Leadership Studies Minor – Curriculum Maps

Leadership Studies Minor for Catalog Years 2022-2023, 2023-2024

Leadership Studies Minor
12 Credit Hours (9 hours of Core Classes + 3 hours of Elective Credit)

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<th>Timeline</th>
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<td>May start as early as first-year but should have 3 fall/spring terms left after finishing ELPS 201 &amp; ELPS 350.</td>
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<td>Must have at least 2 fall/spring semesters left by this stage. Students should work on capstone for at least 1 term.</td>
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<td>Graduation Term</td>
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Courses Open to All UTK Students
Students may take ELPS 201 or ELPS 350 in any order.

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<th>ELPS 201 (3 hours)</th>
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<td>Foundations of Leadership Studies</td>
<td>Coached Leadership Skills</td>
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Elective Credit & Additional Graduation Requirements
Students complete 3 credit hours of elective credits for the minor at any point before graduation.

Also, students must complete an Experiential Capstone Project and a cumulative Leadership Portfolio housed on LinkedIn.

Begin the Leadership Studies Capstone
Students should meet with an LSM program advisor to identify if they will do a Self-Directed or Department Approved Capstone Project and then register for either ELPS 351 or ELPS 352, respectively.

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<th>ELPS 352 (3 hours)</th>
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<td>Personally &amp; Socially Responsible Leadership in Action for Self-directed Capstone</td>
<td>Personally &amp; Socially Responsible Leadership (For Department Approved Capstone)</td>
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Graduation Coursework
All students take ELPS 451 (fall preferably) and ELPS 499 in the term they plan to graduate. ELPS 499 is a credit/no-credit course.

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Honors Leadership Studies Minor for Catalog Years 2022-2023, 2023-2024

Leadership Studies Minor - Honors
13 Credit Hours

Core Curriculum (Take ELPS 207 in fall and then ELPS 217 in spring)
Students must take ELPS 207 (fall), ELPS 350 may be taken before, alongside, or after ELPS 217.

ELPS 207 (3 hours)
&
ELPS 217 (3 hours)
&
ELPS 350 (2 hours)

Selecting and planning a capstone project (Must have completed ELPS 207, ELPS 217, & ELPS 350)
Students should meet with an LSM program advisor (and Honors & Scholar's each if relevant) to identify if they will do a Self-Directed or Department Approved Capstone Project and then register for either ELPS 351 or ELPS 352, respectively.

ELPS 351 (1 hour)
OR
ELPS 352 (3 hours)

ELPS 493 (1 hour) Ind. Study
Taken senior year; students write 20-25 page white paper justifying self-directed capstone.

Graduation Coursework
All students take ELPS 451 (fall preferably) and 499 (fall semester) in the year they plan to graduate.

ELPS 451 (1 hour)
&
ELPS 499 (0 hour)

Leadership in Transition

For questions, please contact program coordinator, Dr. Karen D. Boyd at kboyd4@utk.edu, and assistant professor of practice, Adam McElhin at amcelhin@utk.edu.
Leadership Studies Minor

(12 credit hours)

ELPS 281 (3)
Foundation of Leadership Studies

And

ELPS 351 (1 or 2)
PSL Leadership in Action
1 credit hour if Department Approved Project Course
OR
2 credit hours if Self Generated Project
Before beginning Project or ELPS 451

ELPS 350 (2)
Coach self Leadership Skills

Apply to the Leadership Studies Minor
Acceptance occurs after taking ELPS 281 and program proposal accepted

ELPS 461 (1)
Leadership In Transition Seminar
Fall before Graduation

Elective (can be taken at any point)

ELPS 462 (1)
Leadership Experience Capstone
Complete 1 credit hour the semester you graduate if completing a Self-Generated Project
Semester of Graduation

OR

Department Approved Project Course (2 or more)
Instead of a Self-Generated Project, complete a 2 or more credit hour department approved experiential capstone
project course Complete by graduation

Additional Requirements:
• 60+ hours of Leadership Development Experiences
• Experiential Capstone Project
• Leadership Portfolio with Personal Leadership Statement

*Progress Review and Project Proposal approval required to begin work on your project and registering for ELPS 461*

Leadership Studies Minor – Honors

(13 credit hours)

Apply to the Honor Leadership Program
Acceptance includes acceptance into the Leadership Studies Minor - Honors

ELPS 207 (3)
Foundation and Theories of Leadership Studies
Fall Freshman Year

ELPS 217 (3)
Spring Freshman Year

ELPS 350 (2)
Coached Leadership Practicum
Complete before ELPS 451
*May be taken in conjunction with ELPS 217*

Self-Directed Project Sequence

- ELPS 351 (2) – PSA Leadership in Action
  Complete by Spring before ELPS 451
- ELPS 403 (1) – Independent Study
  Honors’ First Semester Working on
  Self-Directed Project and after ELPS 351
- ELPS 451 (1) – Leadership in Transition Seminar
  Fall before graduation
- ELPS 457 (1) – Experiential Leadership Capstone
  Semester of Graduation

Department-Approved Project Course Sequence

- ELPS 351 (1) – PSA Leadership in Action
  Complete by Spring before ELPS 451
- ELPS 451 (2) – Leadership in Transition Seminar
  Fall before graduation
- Experiential Capstone Course (3) – ex. ELPS 411
  Leadership Knowledge Scholars Seminar

Additional Requirements:
- 600 hours of Leadership Development Experiences
- Experiential Capstone Project
- Leadership Portfolio with Personal Leadership Statement

*Progress Review and Project Proposal approval required to begin work on your project and registering for ELPS 451*