Technical Communication, Minor

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Develop a foundation in effective professional communication that will make you more competitive in your chosen career path. Learn how to design, write and manage professional content while strengthening your technology abilities.

Description

The minor program in technical communication provides students from other degree programs a foundation in workplace-oriented communication skills that will complement many majors, particularly those in engineering and other technical disciplines, and can make students more competitive in their career path. The minor teaches students how to design, produce and manage professional documents, both print and digital; students also strengthen their technology abilities.

At a Glance

- **College/School:** College of Integrative Sciences and Arts
- **Location:** Polytechnic campus or online

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Major Map (Archives)

Program Requirements

The undergraduate minor in technical communication requires 18 credit hours.

**Required Courses -- 12 credit hours**

- TWC 301: Fundamentals of Writing for Digital Media (L) (3)
- TWC 401: Fundamentals of Technical Communication (L) (3)
- TWC 411: Principles of Visual Communication (L) or TWC 421: Principles of Web Authoring (L) (3)
- TWC 431: Principles of Technical Editing (3)

**Elective Courses -- 6 credit hours**
A grade of "C" or better is required for all courses in the minor.

Depending on a student's undergraduate program of study, prerequisite courses may be needed in order to complete the requirements of this minor.

**Enrollment Requirements**

**GPA Requirement:** 2.00

**Majors Ineligible to Add This Minor:** Technical Communication

**Other Enrollment Requirements:** None

Current ASU undergraduate students may pursue a minor and have it recognized on their ASU transcript at graduation. Students interested in pursuing a minor should consult their academic advisor to declare the minor and to ensure that an appropriate set of courses is taken. Minor requirements appear on the degree audit once the minor is added. Certain major and minor combinations may be deemed inappropriate by the college or department of either the major program or the minor. Courses taken for the minor may not count toward both the major and the minor. Students should contact their academic advisor for more information.

**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.
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