Dear School of Communication Sophomore:

The information contained in this folder is designed to help you make the most of your junior and senior years at Northwestern. It will introduce you to some of the many programs that can help you succeed in meeting your college goals, and start you thinking about how your education will affect your life after graduation. Additionally, there is information that will help you identify research and provide funding opportunities for independent academic and creative work in all fields of study. This packet includes:

| University Career Services Quick Guide for SoC Students | Résumé help  
Interview practice  
Database of jobs and internships |
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| Office of Fellowships                                  | How to apply for research and grant funding;  
Information regarding internal and external fellowships. |
| Undergraduate Research Information                     | Information about funding for independent academic and creative work in all fields of study. |
| Funding for Mentored Research or Creative Projects     | Information on how to apply for and secure financial support for a faculty supervised or mentored research project |
| Study Abroad – Getting Started                         | Affiliated study abroad programs application dates and requirements |
| Special Course Opportunities                           | Student Organized Seminars  
Independent Studies |
| Co-Curricular Activities List                          | List of SoC sponsored co-curricular activities |
| Important Resource Links for Sophomores                | Links to EPICS, Study Abroad, University  
Career Services and Undergraduate Research |

If you have questions that aren’t covered by the information here, don’t hesitate to contact your adviser to discuss them.

Best wishes,

Sally Ewing  
Associate Dean for Advising and Student Affairs  
School of Communication  
Northwestern University
# A Quick Guide to NCA

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**Career Staff for School of Communication Undergraduate Students**

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<td><a href="mailto:jjenkins@northwestern.edu">jjenkins@northwestern.edu</a></td>
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*To make an appointment: Select the CareerCat tab from the NCA homepage. Log into CareerCat and select “Request a Counseling Appointment”.*
Office of Fellowships

Who are we?

The Office of Fellowships serves as a resource center for students who are interested in applying for fellowships and grants to pursue research projects and further academic study. If you’re working on a project of any type, talk to us—there may be funding available for you that you don’t even know about!

Our Services:

- We hold informational meetings about major fellowships throughout the year.
- We run fellowship competitions; students may apply through Northwestern for major fellowships like the Rhodes or the Fulbright.
- We offer individual fellowship consultations to help you find a match between your intellectual interests and a competition.
- We provide fellowship support, from preliminary advice to essay feedback.
- We have a library of useful information to help you select fellowships to apply for and prepare your applications.

Contact Us:

Call us at 491-2617 or email us at fellowships@northwestern.edu
Check out our website for more information at www.northwestern.edu/fellowships
Stop in at 1941 Sheridan Road to visit the Office of Fellowships

Subscribe to our listserv for info about upcoming deadlines and meetings:

Email the listserv address: listerv@listerv.it.northwestern.edu
Leave the subject BLANK. In the message, type "SUBSCRIBE fellowships (firstname) (lastname)"
TAKE THE LEAD IN YOUR EDUCATION!

GET FREE MONEY TO DO YOUR PROJECT
- Learn grant writing
- Discover humanities and creative arts opportunities
- Travel abroad

CREATE AN INDEPENDENT PROJECT
- Work with faculty
- Explore a topic in depth

FIND OUT IF RESEARCH IS RIGHT FOR YOU
- Learn how research works in your field.
- Find a lab
- Present at conferences

Need Advising? Come In & Talk with Us!
Complete the Advisory Request Form @
https://undergradresearch.northwestern.edu/advising-request
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2015-2016 DEADLINES

Academic Year Undergraduate Research Grant (AY URG)
Tuesday, October 6th
Tuesday, November 3rd
Tuesday, December 1st
Tuesday, January 19th
Tuesday, February 16th

Circumnavigators Travel-Study Grant (Circumnavigator)
Wednesday, November 18th

Undergraduate Language Grant (ULG)
Friday, January 29th

Summer Undergraduate Research Grant (Summer URG)
Friday, March 11th

Undergraduate Research & Arts Exposition (Expo)
Sunday, April 17th

Conference Travel Grant (CTG)
Applications are accepted on a rolling basis during the academic year.

