# **COMMUNICATION (COMM)**

COMM100Z Introduction to Communication 4 credits (4 lec hrs/wk)

COMM 100Z is a survey course offering an overview of the communication discipline t hat emphasizes the development of best communication practices in different contexts.

This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

Course classification: LDC

### COMM111Z Public Speaking 4 credits

COMM 111Z emphasizes developing communication skills by examining and demonstrating how self-awareness, audience, content, and occasion influence the creation and delivery of speeches and presentations. This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

Course classification: LDC

### COMM112 Persuasive Speech 4 credits (4 lec hrs/wk)

Examine the psychology of persuasion, as well as methods speakers use to persuade an audience. Use evidence, reasoning skills, emotional appeal, credibility, critical thinking, organizational patterns, outlining techniques and audience analysis. Prepare and present original persuasive speeches.

This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

Course classification: LDC

### COMM218Z Interpersonal Communication 4 credits (4 lec hrs/wk)

Prerequisite(s): (WR90R)

COMM 218Z increases the knowledge and use of competent communication skills to better understand oneself, others, and the role of communication in interpersonal relationships.

This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

Course classification: LDC

### COMM219 Small Group Discussion 4 credits (4 lec hrs/wk)

Prerequisite(s): (WR115)

Focus on skill building and theory in decision making, problem solving, presentation planning, and knowledge of group process. Examine effective small group techniques in a variety of settings. Plan and present a group discussion and group presentation.

This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

Course classification: LDC

## COMM220 Gender And Communication 4 credits (4 lec hrs/wk)

Prerequisite(s): (WR115)

Increase understanding and awareness of differences in gendered communication styles. Explore how culture, media, attitudes, and gender roles influence and impact communication.

This course may be taken 1 time for credit.

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