Technical Communication (Graduate Certificate)
LSTECGRCT

Extend or build your technical writing knowledge and skills. This program is open to both degree-seeking and nondegree-seeking graduate students.

Program Description

Degree Awarded: Certificate Technical Communication (certificate)
Through the technical communication program, students learn how to produce and communicate technical information using traditional and digital technologies.

At a Glance

- College/School: [College of Integrative Sciences and Arts](#)
- Location: Polytechnic campus or online

Degree Requirements

18 credit hours

Core Requirement (9 credit hours)
TWC 501 Fundamentals of Technical Communication (3)

Choose two of the following courses:
TWC 511 Principles of Visual Communication (3)
TWC 521 Principles of Web Authoring (3)
TWC 531 Principles of Technical Editing (3)

Electives (9 credit hours)
Additional Curriculum Information
Students choose any 500-level TWC courses as their electives.

Admission Requirements
Applicants must fulfill the requirements of both the Graduate College and the College of Integrative Sciences and Arts.

Applicants are eligible to apply to the program if they have earned a bachelor's or master's degree, in any field, from a regionally accredited institution.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of their first bachelor's degree program, or applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in an applicable master's degree program.

All applicants must submit:

1. graduate admission application and application fee
2. official transcripts
3. proof of English proficiency

Additional Application Information
An applicant whose native language is not English must provide proof of English proficiency regardless of current residency.


Attend Online
ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program description and request more information [here](https://catalog.asu.edu/files/disclosures/LSTECGRCT/Gedt.pdf).

Application Deadlines
Fall
Spring

Career Opportunities
Graduates who have combined the certificate in technical communication with their major program of study may be more marketable to employers. They often decide to pursue employment in technical writing, web content development and editing.

**Contact Information**

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