Minor: COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP MINOR

Student's Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial

Advisor Date Major Declared **Hours** Semester Course # **Title of Course** Grade Completed Required Required Courses (9 hrs) LST 201 Leadership Theories & Practice PHL 212 Introduction to Ethics 3 SOC 111 3 Introduction to Sociology 3 **OR** EDU 225 Human Experience Across the Years Civic Leadership in Practice (3 hrs) 1-2 LST 133 Service-Learning Leadership Lab **OR** LST 301 1-4 Organizational Leadership Mentoring 3 **OR** LST 399 Leadership Internship Upper-Level Electives (choose 2 from one group and one from the other) (9 hrs) Community Dynamics GTS 320 3 Global Inequality 3 GTS/SOC 330 Global City 3 HES/WGS 355 Women's Health Issues 3 **HES 357 Community Nutrition** 3 **Topics in Public History HIS 310** 3 **PSY 374** Stereotyping, Prejudice, and Group Conflict Civic Action 3 ECN 334 **Economic Development** 3 **EDU 385** Diversity in Education **Great Leaders** 3 LST 340 3 MUS/LST 335 Song and Community

If any substitutions or waivers of requirements are allowed, please list below and initial.

Social Justice in Modern Christian Thought

Human Rights

Advisor Signature:	Department Chair Signature:

TOTAL HOURS FOR MINOR

3

3 **21 hrs**

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The Community Leadership minor engages students in a study of community dynamics and the issues at the heart of maintaining healthy and equitable communities; at the same time, it guides students in exploring how one leads within a community and challenges them to put their knowledge into practice through experiential learning. Similar to the Organizational Leadership minor, this minor exposes students to contemporary leadership concepts and theories, and to their application in a variety of contexts; likewise, the minor includes skill development in critical thinking, creative problem solving, and ethical decision-making, which are the foundation to becoming a positive change agent. As they complete this minor, students will apply theories of leadership to address the challenges of human rights, social justice, diversity, equity, and inclusion. The courses help students develop and implement their own values-centered and strengths-based leadership philosophy and style that is grounded in ethics and contemporary theory.

This 21-credit hour minor requires students to take introductory courses in leadership theory and in ethics, and a course that offers a broad overview of people living in community; to provide a capstone experience, the minor also requires students to put leadership into practice. Three upper-level elective course allow students to study community issues in-depth, choosing topics that interest them most.