Watch "The Adventures of Grant Man!" on YouTube
Study Abroad at Northwestern: Getting Started


RESEARCH NU-sponsored and affiliated programs in this packet and on our website.

DISCUSS your goals and program options with a Study Abroad Adviser. We encourage you to meet with us!
- Come to walk-in hours; locations & times across campus are listed on our website
- Call our office to schedule an individual appointment: 847-467-6400

ATTEND events and information sessions to learn more about study abroad. Stay informed of upcoming events:
- Like us on Facebook: http://facebook.com/NUstudyabroad
- Follow us on Twitter: http://twitter.com/NUstudyabroad
- Subscribe to our newsletter by sending an email to: studyabroad@northwestern.edu

LEARN about the application process. The Northwestern Application for 2015-2016 will be available through our online system early fall quarter. NU’s application deadlines are:
- December 15, 2014: Final deadline for Fall 2015 and Full Year 2015-16 for the following programs: Earlham Japan Study at Waseda; Royal Academy of Music (RAM)
- January 15, 2015: Final deadline for Fall 2015 and Full Year 2015-16 for the following programs: Arcadia-Oxford University; Arcadia-King’s Health and Society; Bologna Consortial Studies Program (BCSP); Year of Study in Munich; Danish Institute for Study Abroad (DIS); Royal Danish Academy of Music (RDAM).
- February 10, 2015: Final deadline for Fall 2015 and Full Year 2015-16 for all other programs
- March 1, 2015: Final deadline for Summer 2015 programs
- June 1, 2015: Final deadline for Winter/Spring 2016 programs
- November 1, 2015: Final deadline for Spring 2016 programs

In addition to applying for approval through NU, many students will need to apply directly to their programs for acceptance by their deadlines; please see our website for details.

For the most up-to-date information, visit www.northwestern.edu/studyabroad or contact:
 Study Abroad Office, 629 Colfax St, (847) 467-6400, studyabroad@northwestern.edu
Special Course Opportunities

**Independent Study**

399 Independent Study is available by petition to juniors and seniors who have a 3.00 GPA or better. As the title implies, such work involves independent investigation of topics not normally covered by the curriculum of the SoC. The work must involve careful faculty supervision and typically culminates in a written report.

In *rare* cases, exceptions are made for the GPA and class-level requirements. Recent grades, the nature of the study, and special circumstances are important considerations in these cases.

Pick up an Independent Study petition in the Student Resource Center (Frances Searle 1-102) or log onto [http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/student_resource_center/forms/399_IS_Form.pdf](http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/student_resource_center/forms/399_IS_Form.pdf)

After you get a signature from your faculty sponsor, turn the petition in at the Student Resource Center for Dean Sally Ewing’s approval. If the independent study is approved, that office will register you. If your petition is not approved, you will be notified.

Independent study applies to degree requirements exactly the same way as other 300-level courses offered by the department sponsoring your 399. The number of 399s that can apply to your major vary within the SoC, so check with your adviser to get the degree requirements for your major.

Petitions should be submitted by the recommended deadlines for the academic year on the petition.

**Student Organized Seminar**

CMN 396, A Student-Organized Seminar (SOS) consists of a small group of students under the sponsorship of one or more faculty members who organize a course to explore a specific topic not covered, but deemed appropriate to, the Northwestern University curriculum. Typically, a SOS comprises nine or fewer students. One or more School of Communication students take responsibility for developing the syllabus, organizing the weekly seminar work, advertising the seminar, distributing permission numbers, and attending scheduled sessions at the Searle Center for Teaching Excellence for guidance on how to effectively lead a seminar.

