

CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA

ACADEMIC SENATE

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS COMMITTEE

REPORT TO

THE ACADEMIC SENATE

AP-050-156

MINOR IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES FOR SEMESTERS

Academic Programs Committee

Date: 06/22/2016

**Executive Committee
Received and Forwarded**

Date: 08/24/2016

Academic Senate

Date: 08/31/2016
First Reading
09/28/2016
Second Reading

BACKGROUND: The Department of Communication has put forward a referral for a Minor in Communication Studies for semesters. This is a revised program.

RESOURCES CONSULTED:

Deans
Associate Deans
Department Chairs
All Faculty

DISCUSSION:

Before reaching the Academic Programs Committee, this program was reviewed by the College Curriculum Committee in the College of CLASS as well as the Dean of CLASS and the Office of Academic Programs. All concerns raised at those levels were addressed. The Academic Programs Committee then conducted campus-wide consultation, as well as its own review of the program. No concerns were raised.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Academic Programs Committee recommends approval of the semester program Minor in Communication Studies.

Communication Studies Minor			
Status	active		
Hierarchy Entities	Communication		
Approval Process Name	I. Program - Q2S Existing Program/Option/Minor		
Current Step	Office of Academic Programs		
Originator	Jane Ballinger		
Created	12/18/2015 11:45AM		
Launched	12/18/2015 11:51AM		
Form			
General Catalog Information			
Department	Communication		
Conversion Category:	Revised		
Proposal Type:	Minor		
Describe or list changes	Name changed to Communication Studies minor. This a revision of the Organizational Communication minor to broaden its offerings. Courses have been added from the new Interpersonal Communication option to allow students to choose the focus of their courses.		
Semester Program Name (e.g. Biology, B.S., Art History, B.A.)	Communication Studies Minor		
Program Description	The Communication Studies minor prepares students for a variety of careers in business, government, and education. The Communication Studies minor should be chosen by students who wish to emphasize organizational, interpersonal and intercultural communication in preparation for careers in business/industry or in preparation for graduate or professional school.		
Curriculum Sheet			
Roadmap	Students will take courses as recommended by their academic advisor.		
Two-Year Course Offering			
Assessment Plan			
Select Program			
Prospective Curriculum			
Steps			
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Communication Studies Minor

COM 1100	Public Speaking	3
COM 1103	Interpersonal Communication	3
COM 2201	Communication Theory	3
COM 3325	Persuasion	3
COM 3327	Intercultural Communication	3

Choose two of the following: 6

COM 3314	Organizational Communication
COM 3321	Advanced Organizational Communication Theory
COM 4422	Crisis Communication
COM 4403	Advanced Interpersonal Communication
COM 3326	Nonverbal Communication
COM 4404	Gender and Communication

21 units