

From: Keith Carodine
To: McCollough, William A
Subject: Re: Undergraduate Curriculum Task Force Sub Committee

Hello Andy,

I will not be able to make tomorrows meeting but the following is a summary of what I have found so far about current Leadership and Service activities on campus. I will forward you the information that I have collected which can be distributed to the committee related to the listing below:

There appears to be five main areas on campus where students can gain leadership and service experiences:

1. The Dean of Students Office - primarily through the Center of Leadership and Service (CLS)
2. The Office of Student Activities and Involvement
3. Student Government
4. Student Organizations inclusive of fraternities and sororities
5. College programs - (i.e Warrington College of Business , UAA INC. I am sure there are several others)
6. Courses for credit such as EDF 3110, FYC 3001 and FYC 3201)
7. The College of Agriculture and Life Science offers a minor in Leadership for students with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0

Is part of the committees charge to recommend the implementation of some type of leadership or service activity as a graduation requirement?

Keith

>>> "William A McCollough" <andy.mccollough@cba.ufl.edu> 10/9/2008 1:32 PM >>>
Current Practices Sub Committee -

The following are individual assignments. In most cases the assignments correspond to either your first or second choice. Your task will be to describe the current undergraduate experience in the assigned area. Use data where possible to support the description. There is no minimum/maximum length but each "piece of the puzzle" must eventually be part of the descriptor of the current undergraduate experience.

Please begin the process of collecting your thoughts and information to be shared at the first meeting scheduled for next Tuesday, October 14th @ 10:00. If you are unable to attend, you may forward your material to me to allow feedback from the members of the sub committee.

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CLS Programs and Projects

Leadership Programs

LeaderShape

LeaderShape is an advanced, ethics-based leadership development experience for young adults. More than 24,000 participants from over 500 different colleges, universities, corporations, and organizations across America have graduated from the program. The purpose of The LeaderShape Institute is to produce a breakthrough in the leadership capabilities and potential of participants. Our commitment to you is that after attending The LeaderShape Institute, you will have: Increased your commitment to acting consistently with your core ethical values, personal values, and convictions, Enhanced your capability to develop and enrich relationships as well as strengthen your commitment to respecting the dignity and contributions of all people, Embraced the belief in a "healthy disregard for the impossible," and Developed the capability to produce extraordinary results.

LeadUF

LeadUF is a student run organization whose members are trained presenters in leadership theory and styles. Annually, LeadUF hosts a fall and spring leadership conference. Any campus organization may request LeadUF services to plan and present a customized workshop for developing their members' leadership and diversity knowledge. LeadUF also hold GILD, an annual leadership conference.

Women's Leadership Council

The Women's Leadership Council is a diverse group of student leaders at the University of Florida whose mission is to empower women with the resources and the skills that prepare them to lead in the diverse and ever-changing settings of the 21st century. Located in the dean of Student's Office, the Women's Leadership Council designs specific programs that

provide women with peer support, role models and educational programs that will help them to develop a sense of self. The Women's Leadership Council strives to promote the development and recognition of women's leadership for a stronger society and a better world by: Establishing a network that unites University of Florida women with the campus community, Promoting an open and accepting campus environment to help establish a tradition of women's leadership, and Equipping women with the skills necessary to achieve their goals and encouraging them to embrace the challenge of leadership.

Service Programs

ACTIONS!

ACTIONS! organizes several large scale annual programs that range from one day events to week or month long programs. Some examples include Summer Plunge, Gator Plunge, Make a Difference Day, Hunger & Homelessness Week, and Raise Your Voice Month. These programs provide outlets for specific campus needs such as outreach to a particular segment on campus, response to a prevalent social issue, or connecting the campus with state or national service initiatives.

After School Gators

ASG is a service organization working with at-risk elementary school children in the after school programs. Over 100 volunteers create fun activities for the students in local schools.