The ground rules for all seminars are as follows:

- The student organizers must be School of Communication students who enroll in the seminar. A copy of the proposal for the seminar and detailed syllabus are presented to and signed by the faculty sponsor and department chair. The forms must then be submitted to the Student Resource Center (Frances Searle 1-102) for the approval of the SoC Undergraduate Dean.
- Student organizers are required to meet with the Undergraduate Dean Sally Ewing for final approval of the seminar. A preliminary meeting to discuss the draft proposal is also recommended.
- In order to receive credit for the course, student organizers are required to attend scheduled training sessions at the Searle Center for Teaching Excellence throughout the quarter for guidance on how to effectively lead a seminar.
- A student may take or teach only one SOS per quarter, and must register for the class as pass/no pass. A student will be dropped from the class if this condition is not met.
- Eligibility requirements must be detailed and specific on the course proposal form and appropriate to the content of the seminar. There are to be no restrictions such as class or gradepoint average.
- All students completing the work in a seminar will receive one unit of elective graduation credit, on a pass/no pass grading basis. This unit of credit is not applicable to a major requirement.
The ground rules for all seminars cont.:

- There will be no compensatory reduction in other teaching duties for the faculty volunteer sponsoring a Student Organized Seminar. No faculty member should feel obliged to sponsor such seminars, and no Faculty volunteer will sponsor more than one seminar a year. A faculty sponsor agrees to attend at least 2 seminar sessions, including one during the first or second week of the quarter.

- The faculty sponsor gives grades for the seminar.

- In addition to an oral presentation, each seminar participant will produce written work, such as seminar papers, essay exams, journal entries, etc. Student Organizers will submit this course work to the Undergraduate Dean for subsequent review.

Prerequisites for Approval:

- Before the School of Communication can approve an SOS, the course format must be submitted in writing. A proposal must include the following information:
  
  - Title
  - Description and scope of the topic (be as specific as possible)
  - Names of the sponsoring faculty member(s) and student organizer(s)
  - Student organizer(s)’ addresses and phone numbers
  - Maximum enrollment
  - Reading list (the proposal must specify what reading will be required or suggested for all class members. If members are doing independent projects, their organization within the class format must be stated.)
  - Class requirements and the basis of final evaluation
  - Days, times, and numbers of class meetings per week
  - The signatures of the sponsoring faculty member and the Chair of the Department concerned

If the proposal is approved, a section number will be assigned and the student organizer will be given permission numbers for the course. The complete rules for submission and the course proposal form can be found at http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/student_resource_center/forms/SOSDirections-Form.pdf
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<td>Serves to expose the Northwestern community to the fullest spectrum of theatrical work and interpretation by producing and/or sponsoring African American plays, poetry reading, variety shows, ceremonies and rituals.</td>
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| **African Student Association (ASA)** |
| Contact: asanorthwestern@gmail.com, thelmie@u.northwestern.edu |
| Organization of students dedicated to increasing Northwestern's cultural bank of knowledge and African awareness through entertaining and educational programming. |

| **AIESEC** |
| Website: [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/aiesec](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/aiesec) |
| Contact: StacyKim2016@u.northwestern.edu |
| Strives to promote cultural understanding through international exchange and campus events, matches students to go abroad to work on paid internships, and organizes and sponsors many campus events relating to global business, development, and cultural awareness. |

| **American Sign Language Club** |
| Website: [http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/americansignlanguageclub](http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/americansignlanguageclub) |
| Contact: mariepeeples2016@u.northwestern.edu |
| Brings together students who are interested in learning ASL and those who want to practice conversing in ASL; seeks to spread awareness about ASL and Deaf culture and to find ways to put signing skills to use such as playing games in ASL, attending ASL "coffee chats" in Chicago, seeing shows interpreted in ASL, and fundraising for a Deaf cultural center in Chicago. |

| **A&O Productions** |
| Website: [http://aoproductions.net/](http://aoproductions.net/) |
| Contact: questions@aoproductions.net |
| Northwestern's all-campus programming group. Seeks to enrich the lives of students, faculty, and staff by providing events such as concerts, speakers, comedians, and films. |

| **Arts Alliance** |
| Website: [http://artsalliance.wix.com/artsalliance](http://artsalliance.wix.com/artsalliance) |
| Contact: leahplatt2017@u.northwestern.edu |
| The largest student theatre production company in the nation. Seeks to expand the scope of theatre at Northwestern by creating and fostering an environment where students can develop their artistic and organizational abilities. |

