

# SPORTS COMMUNICATION MINOR

Department website (<https://www.uwp.edu/learn/programs/sportcommunication.cfm>)

College: College of Arts & Humanities

The sports communication minor allows students to develop digital media creation and media relations skills plus sport management practices that are necessary to work within sports organization careers. Sports communication minors develop oral, written, and visual communication skills along with an understanding of contemporary sports communication and broadcasting components.

## Program Learning Outcomes

1. Develop excellent oral, written, and presentational communication skills.
2. Develop digital media production skills that prepare students to capture events on film, edit using Adobe Suite software, and digital storytelling.
3. Be able to create podcasts.
4. Perform journalistic writing and interviews.
5. Gain experience with social media management through coursework or internships.

## Requirements for the Sports Communication Minor

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
COMM 105 or COMM 205	Public Speaking for the 21st Century Oral Interpretation	3
COMM 168	Introduction to Visual and Digital Communication	3
SPMT 110	Current Issues in Sport Management	3
<b>Sport Management Courses</b>		
SPMT 360	Sports Communication	3
SPMT 365	Sports Broadcasting	3
<b>Communication Elective Courses</b>		
Select two courses:		6
COMM 255	Writing for Multimedia	
COMM 258	Podcasting	
COMM 350	Digital Storytelling	
COMM 356	Advanced Media Production	
<b>Capstone/Internship</b>		
Requires three credits internship.		3
SPMT 494 or COMM 49	Internship Communication Internship	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>24</b>

transfer credits accepted toward the minor and credits attempted at UW-Parkside.

At least half of the course work required for a minor must be completed at UW-Parkside.

## University Requirements for Minors

Course work in the minor must be completed with the minimum GPA as specified by the department or program under which the minor falls, usually a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale, but higher in some programs. Transfer students must attain the minimum specified GPA on a combination of