

DISCIPLINE FastFacts

from Academic Analytics

2.7%

of all articles published in the discipline

In the last four years of publishing data in the Academic Analytics database, of the hundreds of journal titles in which Communication and Communication Studies scholars publish, the journal *Health Communication* occupies the top spot.

Collaborative research between faculty in Communication and Communication Studies accounts for **37.8%** of all co-authored journal publications.

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160

Disciplines

Communication and Communication Studies scholars conduct extensive collaborative research with faculty in over 160 separate disciplines.

In all, collaborative research inside and outside the discipline accounts for **78.2%** of the Communication and Communication Studies journal articles captured in the Academic Analytics database (2015-2018 inclusive).

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Collaborations with other disciplines most often involves researchers in Mass Communications where they account for **11.8%** of all co-authored journal publications. The next frequent collaborative field, Psychology accounts for **4.5%** of all **COMMUNICATION AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES** co-authored journal publications. Do you know who are the top potential collaborators in these fields that best complement your research and where they are located?

Data from the Academic Analytics database indicate that



4.9%

of COMMUNICATION AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES faculty currently receive federal funding.



56.7%



26.5%



3.7%

The top two sources of federal funding for Communication and Communication Studies are the **National Science Foundation** and the **National Institutes of Health** with **56.7%** and **26.5%** of captured funding respectively for the past five years. The **Department of Health and Human Services** appears in third place with **3.7%** of captured funding focused on health communication and marketing.

Since **Academic Analytics** uses the individual researcher as the unit of record, we can look across all faculty in a discipline to view their current rank and the years since their most advanced degree.

FULL
professor

ASSOCIATE
professor

ASSISTANT
professor

29.3
YEARS

18.9
YEARS

8.2
YEARS

Average academic ages (years since their most advanced degree) of Communication and Communication Studies scholars nationally

Percent of faculty ranks within the national discipline

35.5%

35.8%

28.8%

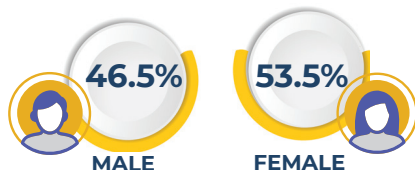
How does the distribution of faculty in your department compare to the national averages, and what are the implications for planning?

Research Insight from Academic Analytics can help answer that.

There are
2,673

individuals in the **Academic Analytics** database who are affiliated with Communication and Communication Studies departments.

Of the faculty population for whom we can infer gender



According to the data captured in the **Academic Analytics** database, **20.7%** of Communication and Communication Studies faculty have received a national honorific award. The National Communication Association provides the most honorific awards for the discipline, accounting for **36%** of all tracked awards. Of the faculty population for whom we have been able to identify gender, the distribution of awards granted by the National Communication Association is **58.4%** of awards going to male scholars and **41.6%** going to female scholars.