



HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL COMMUNICATION

This concentration examines the role of communication in constructing and managing individual, institutional, cultural, and political experiences of health, illness, and the environment.

WELCOME TO THE COMMUNICATION DEPARTMENT

Follow @commuc on social media, attend CommTogether & meet with a Comm advisor.

CHOOSE FROM THESE COMMUNICATION COURSES

- 2004 Comm Health, Environment/Science
- 4066 Communication & Health Politics
- 4067 Environmental Communication*
- 4068 Comm of Technology & Science
- 5000 Comm & Contemporary Issues
- 5003 Rhetoric, Environment & Science
- 5004 Health Communication

Also consider these Communication electives:

- 2043 Public Relations Writing* (2042)
- 2048 Event Planning & Fundraising Mgmt
- 2089 The Internet & Everyday Life*
- 3071 Communication Criticism*
- 4013 Gender & Communication***
- 4043 Theories of Interpersonal Comm*
- 4050 Comm, Culture & Globalization**

Parentheses = Prerequisite Asterisk = Online section available
Bold = Fulfills Department's Diversity & Inclusion Requirement

DEVELOP CAREER EDUCATION SKILLS

Take PD 2070 during your sophomore year to learn about experiential learning opportunities.

POTENTIAL INTERNSHIPS & CO-OP JOBS

- American Heart Association
- Cincinnati Children's Hospital
- Make a Wish Foundation
- Ronald McDonald House

MEET OUR RESEARCH FACULTY



Pamara Chang Steve Depoe Stephen Haas John Lynch Shaunak Sastry Heather Zoller

EXPLORE COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVES

Minors, certificates, and courses in science writing, health & medical sociology, environment & ecology, chemistry, and biology complement this concentration. Consider:

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| AFST-1005 | Intro to Global Health Issues |
| AFST-2070 | Personal Health for Minorities |
| ALH-4021 | Healthcare Delivery Systems |
| BIOL-1033 | Biological Basis of Health |
| ENGL-4093 | Environmental Writing |
| ENGL-4094 | Biomedical Writing |
| EVST-2021 | Eco, Society & Environment |
| EVST-2022 | Environ Politics & Policy |
| HCA-3031 | Market Dynamics in Health |
| HPE-2004 | Women's Health Issues |
| PHIL-3027 | Environmental Ethics |
| SOC-3040 | Sociology of Death & Dying |
| WSG-3071 | Gender & Health |

CONSIDER JOINING A STUDENT GROUP

Students interested in joining the new Health & Environmental Communication student group should contact its faculty advisor, Dr. Heather Zoller (zollerhm@ucmail.uc.edu), for meeting times and/or more information.

CONSIDER GRADUATE EDUCATION

Option 1: Majors accepted into our 4+1 Program take graduate classes their senior year. After earning their BA degree, students in good standing are formally admitted to the graduate program and complete their MA degree in one additional year.

OR

Option 2: Most traditional graduate programs require 2 additional years of education. These options complement a Communication BA:
MA in Environmental/Health Communication
MA in Health Education & Behavior
MA in Technical Writing
MBA in Health Care Administration
Master's in Public Health (MPH)

POTENTIAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Environmental Campaign Manager
- Healthcare Account Coordinator
- Health Communication Specialist
- Health Educator
- Health/Environmental Event Planner
- Hospital-Community Outreach Director
- Environmental Development Manager
- Pharmaceutical Sales
- Scientific & Technical Writing

CONGRATULATIONS UC GRADUATE!

Apply for graduation during your final semester (week 4 deadline), complete Communication Department's exit survey, and attend annual CommCeleb awards banquet in April.