**UMSL**

**General Education Committee**

**Request for Consideration for Course Designation as Communication Proficiency Core**

Courses that fulfill this area requirement must assess student skill development in all of the outcomes listed below. This assessment must be evident in syllabus, assignments, and/or grading rubrics describing how each outcome is assessed. Complete this form and submit as instructed below for consideration by the UMSL General Education committee.

Existing Courses: Submit this completed template/form and an updated syllabus to the course record in http://nextbulletin.umsl.edu/courseadmin and submit for approvals. Courses submitted after December 1 may not receive the approvals in time to be included in the 2021-2022 Bulletin.

New Courses currently in CourseLeaf queue: Submit this form and an updated syllabus to Betsy Sampson (sampson@umsl.edu) no later than December 1. If the form is not received by this date, the course will be forwarded to the Faculty Senate C&I committee for approval without the General Education designation.

New Courses not yet in CourseLeaf queue: Add this form and an updated syllabus to the course record in http://nextbulletin.umsl.edu/courseadmin and submit for approvals. Courses submitted after December 1 may not receive the approvals in time to be included in next year's Bulletin.

**About the Course**

Course Subject:

Course Number:

Course Name:

Course Description:

**Communication Proficiency Student Learning Outcomes**

**Value Statement/Area Definition:** Communication Core courses develop effective use of the spoken English language essential to academic success.  A solid foundation in verbal communication promotes the ability to speak and listen to others fostering the ability to secure a job, maintain healthy relationships, and promote healthy self expression.

Indicate how this course addresses and assesses each outcome:

1. **After successful completion of this course, students will be able to analyze and evaluate their own and others' oral expression**

2. **After successful completion of this course, students will be able to create and clearly deliver oral presentations to targeted audiences employing effective syntax, vocabulary, grammar, and mechanics**

3. **After successful completion of this course, students will be able to tailor messaging to diverse audiences to achieve a given purpose**

4. **After successful completion of this course, students will be able to communicate effectively in groups by listening, reflecting, and responding appropriately and in context**