

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON / ENGLISH DEPARTMENT
MINOR IN WRITING, SPEAKING, AND CRITICAL REASONING

The English Department's Minor in Writing, Speaking, and Critical Reasoning is available to all University of Oregon undergraduates in any major.

Requirements for the Minor:

1. 24 credits, distributed as follows:

Two courses in Writing from this list:

- WR 123 College Composition III
- WR 320 Scientific and Technical Writing
- WR 321 Business Communication
- WR 423 Advanced Composition
- ENG 404 Community Literacy Internship (for a minimum of 4 credits)
- ENG 413 Theories of Literacy

Two courses in Rhetoric (at least one of which must be ENG 200 or 330):

- ENG 200 Public Speaking
- ENG 330 Oral Controversy and Advocacy
- ENG 491 Rhetoric and Ethics
- ENG 492 History of Rhetoric and Composition
- ENG 493 Modern Rhetorical Criticism

Two courses in Reasoning from this list:

- PHIL 103 Critical Reasoning
- PHIL 325 Logic, Inquiry, and Argument
- ENG 335 Inventing Arguments

Optional (may be used in any of the above categories):

- ENG 494 Reasoning, Speaking, Writing

2. To count in the Minor, all classes must be taken for a grade and be passed with a grade of mid-C or better.

3. Only two courses taken for the Minor may be used to fulfill any other minor or major. WR 123 may be used for the Minor and to complete the University Writing Requirement.

4. All upper-division coursework for the Minor must be taken in residency at the University of Oregon.

5. Students must declare the Minor by filling out an online form at <http://uoregon.edu/~wscr/>. In order to receive priority registration in Minor courses for the following term, students must declare the Minor at least two weeks before the beginning of the registration period.

Not all of the above courses are offered every academic year. A list of available courses (including any special topics courses not listed above) for a given academic year is available in the English Department, 118 PLC.

An application to receive the Minor upon graduation is printed on the reverse side of this announcement. Direct inquiries to the English Department office, 346-3911 or the Center for Teaching Writing, 346-3922.

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APPLICATION

Name: _____ UO I.D. # _____
Year and Term You Expect to Graduate: _____
Local Address: _____
Local Phone # _____ Email address _____
First Major: _____
List all other Majors: _____
List all other Minors: _____

List the courses from the list of Minor courses you have completed or will complete before graduation:

	Course prefix and number	course title	CRN	credit hours	final grade
Two in writing:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Two in rhetoric:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Two in reasoning:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

List any of the above courses that are also being used to fulfill major or minor requirements.
Course(s) and requirement(s): _____

Your Signature: _____ Date: _____

Attach your current transcript and bring this completed application to the English Department during the term you plan to graduate. The deadline for this application will be the same as the date set by the UO Registrar's Office for application for the degree. On the application for the degree you file in the Office of the Registrar, you must indicate that you are also applying for the Minor in Writing, Speaking, and Critical Reasoning.

To be completed by English Department only	
Approved: _____	Date: _____
Conditional: _____	Date: _____
Remarks:	
_____ authorizing signature	