Minor in Leadership of Organizations College of Social Science School of Human Resources and Labor Relations Open to: All MSU students

The minor in Leadership of Organizations aligns with the College of Social Science research focus on people and the environment. The program goal is to provide an interdisciplinary study of the leadership of organizations that prepares to critically assess the effectiveness of leaders in a wide range of organizations (e.g., business, government, and non-profit), and also prepares students to be more effective leaders in their work careers and as citizens.

Students must complete 15-17 credits from the requirements listed below:

HRLR 211	Introduction to Organizational Leadership	3
2. One of the following courses (3 credits)		
ANP 321	Anthropology of Social Movements	3
HST 213	U.S. Business and Economic History	3
HST 312	African American Women	3
HST 313	Women in the United States to 1869	3
HST 314	Women in the United States since 1869	3
PLS 310	Public Administration and Policy	3
PLS 313	American Public Policy	3
PSY 235	Social Psychology (PSY 101)	3
PSY 255	Industrial and Organizational Psychology (PSY 101)	3
SOC 241	Social Psychology	3
SOC 481	Social Movements and Collective Identities	3
3. Two of the following (6-8 credits)		
ACM 271	Introduction to Arts and Cultural Management	3
ACM 461	Strategies of Arts and Cultural Management (ACM 271)	3
CEP 260	Dynamics of Personal Adjustment	3
COM 240	Introduction to Organizational Communication	4
CSUS 429	Program Planning and Evaluation (see prerequisites)	3
ESHP 190	The Art of Starting	3
MGT 325	Management Skills and Processes	3
PHL 340	Ethics	3
PHL 345	Business Ethics	4
REL 185	Introduction to Religion and Nonprofits (not open to seniors)	3
REL 285	Introduction to Social Entrepreneurship and Religion	3
REL 485	Religion and Nonprofit Leadership (W)	3
TE 101	Social Foundations of Justice and Equity in Education	3
WRA 202	Introduction to Professional and Public Writing	3
WRA 401	Rhetoric, Leadership and Innovation	3
WS 404	Women and the Law in the United States	3
4. Exit Course (3 credits)		
HRLR 311	Applied Organizational Leadership	3

To learn more about the minor, please contact Advisor Matt Hahnenberg at hahnenb2@msu.edu

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