Florida Alternative Breaks

FAB's mission is to create active citizens through a year-long commitment to community service, leadership and social change. In participating in social change education and projects both locally during the year and regionally during spring break, students gain the opportunity to immerse themselves in a particular social issue. Through FAB's unique conditions of volunteerism and reflection, we seek to heighten social awareness, advocate for and foster life-long social action while building friendships along the way.

Gator Non-Profit Professionals

The Gator Non-Profit Professionals work to educate, recruit, prepare and place students in meaningful careers within the Nonprofit sector. We hold lectures, presentations and opportunities for student to learn about who they are and how they can use their skills to work in the Nonprofit sector. We also have community service projects for students to develop a servant-leader mentality and learn more about the inner workings of the Nonprofit sector. Leadership Opportunities help them to know how to lead effectively. GNP also helps to provide a bridge between the Gainesville Nonprofit community and UF students.

Gator Teens

The objective of the GatorTeens Mentors is to develop the leadership of young people and to provide a means by which they can commit their energy and enthusiasm to improving the quality of life in our community. The GatorTeens Youth Program is a service-learning

initiative established in 1999 to promote youth volunteerism and assist students in fulfilling classroom and/or college scholarship requirements. It is open to any teens in grades 6-12 that live in Alachua County and are enrolled in public, private or alternative middle or high school. It is the responsibility of the Mentors to empower the youth to identify community needs, develop creative solutions, and implement projects to improve the well-being of the community. The Mentors educate area teenagers on the value of volunteering by working one-on-one with them in the design and implementation of service projects.

Project MASCOT

Project MASCOT (Mentoring Alliance: Students and Communities Outreaching Together) is a program for University of Florida student volunteers interested in helping and motivating elementary school children in the Gainesville area. The program matches UF student volunteers with students at local elementary students for one-on-one mentoring. The year culminates with a trip to a theme park in Orlando with all mentors and mentees.

Service Ambassadors

Service Ambassadors constantly work to promote active citizenship among University of Florida students as well as the surrounding community. They plan events that educate citizens about prevalent issues in order to remind individuals of their civic responsibility and to inform them of the opportunities available to those who choose to make a difference. Members serve as the ambassadors of community service by unifying those involved in volunteerism and presenting individuals with ways to bring their service to the next level.

SOAR at Howard Bishop

The SOAR Program is a unique partnership between the University of Florida and Howard Bishop Middle School. The program offers the unique chance for members to become a positive role model in the life of an at-risk middle school student. Participants tutor and/or mentor at all grade levels through a year long mentorship which concludes with an on-campus visit.

CLS Projects

Short Term

Winter Food Baskets/Bags

Each year for the Holidays, the CLS puts together baskets with non-perishable goods for lower-income children in Gainesville. Volunteers are needed to put together the baskets and disperse them to children in need.

Wish Upon a Star

During the Holiday season, the CLS and the Partnership for Stronger Families work together to gather toys for local children. Donations are taken from local businesses and organizations. Volunteers are needed to gather donations and make at least one wish come

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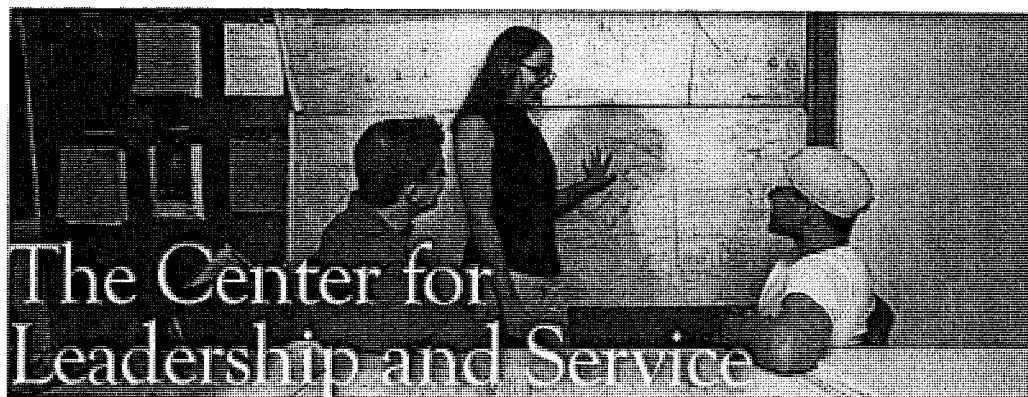
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Welcome to the Center for Leadership & Service

