



Department of Speech and Hearing Science

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The Undergraduate Minor in Speech and Hearing Science

Students who wish to complete an undergraduate major in Speech and Hearing Science should initiate the process by scheduling an appointment for advising by calling 292-8207. Per the following information, there are four possible tracks in the major, all of which have the same core of three courses. These three courses may be taken concurrently. The faculty intends that the remaining two courses to complete each track be taken in sequence.

This is a 15 credit minor. Nine of the 15 credits will be required of all students and will include the following three courses, which are also required in the major program:

Required three course core curriculum:

Course	Description	
SHS 2230	Introduction to Communication and its Disorders	(3 credit hours)
SHS 3320	Principles of Phonetics	(3 credit hours)
SHS 3340	Bioacoustics	(3 credit hours)

Following the satisfactory completion of these three courses, students will choose one of four options, each of which will supply the remaining 6 credits.

Option 1 - or those students who are more interested in Speech-Language Pathology.

Course	Description	Credit Hours
SHS 4420	Introduction to Speech Science	(3 credit hours)
SHS 4520	Introduction to Speech-Language Pathology	(3 credit hours)

Option 2 - For those students who are more interested in Audiology.

Course	Description	Credit Hours
SHS 4440	Introduction to Hearing Science	(3 credit hours)
SHS4 540	Introduction to Audiology	(3 credit hours)

Option 3 - For those students interested in the field as it relates to multicultural and disability issues.

Course	Description	Credit Hours
SHS 3310	Improving Intercultural Speech-Language Skills	(3 credit hours)
SHS 4510	Disability Studies in Context	(3 credit hours)

Option 4 - For those students who are more interested in Speech and Hearing Science.

Course	Description	Credit Hours
SHS 4420	Introduction to Speech Science	(3 credit hours)
SHS 4440	Introduction to Hearing Science	(3 credit hours)