

LEADERSHIP - MINOR

The university-level leadership minor provides students the skills and knowledge needed to become leaders demonstrated by an ability to apply ethical frameworks to varied settings and situations, respect others, and do what is right even if it is more difficult. The minor in leadership focuses on leadership practice with a grounding in leadership theory. Thus, the minor's curriculum consists of foundational courses in leadership theory, practice-focused courses that allow students to develop depth or breadth in areas that support their professional goals, a capstone experience that requires a leadership practicum, and a required reflection.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Foundational Courses		
Select 3 hours from the following:		3
ALED 202	Introduction to Leadership	
NVSC 210	Leadership and Management I	
SOMS 280	Fundamentals of Peer Leadership	
SOMS 281	Fundamentals of Intentional Leadership	
Depth and Breadth Courses		
Select 9 hours from the following: ¹		9
AERS 303	Leading People and Effective Communication I	
AERS 304	Leading People and Effective Communication II	
AFST 209/ PBSI 209	Psychology of Culture and Diversity	
ALED 301	Personal Leadership Education	
ALED 340	Survey of Leadership Theory	
ALED 424	Applied Ethics in Leadership	
ALED 440	Leading Change	
COMM 210	Group Communication and Discussion	
COMM 315	Interpersonal Communication	
COMM 324	Communication Leadership and Conflict Management	
COMM 335	Intercultural Communication	
COMM 343	Communication in a Diverse World	
EHRD 374	Organizational Development	
EHRD 405	Principles and Practices of Leadership in Human Resource Development and Technology Management	
EHRD 413	Conflict Management and Dialogue	
MLSC 221	Tactics and Leadership Theory I	
MLSC 222	Tactics and Leadership Theory II	
MLSC 321	Adaptive Leadership and Tactical Operations I	
MLSC 322	Adaptive Leadership and Tactical Operations II	
PHIL 111	Contemporary Moral Issues	

PBSI 209/ Psychology of Culture and Diversity
AFST 209

PBSI 330 Personality

PBSI 354 Conflict and Negotiation

PHIL 482 Ethics and Engineering

SOCI 335 Sociology of Organizations

SOCI 411 Social Psychology

SOMS 380 Workshop in Leadership Education

SOMS 381 Workshop in Leadership Education II

SOMS 481 Seminar in Executive Leadership

Capstone Courses

Select 3 hours of the following: 3

ALED 400 Public Leadership Development

ALED 401 Advanced Professional Leadership Development

ALED 485 Directed Studies in Agricultural Leadership Development²

NVSC 402 Leadership and Ethics

SOMS 486 Seminar in Executive Organizational Leadership

SOMS 487 Seminar in Ethical Organizational Leadership

Total Semester Credit Hours 15

¹ At least 3 of the 9 Depth and Breadth hours must be completed at the 300-400 level.

² Departmental approval required.

A grade of C or better is required in all courses. A grade of S cannot be used to meet the program requirements.

Courses used to fulfill requirements of the leadership minor may not be used to fulfill area of concentration requirements for university studies degrees.