| **Ballroom, Latin, and Swing Team (BLAST)** |
| Website: [http://www.facebook.com/NU.BLAST](http://www.facebook.com/NU.BLAST) |
| Contact: blastcomp@gmail.com |
| Promotes all types of social and competitive partner dancing at Northwestern, offers classes varying from beginner classes for the novice to advanced classes for the experienced dancer, has a competition team that represents Northwestern University in the collegiate competitive ballroom circuit, and features a performance team that puts on a spectacular show every spring quarter. |
| **Bhangra Dance Team**  
Website: [http://www.facebook.com/nubhangra](http://www.facebook.com/nubhangra)  
Contact: northwesternbhangra@gmail.com  
*Coed dance team committed to sharing and celebrating Punjabi culture. Has performed and competed at numerous campus events, at weddings and functions in the Chicagoland area, and all across the nation.* |
| **BOOMSHAKA**  
Website: [http://www.boomshaka.org/](http://www.boomshaka.org/)  
Contact: producers@boomshaka.org  
*Northwestern’s percussion/dance performance group, featuring styles ranging from hip-hop to tap, from just grooving to hard-core drumming, and from singing to rhyming. Boomshaka has taken its funk, energy, and loudness to people all across the country, from Florida to New York - and even Toronto, Canada.* |
| **Consultants Advising Student Enterprises (CASE)**  
Website: [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/case](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/case)  
Contact: rachelboroditsky2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*NU’s first and only student group dedicated to helping other NU student groups solve their toughest strategic problems, and providing opportunities for students to gain real consulting experience in the process.* |
| **Dance Marathon**  
Website: [http://nudm.org/](http://nudm.org/)  
Contact: kevinharris2016@u.northwestern.edu  
exec@nudm.org  
*One of the largest student-run philanthropies in the world and consistently one of the most popular events on Northwestern’s campus, involving nearly 1000 student dancers and committee members and thousands of other students.* |
| **Debate Society**  
Website: [www.debate.northwestern.edu/](http://www.debate.northwestern.edu/)  
Contact: luke-hill@northwestern.edu nudebate@northwestern.edu  
*The oldest continuous debate program in the country, the Northwestern Debate Society has a heritage going back to 1855. The program is designed to allow students to progress as fast and as far as their aptitudes and diligence permit, and consists of between 20 and 30 debaters at varying levels of activity and ability.* |
| **Deeva Dance Troupe**  
Website: [http://groups.northwestern.edu/deeva/](http://groups.northwestern.edu/deeva/)  
Contact: deevadance@gmail.com laurenwang2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*Nationally recognized all-female dance troupe that blends the best of Indian classical, film, folk with jazz, modern and hip-hop. Representing diverse regions of South Asia, each dancer brings a unique background, finesse and attitude to the table as they fuse their styles in the ultimate battle of different dance and musical genres.* |
## Dolphin Show

**Website:** [http://www.nudolphinshow.org/](http://www.nudolphinshow.org/)

**Contact:**
- producers@nudolphinshow.org
- alexandrawolfe2016@u.northwestern.edu

*Non-profit student theatre organization that annually produces America's largest student-produced musical. With a team of over 150 undergraduate students, The Dolphin Show celebrates the diverse talents of the Northwestern University undergraduate community by providing opportunities to learn and excel in all artistic and administrative fields.*

## For Members Only

**Website:** [http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/formembersonly](http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/formembersonly)

**Contact:**
- charles.kellom@northwestern.edu

*FMO serves as Northwestern University's premier Black Student Alliance, encouraging political, social, cultural and intellectual unity and growth first and foremost within Northwestern University's Black community, as well as within the broader Northwestern community.*

## Fusion Dance Company

**Website:** [http://fusiondanceco.wordpress.com/](http://fusiondanceco.wordpress.com/)

**Contact:** fusiondancecompany@u.northwestern.edu

*Comprehensive group of approximately 30 talented dancers from a vast variety of backgrounds and experience, performing various hip hop pieces at showcases and events throughout the year, culminating in a themed Spring showcase that features approximately 20 self-choreographed pieces that range from tap and jazz, to popping and break dancing.*