Announcements

Gator Nonprofit Professionals Seminar

Gator Nonprofit Professionals is hosting its first seminar on October 9th, 2008 at 7:30pm at NEB 202. GNP is an organization on campus that prepares students for careers in the nonprofit sector. We encourage that you come out with your friends and join us as we will have guest speakers, internships and volunteer opportunities to offer to all students.

Art of Leadership Conference Applications Available!

The Art of Leadership Conference is a great opportunity that will enrich your mind and provide the initial fundamentals of what comprises a leader. There is no cost for attendance and all students at the University of Florida are welcome and encouraged to attend. The conference will be held on Sunday November 16, 2008 in the Grand Ballroom from 12pm-5pm. Applications are due Friday October 31, 2008.

Gatorship Applications Now Available

Applications are now being accepted for Gatorship 2009. Gatorship is a unique leadership and diversity experience designed for students who want to learn how to make UF a more inclusive environment. Applications are due by Friday, October 24th at 4:30pm.

Make a Difference Day Registration Open

ACTIONS! and the Center for Leadership & Service announce that registration for Make a Difference Day is now open. Make a Difference Day is the most encompassing national day of helping others where students become aware of the many issues in their community through service and education, and is held on *October 18*. Register yourself or your student organization ASAP!

Women's History Month Applications Available

The Women's leadership Council is looking for motivated and dedicated students to help plan

and promote the 2009 Women's History Month celebration here at UF. Committee Members will have the opportunity to gain and develop leadership skills while learning from others. Applications are due by Friday, October 10, 2008 at 5pm.

About Us

The Center for Leadership and Service (CLS) provides the structure and resources to prepare students to become productive citizens and assume roles of leadership and service in a culturally diverse and increasingly complex society. The Center fosters lifelong service and civic participation by engaging the University with its greater community in action, change and learning.

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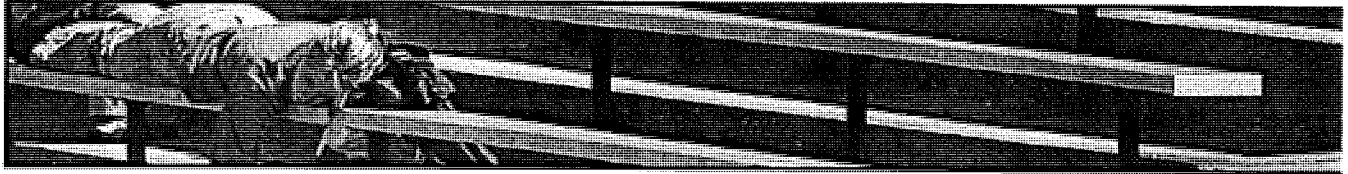
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Medical Mission Trips/Community Service Opportunities

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Interested in helping others around the world? Heal the World is an organization dedicated to making a difference in the world by sending groups of members to other countries to provide services in medicine, education or other community service outreach programs. We also try to make a difference here within the United States through our extensive volunteer work in camps and local shelters. If you want to be apart of the #1 student organization on the University of Florida campus come find out more information on Monday, October 6th, at 7:30 PM in Rinker Hall room 110.

