

The Ohio State University  
College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

**Agricultural Communication (AGRCOMM-MN)**

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The minor in Agricultural Communication is designed to provide students with basic knowledge and skills in communication related to agricultural and environmental sciences. Courses in the minor will develop oral and written communication skills and advance a student's use of electronic technologies to effectively communicate science-based information. This minor is designed for students interested in careers in technology transfer, marketing, government relations, public relations, sales, advertising and non-profit organizations.

The minor is open to students across the university interested in learning to effectively communicate science-based information to a variety of audiences.

**At least six credits must be at the 3000 level or above.**

A minor in Agricultural Communication consists of a minimum of 16 hours of course work selected from the following:

**Required Courses (2 courses; 7 CH):**

AGRCOMM 2531 (3)  
AGRCOMM 2330 (4)

**Required Design Courses (choose 2 courses; 6 hours):**

AGRCOMM 2130 (3), 4130 (3), 5530 (3), 5535 (3)

**Elective (choose 1 course; 3 hours):**

AGRCOMM 2130\* (3), 2367 (3), 3130 (3), 3797 (3), 4130\* (3), 4530 (3), 5130 (3), 5530\* (3), 5535\* (3); COMLDR 3530 (3); COMM 2110

\*If not taken as part of 6 required credits of design coursework

**This minor is not available to students majoring in Agricultural Communication, Agriscience Education, or Community Leadership.**

**Agricultural Communication minor program guidelines**

Credit hours required A minimum of 16 credit hrs. 1000 level courses shall not be counted toward the minor. At least 6 credits must be upper-division courses as defined by the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (3000 level or above).

Transfer and EM credit hours allowed A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination.

Overlap with the GE A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.

Overlap with the major and additional minor(s)

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor must contain a minimum of 12 hours distinct from the major and/or additional minor(s).

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA for all minor course work.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count in the minor.
- No more than 3 credit hours of coursework graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor.

X193 credits No more than 3 credit hours.

Minor approval Not required as long as students complete the courses as indicated on the minor program description.

Filing the minor program form The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school advisor.

Changing the minor Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by filing a petition for change in the minor through the academic unit offering the minor.

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