

**COMM 98 Course Outline as of Fall 2021****CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: COMM 98      Title: INDEPENDENT STUDY  
 Full Title: Independent Study in Communication Studies  
 Last Reviewed: 5/11/2020

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	0.50	Lab Scheduled	0	5	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	1.00		Contact DHR	17.50
		Contact Total	1.00		Contact Total	17.50
		Non-contact DHR	8.00		Non-contact DHR	140.00

Total Out of Class Hours: 0.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

**Catalog Description:**

Seminars or individual conferences by arrangement to provide for independent study and enriched academic experience in Communication Studies.

**Prerequisites/Corequisites:****Recommended Preparation:****Limits on Enrollment:**

Approval of the project proposal by sponsoring faculty, department chair and supervising administrator.

**Schedule of Classes Information:**

Description: Seminars or individual conferences by arrangement to provide for independent study and enriched academic experience in Communication Studies. (Grade Only)

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment: Approval of the project proposal by sponsoring faculty, department chair and supervising administrator.

Transfer Credit: CSU;  
Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

## **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

<b>AS Degree:</b>	<b>Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
<b>CSU GE:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
<b>IGETC:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>	Effective:	Inactive:
<b>CSU Transfer:</b>	Transferable	Effective: Fall 1981	Inactive:
<b>UC Transfer:</b>		Effective:	Inactive:

### **CID:**

### **Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Major Applicable Course

## **COURSE CONTENT**

### **Student Learning Outcomes:**

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. Expand acquired classroom knowledge through self-designed study.

### **Objectives:**

Students will be able to:

1. Integrate acquired classroom/research knowledge into a practical environment through an individual project in an area of the student's interest.

### **Topics and Scope:**

The projects will be varied per individual to reflect the student's abilities, interests, and understanding of underlying theories of subject matter.

### **Assignment:**

A special written or laboratory project approved and supervised by the sponsoring faculty.

### **Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:**

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Written report of independent work or research
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Writing 10 - 100%
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**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving  
0 - 0%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Demonstration of skills acquired through independent work or research

Skill Demonstrations  
0 - 90%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Exams  
0 - 0%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

None

Other Category  
0 - 0%

**Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

None