## Graffiti Dancers

**Website:** [http://groups.northwestern.edu/graffiti/index.html](http://groups.northwestern.edu/graffiti/index.html)

**Contact:**
- AnnalissaHartsell2016@u.northwestern.edu

*Not-for-profit, student-run dance company at Northwestern University; eclectic in style and democratic in governing, ascribes to a holistic philosophy and continuously strives to create artistically compelling work that is both entertaining and engaging.*

## Griffin's Tale

**Website:** [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/griffinstale](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/griffinstale)

**Contact:**
- griffinstale@gmail.com
- leahplatt2017@u.northwestern.edu

*Works with Chicago area schools, taking children’s creative works, turning them into songs and sketches, and performing them both at the schools and within the Northwestern community.*

## Inspire Media

**Website:** [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/inspiremedia](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/inspiremedia)

**Contact:**
- inspiremedianu@gmail.com
- jaclynzhou2017@u.northwestern.edu

*A Northwestern University student initiative that aims to produce social issue films that engage with topics affecting our local and international communities. Believing that film has the power to motivate thoughtful discussion and action, IM produces media and relevant programs that inspire thought, dialogue, critical discussion, and action in regards to various social issues.*
### International Student Association (ISA)
Website: [http://isanu.org/](http://isanu.org/)
[https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/isanu](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/isanu)
Contact: dinomujkic2017@u.northwestern.edu
Promotes interaction among students from different cultural and religious backgrounds, serves as a platform for the international student community at Northwestern to voice their opinions and concerns, encourages campus-wide dialogue on global issues, cultural diversity, and international student rights and interests at Northwestern University, and assists international students in their transition to a new surrounding.

### Jewish Theatre Ensemble (JTE)
Website: [http://www.jewsonstage.com/](http://www.jewsonstage.com/)
Contact: Russellkahn2016@u.northwestern.edu
Provides the Northwestern community with high quality entertainment and exposure to Jewish involvement in the arts, and aspires to challenge common perceptions and generate conversation relating to issues that fall within the resonance of the Jewish experience through artistic media with particular relevance to the Northwestern community.

### Lambda Pi Eta (ΛΠΗ)
Website: [https://www.facebook.com/pages/Lambda-Pi-Eta-Northwestern-University](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Lambda-Pi-Eta-Northwestern-University)
Contact: nulambdapieta@gmail.com
ΛΠΗ is the official communication studies honor society of the National Communication Association and the Association of College Honor Societies. Its goals include recognizing, fostering and rewarding outstanding scholastic achievement in communication studies, stimulating interest in the field of communication, and promoting and encouraging professional development among communication majors.

### Lovers & Madmen (L&M)
Website: [http://www.loversandmadmen.com/](http://www.loversandmadmen.com/)
Contact: nuloversandmadmen@gmail.com
lucindaallen2016@u.northwestern.edu
Northwestern’s only student theatre group devoted to the exploration of the works of William Shakespeare and other Classical Theatre through readings, workshops, and activities, but primarily through fully mounted productions.

### Mee-Ow
Website: [http://www.meeowcomedy.com/](http://www.meeowcomedy.com/)
Contact: devonlevy2018@u.northwestern.edu
Founded in 1974, Mee-Ow is Northwestern’s premier live comedy act. The group’s performances are 1/3 short-form improv, 1/3 sketch comedy, 1/3 rock and roll, and are an annual highlight of the Northwestern theatre season.

### Mock Trial Team
Website: [http://northwesternmocktrial.com](http://northwesternmocktrial.com)
Contact: northwesternmt@gmail.com
qa@collegiatelink.net
Offers team members the opportunity to improve their public speaking abilities, analytical skills and trial advocacy techniques all while experiencing the drama of a fictitious courtroom.
### Model United Nations
**Website:** [http://numun.org/](http://numun.org/)
[https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/NUMUN](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/NUMUN)
**Contact:** JakeHume2012@u.northwestern.edu
Promotes the education and appreciation of international affairs in the Northwestern community, participates in collegiate level Model UN conferences across the nation, and hosts an annual high school Model UN conference (NUMUN) every April.

### National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (NSSLH)
**Website:** [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/NSSLHA](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/NSSLHA)
**Contact:** meredithstrauss2016@u.northwestern.edu
Pre-professional association for graduate and undergraduate students interested in the study of communication science and disorders, dedicated to providing opportunities for members to have access to educational, social, and philanthropic experiences during their tenure at Northwestern University.