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Service Learning Opportunities

- Service learning is "a method under which students learn and develop through active participation in ... thoughtfully organized service experience that meet actual community needs, that are integrated into the students' curriculum or provide structured time or reflection and that enhance what is taught in school by extending student learning beyond the classroom and into the community." (Corporation for National Service, 1990)
- Service-learning has been defined as "both a program type and a philosophy of education. As a program type, service-learning includes a myriad ways that students can perform meaningful service to their communities and to society while engaging in some form of reflection or study that is related to the service. As a philosophy of education, service-learning reflects the belief that education must be linked to the social responsibility and that the most effective learning is active and connected to experience in some way." (The Research Agenda for Combining Service and Learning in the 1990s)
- Service-learning is "any carefully monitored service experience in which a student has intentional learning goals and reflects actively on what he or she is leaning throughout the experience." (National Society for Experiential Education, 1994)

Service learning opportunities not only prepare students to address issues of social equity, environmental protection, and economic development in the future, but also engage them in a real-world setting in which they observe and work to address some mix of these issues.

A program to support service learning at UF already exists within the [Center for Leadership and Service](#), which helps introduce students to the value of community service and service

learning opportunities, provides information to students on existing opportunities, and supports faculty in developing new service learning courses by connecting them to community contacts and current faculty teaching such courses. OCS maintains a database of current service learning courses and syllabi, consults on logistical, risk management, and troubleshooting issues as needed, and provides classroom presentations and sessions on reflective learning as requested. A complete list is not yet available of all service learning courses on campus due to resource constraints.

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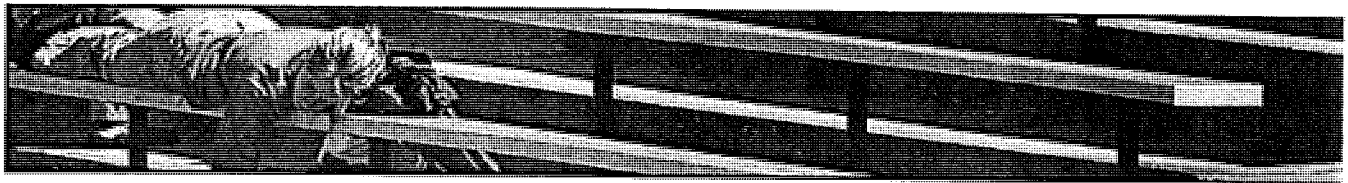
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Volunteer Opportunity with GatorWalk

One in every eight babies is born premature and it's up to us to stop this epidemic. The March of Dimes Collegiate Council is seeking volunteers for their annual fundraising walk, GatorWalk. If any students or service organizations are interested in volunteering at the event on Nov 16 please contact mayrapk@ufl.edu. You can get volunteer [...]

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GatorTeens Mentors Wanted

Want to make a difference in a child's life? Want to help a high school student make their way to college? If so, GatorTeens Mentors is for you. GatorTeens Mentors offers you the chance to mentor a local high school student 1-on-1, helping them to gain life-long skills and succeed to a higher education. If [...]

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Florida Alternative Breaks Participant Applications Due Soon!

Florida Alternative Breaks participant applications are due next week! Apply to go on a community service trip over winter break, MLK weekend, and spring break. Instead of bumming around on the beach all break, you could be rebuilding cities devastated by hurricanes, saving the environment, or helping international children gain access to healthcare. Learn about [...]

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Bring Cans Gator Fans

UF Student Government and the University Alumni Association wants "The Gator Nation to Beat Starvation." Starting Oct. 9, individuals and organizations are encouraged to donate healthy, non-perishable food items to the SG office on the third floor of the Reitz Union. The final collection date will be Oct. 24, and all cans will be presented [...]

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Florida Alternative Breaks Info Session

Instead of sitting on your mom's couch this winter break, why not make a difference in the world and go on a FAB trip? Florida Alternative Breaks takes students on weeklong trips of community service focusing on social change, education, and reflection. Participant and site leader applications for winter break, MLK Jr. Weekend, and spring break [...]

