IDEAs in Action
Communication Beyond Carolina

UNC Faculty Symposium on Deliberative Pedagogy
May 6, 2021 (10 – 11am)
A UNC-CH graduate should be able to...

1. Think critically
2. Define and frame questions
3. Work collaboratively
4. Solve problems
5. Be resilient
6. Respond creatively to changing & uncertain situations
7. Take risks
8. Make reasoned judgements based upon facts and evidence
9. Communicate these judgments persuasively & effectively to a variety of audiences
10. Listen carefully & thoughtfully to the concerns & ideas of others
The components of IDEAs in Action:

Communication & Collaboration are infused throughout the curriculum.
I. First Year Foundations

- First-Year Seminar or First-Year Launch
- Writing at the Research University (ENGL 105)
- Ideas, Information, and Inquiry (Triple-I)
- College Thriving (U 101)
- Global Language

“You’ll meet your Carolina people, expand and refine your academic interests, and develop skills that will prepare you for what comes next.”
II. Focus Capacities

Recurring Capacities

- 10 pages of writing
- Presenting material
- Collaboration in groups

FC-AESTHETIC
FC-CREATE
FC-PAST
FC-VALUES
FC-GLOBAL
FC-NATSCI
FC-POWER
FC-QUANT
FC-KNOWING

III. Reflection & Integration

"By applying your skills concretely and immersing yourself in a hands-on learning experience of your own design, you will build confidence as a leader, scholar, and citizen."

Research and Discovery  
High-Impact Experience  
Communication Beyond Carolina  
Lifetime Fitness  
Campus Life Experience
# Communication Beyond Carolina

## Key Points

Ordinarily taken during the junior or senior year.

- Major or minor course
- Advanced global language course
- Standalone course on communication/rhetoric

At least 70% of the content of the course must focus on:

- The capacities and practices of **communication and collaboration**
- Understanding and adapting messages to **at least 3 distinct audiences**
- **Listening** seriously to the messages of others
- Taking and offering **feedback** from peers and audiences
### Course Examples:

- **ASIA 258, Iranian Prison Literature**
- **COMM 113, Public Speaking**
- **GEOG 415, Making Your Research Matter**
- **GEOG 416, Applied Climatology**
- **PLCY 330, Negotiation & Mediation**
- **PLCY 698, Senior Capstone in Public Policy**
# Timeline, Submission Process, & Resources

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Submit Proposals in CIM: [https://nextcatalog.unc.edu/courseadmin/](https://nextcatalog.unc.edu/courseadmin/)

Resources (Sample Syllabi): [https://curricula.unc.edu/curriculum/ideas-in-action-curriculum/](https://curricula.unc.edu/curriculum/ideas-in-action-curriculum/)