

**INTERDISCIPLINARY MINOR IN
DISPUTE MANAGEMENT AND RESOLUTION**

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This interdisciplinary minor, administered by the Departments of Communication Arts, and Sciences and Labor Studies and Industrial Relations, provides students with the opportunity to learn about, and develop skills appropriate to, the management and resolution of problems created by differences in attitudes, beliefs, values, and behavioral preferences of individuals primarily in interpersonal, group, and organizational contexts, and, to a lesser extent, international contexts. The minor is supportive of, and complementary to, work emphasizing conflict and means for dealing with it in such majors as Administration of Justice, Human Development and Family Studies, Labor and Industrial Relations, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, and Communication Arts, and Sciences.

Students pursuing the minor in Dispute Management and Resolution must complete nine credits of prescribed course work and nine credits of additional course work distributed across at least two of the eight areas identified below. Of the 18 credits selected, at least nine must be at the 400-level, six must be from Communication Arts, and Sciences and six must be from Labor Studies and Industrial Relations. A maximum of six credits earned in the minor, if appropriate, can be used to satisfy requirements in the Communication Arts, and Sciences or Labor and Industrial Relations majors. Only courses in which the student earns a grade of "C" or better may be counted toward fulfillment of requirements for the minor.

*Scheduling Recommendation
by Semester Standing*

1-2 3-4 5-6 7-8

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MINOR: 18credits

[at least 9 credits at the 400-level]

[6 credits must be from CAS and 6 credits must be from L I R]

PRESCRIBED COURSES (9 credits)

L I R 100 (GS) (3), CAS 203 (GS) (3)	---	X	---	---
L I R 404 (3) or CAS 404 (3)	---	---	X	X

ADDITIONAL COURSES (9 credits)

Select 9 credits from ADM J/WMNST 423 (GI), CAS 250, 403, 452, 471 (GI), HD FS 311, 414, L I R/WMNST 136 (GI), 411, 414W, 434, PL SC 014 (GS), 418, 437, PSY 231 (GS), 441, 475, SOC 119 (GS/GI), 403, 432, 455, S T S 090, 390	---	---	X	X
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