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Everyone can participate, but seats are limited so register today and join the excitement as [...]

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Partnership in Action 3k Walk

Help alleviate the poverty in Africa and Asia. Get involved in the first PARTNERSHIPS IN ACTION 3k walk. 100 % of the funds are delegated to foundation projects for health, education, rural development, civil society and the environment. Participate by either attending the event on SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19th IN ORLANDO (rides will be arranged) or visiting [...]

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Florida Alternative Breaks

Was your spring break not as life-changing as you expected it to be last year? Then it's about time you turned in your FAB application! Florida Alternative Breaks takes students on weeklong trips of community service focusing on social change, education, and reflection. Participant applications for winter break, MLK Jr. Weekend, and spring break trips [...]

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Volunteer: Day of Difference

DoD is a low-commitment, high-impact community service event where UF students and Gainesville businesses volunteer to teach Junior Achievement's curriculum to elementary school children. This event has already enlisted over 300 volunteers and impacted over 3,000 students!

Visit UfSife.com, and JaAlachua.org for more info. To get on our e-mail list, e-mail dayofdifference@yahoo.com with the subject line [...]

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Student Leadership Programs

Our Student Leadership Programs were developed by the School of Business provide juniors and seniors an opportunity to serve and promote the College for selection is given for participation in Warrington Welcome as well as grac the Florida Leadership Academy.

Students selected for our Leadership Programs seek to mentor their peers a College through the following opportunities:

- Serve as peer instructors for Warrington Welcome
- Serve as mentors for the Florida Leadership Academy
- Serve as members of the SIFE (Students in Free Enterprise) team
- Conduct College tours for prospective students
- Assist the Division of Student Affairs with recruiting events (e.g., Fami
- Greet and welcome recruiters at the Career Resource Center
- Assist with WCBA alumni and recruiting functions
- Participate in state and international career development conferences ; of Delta Epsilon Chi, and international organization for college student; business careers

Students In Free Enterprise

SIFE is an international, nonprofit organization that works as a partnership be corporations and higher education to teach young people about business fur

SIFE

Warrington Diplomats

Serve as hosts at official WCBA functions.

Warrington Diplomats

Delta Epsilon Chi

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Delta Epsilon Chi

Warrington Welcome Peer Leaders

Peer leaders co-teach our Warrington Welcome freshman seminar.

Email Josh Funderburke for More Information

Florida Leadership Academy (FLA) Mentors

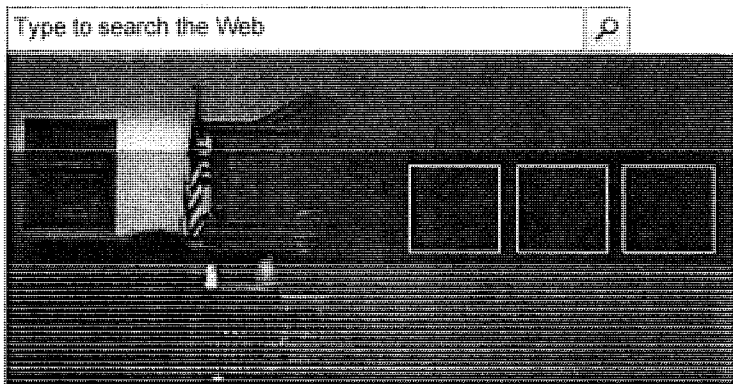
FLA Mentors are graduates of the Florida Leadership Academy. They provide leadership for a group students enrolled in the academy.

