



COMMUNICATION

Communication majors at Stonehill develop a deep understanding of the theories and humanistic approaches used in the field while enjoying a wide variety of practical experiences that give them a distinct advantage after graduation.

Taught by supportive professors with a broad spectrum of interests, Communication classes at Stonehill are supplemented by extensive campus media resources and paired with internship opportunities that include New York publishing houses, the entertainment industry in Los Angeles and local media outlets.

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Places where Stonehill students have recently interned include:

- CBS
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- Focus Features
- Gatehouse Media
- MGM Studios
- NESN
- Nickelodeon
- Sony
- TD Banknorth
- Warner Games
- Warner Music
- WCVB TV

CAREER OUTCOMES

Places where Stonehill graduates have recently been employed include:

- Boston Celtics
- Brigham and Women's Hospital
- CBS Films
- Disney/ABC TV
- ESPN
- Fidelity Investments
- Taunton Gazette
- W.B. Mason
- WHDH TV
- "Who Wants to be a Millionaire?"

CONCENTRATIONS

- **Mediated Communication**
(the study of the history, influence, regulation and effects of the mass media).
- **Communication Studies**
(interpersonal, organizational and rhetorical communication), which includes courses in public relations.
- In addition students may pursue a focus on **media production**.

MINORS

- Communication
- Cinema Studies
- Journalism

HONORS SOCIETY AFFILIATION

Lambda Pi Eta

The National Communication Association's honor society

CAMPUS RESOURCES

- Radio station (WSHL 91.3 FM)
- TV studio
- The Summit
(student newspaper)
- Rolling Stonehill
(arts and culture magazine)
- The Cairn (literary magazine)
- Computer lab

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

Stonehill Undergraduate Research Experience

This is an opportunity for students who have completed their first year at Stonehill to perform significant, publishable, full-time research under the guidance of and in collaboration with an experienced faculty researcher.

Recent Communication Research Project

A Cross-Cultural Comparison of the Roles and Status of Women and Girls in India and China



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GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL STUDIES

Places where Stonehill graduates have recently attended a full- or part-time graduate program include:

- Arizona State University
- Boston College
- Emerson College
- Georgetown University
- Northeastern University
- Seton Hall University
- Suffolk University
- Syracuse University
- University of Connecticut
- University of Oxford
- University of Pennsylvania

CAREER SERVICES RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS

General

- The Office of Career Services offers extensive assistance to students seeking employment, pursuing advanced studies or participating in postgraduate service opportunities. By completing internships and utilizing mentors, students are empowered to build lifelong career management skills.
- Extensive on-campus recruiting program for internships and entry-level jobs.
- Annual career fair.

Communication-specific

- LA Internship is a semesterlong program in Los Angeles offered by the Office of Career Services and the Communication Department.
- Career Services staff members regularly work with Communication Department faculty to present programs on career-building skills, including professional and dining etiquette, resume and cover letter writing, and interview techniques.
- Number of active alumni mentors: **108**.

“Stonehill has allowed me to broadcast sports games, write about sports (and) have my own (radio) show pretty much from Day One. Having a video and audio resume ... is a great asset.”

– Tim Culverhouse '14

Communication major whose experience earned him a coveted internship at New England Sports Network (NESN)

Stonehill at a Glance

Founded by the Congregation of Holy Cross, Stonehill College values integrity, tradition and the rewards that come when you pair rigorous academics with world-class faculty committed to their students' success. Our nationally recognized experiential learning programs and focus on service shape graduates into compassionate leaders and global thinkers.

- 2,590 full-time students (1,588 women, 1,002 men).
- 93% of students live on campus.
- 167 full-time faculty (100% of classes taught by professors).
- 13:1 student/faculty ratio (average class size: 19 students).
- Tuition: \$36,160. Room and board: \$13,710.
- 86% retention rate.
- 93% of enrolled students receive financial assistance. Average freshman award, including scholarships, grants, federal student loans and work study, is \$25,451.
- \$50.5 million: amount of aid Stonehill students received in 2013-2014 academic year.
- 80% of the Class of 2013 completed an internship-related experience while at Stonehill.
- Ranked in the top 10% nationally for opportunities abroad, Stonehill offers internships, study and service travel programs around the globe.
- 91% of students participate in internships, study abroad, research practicum or fieldwork.
- 50% of the class of 2013 had secured a job by graduation, double the national average of 25%.

98%

OF ALUMNI ARE IN CAREERS, TOP GRADUATE PROGRAMS OR VOLUNTEERING WITHIN ONE YEAR OF GRADUATION