undergraduate advisor in their department or program for approval of the minor and then with an undergraduate advisor in the Department of Communication. Working with advisors, students will select a sequence of courses to fulfill the requirements of the minor.

Competencies

1. Upon completion of this minor, students will have competency in evaluating fundraising strategies.
2. Upon completion of this minor, students will have competency in understanding roles and responsibilities in managing and leading nonprofit organizations.
3. Upon completion of this minor, students will have competency in explaining the process in planning and developing impactful nonprofit programs.
4. Upon completion of this minor, students will have competency in articulating ethical principles and practices in nonprofit organizations.

Curriculum

Foundations

PCOM 2301	INTRODUCTION TO NONPROFITS AND PHILANTHROPY	3
PCOM 3301	FUNDRAISING AND DEVELOPMENT	3
PCOM 4301	NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT	3

Electives

Select three from the following:		9
COMS 2304	GROUP COMMUNICATION PRINCIPLES	
COMS 2305	BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION	
COMM 3315	COMMUNICATION THEORY	
PCOM 3309	ORGANIZATIONAL COMMUNICATION	
PCOM 3320	STRATEGIC SOCIAL MEDIA COMMUNICATION	
PCOM 4315	PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS	
PCOM 4320	MANAGERIAL COMMUNICATION	
PCOM 4393	SPECIAL TOPICS	
PCOM 4395	DIRECTED INTERNSHIP IN NONPROFITS AND PHILANTHROPY	

Total Hours	18
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To count toward the minor, all courses must be completed with a grade of C or better.

Advising Resources

Advisors assist with many tasks via email:

- Remove enrollment holds.
- Evaluate progress and make course suggestions.
- Assist choosing majors/minors.
- Help enrolling/dropping courses.

For more assistance students may schedule in-person or virtual appointments in advance, thru the advising resources webpage link, or drop by our office.

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Department of Communication Advising Resources (<https://www.uta.edu/academics/schools-colleges/liberal-arts/departments/communication/advising/>)