Email Horace Tucker for More Information

Warrington Student Integrity Team

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Warrington Student Integrity Team



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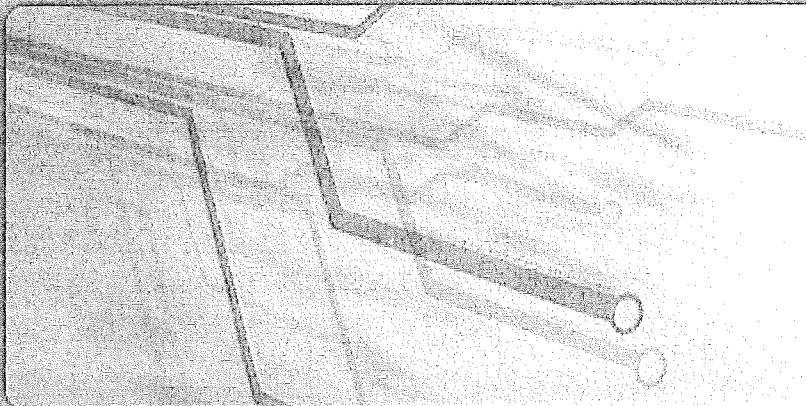
Congratulations to all the of the new WSIT members! We look forward to meeting with you soon!

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Make a Difference!

University of Florida Students in Free Enterprise offers you the opportunity to put the skills you learn in the classroom into practice while serving the UF, Gainesville, Alachua County, and North Central Florida communities. UF SIFE is a 2-credit class limited to twenty-five students. Students accepted into the UF SIFE class are expected to commit to three semesters of the class.

As a member of the UF SIFE class you will have the opportunity to work with projects such as:

- ▶ Small Business Consulting
- ▶ SIFE Ethics Case Competition
- ▶ Global Warming
- ▶ High School & College Financial Literacy
- ▶ Computer Literacy
- ▶ National Entrepreneurship Week

You will also have the opportunity to design your own project based on one of the five SIFE criteria: Market Economics, Success Skills, Entrepreneurship, Financial Literacy, Business Ethics.

Through this organization, you will gain valuable experience in working with corporations and community groups while improving your leadership, teamwork, communication, and financial skills.

Contact Josh Funderburke for more information on how you can be involved with UF SIFE

UF SIFE SPONSORS

UF SIFE relies on the generous donation of community partners to provide us with financial resources necessary to implement numerous projects. UF SIFE is especially grateful to be sponsored by CHER, our primary sponsor. Some of our other contributing partners have helped the UF SIFE team by sponsoring our signature projects. Working with our sponsors ensures that UF SIFE members have the knowledge and resources to make a difference in the community.

If you are interested in working with the SIFE team as a project partner, please contact:

- ▶ joshua.funderburke@cba.ufl.edu



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UF Colleges With a Conscience

Reaching out to the community is a tradition at the University of Florida, which is a land-grant institution. Serving our neighbors is central to our goal of being an excellent university.

Welcome to an online resource of University of Florida, The Foundation of the Gator Nation. Here you'll find outreach programs - local, national and international - sponsored by each of the 16 colleges.

"The public mission is a school's conscience, a set of ideals, strategies, and programs going way beyond affordable tuition and quality education - it's the way college interacts with its neighbors, the way it contributes to building a vibrant and a just democracy." - Princeton Review

UF's outreach actively addresses needs, issues and concerns. These efforts ultimately sustain a better quality of life for our communities. Thank you for visiting!

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Leadership

Hours: 15 credits, with a cumulative GPA for all courses in the minor of 3.0 or better

The interdisciplinary minor in leadership, in conjunction with the successful completion of the degree program, provides students with the skills and knowledge necessary to assume positions in supervision and management in private companies and nonprofit organizations. Students will take courses in leadership theory and practice, ethics and communications, and will focus on one area of leadership: organizational leadership, community leadership or public policy leadership.

The minor is open to all students at the university. A cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 is necessary for admission to the minor. Students must also make a B or higher in AEE 3414.