### Niteskool
**Website:** [http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/niteskoolproductions](http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/niteskoolproductions)
**Contact:** niteskoolmusic@gmail.com
Taking on the roles of booking agent, publicity, and video producers, Niteskool performs a myriad of activities for student bands and artists, including booking shows and creating an annual music video.

### Northwestern Sketch Television (NSTV)
**Website:** [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nstv](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nstv)
**Contact:** nstvproduce@gmail.com
elizabethfrieder2017@u.northwestern.edu
NSTV, a staple of Northwestern’s film and comedy scenes, produces professional-quality sketch comedy videos from the ground up. All material is written, directed, acted, shot, edited, and promoted entirely by members of the group, and is released via the Internet, and at an annual Spring premiere.

### Northwestern University Women Filmmakers Alliance (NUWFA)
**Website:** [http://groups.northwestern.edu/nuwfa/](http://groups.northwestern.edu/nuwfa/)
**Contact:** nuwomenfilm@gmail.com
jaclynhoffmann2016@u.northwestern.edu
Strives to educate and offer opportunities to women as they create and develop their own film and video media, while offering programs which aim to inspire women to excel in the film and television arenas by creating positive role models and comfortable, creative spaces.

### NU Channel 1
**Website:** [http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nuchannelone](http://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nuchannelone)
**Contact:** join@nuch1.com
sarahhedge2016@u.northwestern.edu
Serves as the distribution hub for the Northwestern media production community and a valuable networking resource for students, faculty, and alumni alike.
### Purple Crayon Players
**Website:** [http://groups.northwestern.edu/purplecrayonplayers/index.html](http://groups.northwestern.edu/purplecrayonplayers/index.html)  
**Contact:** purplecrayonplayers@gmail.com, andrewguerra2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*Student-run theatre and community service organization that produces professionally written theatre for young audiences within its mainstage season, as well as special projects and events by, with, and for youth.*

### Rainbow Alliance
**Website:** [http://groups.northwestern.edu/rainbow/home.php](http://groups.northwestern.edu/rainbow/home.php)  
**Contact:** bowonsuh2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*Promotes awareness, understanding, and dialogue of issues surrounding gender and sexuality in the Northwestern community, and works to provide a supportive and fun social environment that creates a sense of community.*

### Spectrum Theatre Company
**Website:** [https://www.facebook.com/spectrumtheatre](https://www.facebook.com/spectrumtheatre)  
**Contact:** SpectrumTheatreCompany@gmail.com, janedickerson2017@u.northwestern.edu  
*Seeks to inspire dialogue, thought, and change through the production of theatrical events that engage with social and political ideas, and uses outreach to bring these ideas to the greater Northwestern and Chicagoland communities.*

### Speech Team
**Website:** [https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nuspeechteam](https://northwestern.collegiatelink.net/organization/nuspeechteam)  
**Contact:** nuspeechteam@gmail.com, DaraMcGreal2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*Competitive speech team that participates in all collegiate individual events and Lincoln-Douglas debate, in addition to running the annual Tournament of Champions in Extemporaneous Speaking.*

### Sit & Spin Productions
**Website:** [http://groups.northwestern.edu/sitandspin/home.html](http://groups.northwestern.edu/sitandspin/home.html)  
**Contact:** sitandspinexec@gmail.com  
*Exists to expand the definition of theatre at Northwestern University by giving artists opportunities to explore unconventional, risk-taking works and promoting new approaches to existing material, adapted or original work, and site-specific theatre.*

