MINOR IN MASS COMMUNICATION

Society is becoming more reliant on digital media each day. Students interested in developing media skills are encouraged to select a Minor in Mass Communication. Coursework for the degree is designed to provide students with the ability to create digital media, along with strong communication, problem-solving, and leadership skills.

Requirements:

The Mass Communication minor requires students to complete 21 semester credit hours of coursework: the MCOM core courses plus two advanced MCOM, MCFL, MCJR, MCPA, or MCPD electives appropriate to the student's interests and career path.

All students declaring a major or minor in Mass Communication or Ag/Com are required to receive a grade of C or better in all MCOM, MCFL, MCJR, MCPA, or MCPD courses.

All students who choose to declare a major or minor in Mass Communication or Ag/Com will be required to pass the Pearson Grammar Competency Lab with a score of 80 percent or better before they will be allowed to register for 3000 or 4000-level courses in MCFL, MCJR, MCOM, MCPA, or MCPD. Please, visit the Grammar Module (http://www.shsu.edu/academics/mass-communication/grammar-module/grammar-module.html)for additional information.

Code	Title	Hours
Minor in Mass Communic	cation	
Required Courses		
MCOM 1330	Media, Culture and Society Course will fulfill a component area in the core	3
MCOM 1332	Writing For Mass Media	3
MCOM 1371	Audio Production & Performance Course will fulfill a component area in the core	3
MCOM 2371	TV & Film Production	3
MCOM 4371	Mass Media Law And Ethics	3
Electives		
Advanced MCOM, MCFL, MCJR, MCPA, or MCPD Courses		6
Total Hours		21