Required Courses

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| AEE 3414 Leadership Development | 3 |
| AEE 3413 Working with People: Interpersonal Leadership Skills OR AEE 4434 Communication and Leadership in Groups and Teams OR SDS 4410 Interpersonal Communication Skills OR SPC 2300 Introduction to Interpersonal Communication | 3 |
| Ethics | 3 |
| Communications Development | 3 |
| Public Policy, Organizational or Community Leadership | 3 |

Ethics: take 3 credits

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| AEB 4126 Agricultural and Natural Resource Ethics | 3 |
| ANT 4255 Environment and Cultural Behavior | 3 |
| BUL 4310 Legal Environment of Business | 4 |
| BUL 4443 Ethics in Business | 2 |
| FYC 4114 Ethical Issues in Family, Youth and Community Sciences | 3 |
| JOU 4700 Problems and Ethics of Journalism in Society | 3 |
| PET 4474 Moral and Ethical Issues in Sport | 3 |
| PHI 2630 Contemporary Moral Issues | 3 |
| PHI 3633 Bioethics | 3 |
| PHM 3032 Ethics and Ecology | 3 |
| PHM 3640 Ethics of Communication | 3 |
| POT 3302 Political Ideologies | 3 |
| POT 3503 Environmental Ethics and Politics | 3 |
| PUR 4203 Ethics and Professional Responsibility in Public Relations | 3 |

Communications Development: take 3 credits

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| AEE 3030C Effective Oral Communication | 3 |
| AEE 3033C Research and Business Writing in Agricultural and Life Sciences | 3 |
| AEE 3073 Intercultural Communication | 3 |
| AEE 4031 The Communication Process in Agricultural and Life Sciences | 3 |
| AEE 4052 Communication Campaign Strategies in Agricultural and Life Sciences | 3 |
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| ENC 2210 Technical Writing | 3 |
| ENC 3250 Professional Communication | 3 |
| ENC 3254 Professional Writing in the Discipline | 3 |
| FNR 4040C Natural Resource Communication | 3 |
| GEB 3213 Writing in Business | 3 |
| LEI 3832 Special Events and Meeting Planning | 3 |
| MMC 2100 Writing for Mass Communications | 3 |
| PUR 3000 Principles of Public Relations | 3 |
| SPC 2600 Introduction to Public Speaking | 3 |

Public Policy, Organizational or Community Leadership: choose one course from one area for 3 credits

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| Public Policy Leadership | |
| FNR 4660C Natural Resource Policy and Administration | 3 |
| PAD 3003 Public Administration | 3 |
| POS 2041 American Federal Government | 3 |
| POS 2112 American, State, and Local Government | 3 |
| POS 3122 State Politics | 3 |
| POS 3204 Political Behavior | 3 |
| POS 3233 Politics and Public Opinion | 3 |
| POS 3263 Political Leadership | 3 |
| POT 3001 Introduction to Political Theory | 3 |
| Organizational Leadership | |
| AEB 3133 Principles of Agribusiness Management | 3 |
| AEB 4284 Human Resource Policy | 3 |
| AEB 4424 Human Resources Management in Agribusiness | 3 |
| GEB 3035 Effective Career Management in Business | 4 |
| HSC 4930 Leadership Skills and Styles | 3 |
| MAN 3025 Principles of Management | 4 |
| MAN 4301 Human Resource Management | 4 |
| MAN 4723 Strategic Management | 4 |
| PAD 3003 Public Administration | 3 |
| Community Leadership | |
| EDA 4930 Leadership (in special topics classes) | 3 |
| FYC 3001 Principles of Family, Youth and Community Sciences | 3 |
| FYC 3401 Intro to Social and Economic Perspectives on the Community | 3 |
| FYC 4126 Urban and Rural America in Transition | 3 |
| FYC 4409 Working with Nonprofit Organizations in Community Settings | 3 |
| LEI 3400 Recreation Programming and Leadership | 4 |

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| POS 3142 Urban Politics | 3 |
| SOP 3004 Social Psychology | 3 |
| SYD 3410 Urban Sociology | 3 |
| SYP 3000 Society and the Individual | 3 |

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