### Studio 22
**Website:** [http://studio22nu.com/](http://studio22nu.com/)  
**Contact:** Danielrufolo2016@u.northwestern.edu  
*An entirely student-run production company that exists to provide extracurricular filmmaking opportunities not provided in production classes. Currently funds eleven student films totaling $23,000 each year that are showcased at the end of Spring quarter.*
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<td><em>One of the top long-form college improvisers in the country and trained by professionals from Second City and Improv Olympic, each of the three or more teams performs totally improvised comedic pieces up to an hour long each.</em></td>
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<td><em>Northwestern’s only tap dance company, specializing in rhythm and syncopation; seeks to enhance the performing art community at Northwestern, as well as the greater Chicago area, through our wide range of technical capabilities, sound sense of rhythm, and signature sense of humor.</em></td>
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<td><em>Self-supporting, not-for-profit student theatre company, existing to allow students to have an opportunity to have their original scripts, and those adapted from pre-existing materials, realized into full-fledged productions.</em></td>
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<td><em>WAVE Productions is a not-for-profit student theatre company that seeks to share the stories of the past and present in order to open the door to a better future. This self-supporting group of artists puts up a four show season annually while also embracing the infinite and eternal talent of the Northwestern community with numerous special events throughout the year, both on and off campus.</em></td>
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<td><em>WNUR is Northwestern’s student-run radio station, the largest of its kind in the country, offering music, news, sports and public affairs content to the Chicago area on 89.3 FM and to the world on <a href="http://www.wnur.org">http://www.wnur.org</a>.</em></td>
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Student Resource Center and Advising: http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/advising

The Student Resource Center is the Undergraduate Dean’s Office which is located on the 5th floor of the new Music/Communication Building, 70 Arts Circle Drive, office #134. This is the office to visit when you need to obtain or submit special registration forms; call to make an appointment with your advisor; or to make an appointment to see the Undergraduate Dean. The website has contact information for your Academic Advisor as well as other student resources including forms, links to the Undergraduate Guide, yearly guidelines, external links and support services.

EPICS (Office of External programs, Internships, & Career Services): http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/epics

Housed within the School of Communication (SoC) at Northwestern University, the EPICS is here to support you with your career development throughout your time as a student. A wide range of information regarding our services is provided on our website.

- External programs: http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/epics/external_programs/visiting_artists.php
- Internships: http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/epics/internships
- Career Services: http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/epics/career_services/seminar_series.php
- Calendar: http://www.communication.northwestern.edu/epics/calendar

Northwestern University International Program Development: http://www.ipd.northwestern.edu/

The Office of International Program Development (IPD) provides coordination and support to international efforts on campus and works with all schools to promote internationalization and cross-school collaborations.

- Global Health Studies: http://www.ipd.northwestern.edu/global_health/index.html
- Study Abroad Programs with IPD: http://www.ipd.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/index.html
- Fellowships: http://www.ipd.northwestern.edu/fellowships/index.html

Study Abroad Office: http://www.northwestern.edu/studyabroad/index.html

Interested in study abroad? Study Abroad Office staff and advisers are ready to work closely with you to help you connect your academic and personal goals to an international credit-bearing experience.

- Why study abroad?
- Steps to Study Abroad: http://www.northwestern.edu/studyabroad/prospective-students/steps-to-study-abroad.html
- Choosing a Study Abroad Program: http://www.northwestern.edu/studyabroad/programs/index.html
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University Career Advancement: [http://www.northwestern.edu/careers](http://www.northwestern.edu/careers)

The mission of University Career Services is to foster excellence in career development, preparation, and professional opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students and alumni by providing comprehensive services and programming and by promoting strong partnerships with employers, academic departments, and the university community.


Student Resources: [http://www.northwestern.edu/careers/job-intern-prep/resources/index.html](http://www.northwestern.edu/careers/job-intern-prep/resources/index.html)


Career Cat: requires net id logon: [https://websso.it.northwestern.edu/amserver/UI/Login?](https://websso.it.northwestern.edu/amserver/UI/Login?)


Undergraduate Research at Northwestern: [http://undergradresearch.northwestern.edu/](http://undergradresearch.northwestern.edu/)

The Office of Undergraduate Research has three primary aims:

1. To run our grant and other programs to help students enrich their undergraduate experience.
2. To work with other Northwestern departments and units that support similar programs, seeking to streamline and coordinate communication and resources. Our search engines are an example of this type of work.
3. To help students learn about these opportunities and prepare to apply, which is the basis of this web site. This web site is designed to help you understand and identify opportunities for getting involved.