



SW 390 Communication Skills

Intensive course for distance BSW students in Summer 2024

SITE LOCATIONS: Saskatoon & Regina

Course Dates: July 2nd to August 16th, 2024 (POT 7)

Pre-reading and the course introductory meeting will be completed remotely.

The intensive two weeks in-class (August 6-9 and August 12-16) will be held on campus in Regina or Saskatoon, depending on the section in which you are enrolled. Students are required to participate in group work outside of the class times in-person. All students must be in attendance for all components of the class, including evening group work.

COURSE SCHEDULE:

PRE-READING PERIOD

Location: Your Home (Remote Learning Platform)

Tuesday, July 2nd to Monday, August 5th

Details on the specific readings to be completed during the 'pre-reading' segment of this course will be available for students on UR Courses (access starts on the 1st day of class). Please check your textbook information on UR Self-Service, and ensure to order any necessary reading materials in advance, so they arrive before July 2nd.

ZOOM INTRO MEETING ONLINE:

Location: Your Home (Remote Learning Platform)

Tuesday, July 2nd 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. (3 lecture hours)

The link for this session will be provided to course participants on UR Courses (access starts on July 2nd).

IN CLASS WEEK 1: August 6-9

Location: On Campus – Regina or Saskatoon (Depending on Enrolled Section)

Tuesday, August 6th Full Day from 8:30 – 4:00 (6.5 lecture hours)

Wednesday, August 7th Full Day from 8:30 – 4:00 (6.5 lecture hours)

Thursday, August 8th Full Day from 8:30 – 4:00 (6.5 lecture hours)

Friday, August 9th Half Day from 8:30 – 12:00 (3.5 lecture hours + group work in the afternoon)

IN CLASS WEEK 2: August 12-16

Location: On Campus – Regina or Saskatoon (Depending on Enrolled Section)

Monday, August 12th Group Work / Assignments (completed outside of class time)

Tuesday, August 13th Full Day from 8:30 – 4:00 (6.5 lecture hours)

Wednesday, August 14th Full Day from 8:30 – 4:00 (6.5 lecture hours)

Thursday, August 15th Group Work / Assignments (in-person on campus)

Friday, August 16th Group Work / Assignments (in-person on campus)

FINAL ASSIGNMENT DUE:

Wednesday, August 21st

ADDITIONAL COURSE DETAILS:

- In person attendance in SW 390 is required. Please see the course syllabus (when available in UR Courses) for details.
- Final exam or assignment will be due on **Wednesday, August 21st** (see course syllabus for details)
- During the intensive 2 weeks in class, there will be **group assignments** that you will complete with classmates, outside of class time. Therefore, as a student in this class, you are expected to be available outside of class time for group work:
 - Tuesday to Friday in Week 1; and
 - Monday to Friday in Week 2.

Course Location:

- Regina or Saskatoon, depending on the section in which you are enrolled.

Textbook:

- *TBA* - Please check UR Self-Service when Spring/Summer book lists become available. You may purchase the textbook through the U of R Bookstore found in UR Self-Service:
It is important that you ensure you have access to your reading materials by July 2nd. Your assigned readings will be available on UR Courses on the 1st day of the reading period.