

Text Comparison - latest editions of Comm Theory texts

Griffin, Ledbetter & Sparks - A First Look at Comm. Theory

McGraw-Hill, 11th edition, 2023

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West & Turner (McGraw-Hill) 7th edition, 2022

Dainton & Zelle (Sage) 4th edition, 2019

Floyd, Schrodt, Erbanta & Scharp (Taylor & Francis)

2nd edition, 2022

Littlejohn, Foss & Oetzel (Waveland) 11th edition, 2017

Wood (Wadsworth) 3rd edition, 2004

Infante, Rancer, Avtgis, & MacGeorge (Kendall Hunt) 2nd 2017

Baldwin, Perry & Moffit (Pearson) 2004

Croucher (Routledge) 2015

Stacks, Salwin & Eichhorn (Routledge) 3rd edition, 2019

Austin, Orbe & Sims (Routledge) 3rd edition, 2019

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THEORIES BY CONTEXT

Interpersonal Communication: Interpersonal Messages

Symbolic Interactionism– <i>Mead</i> [5]	X			X	X	X	X						
Expectancy Violations Theory– <i>Burgoon</i> [6]	X			X	X	X	X		X				
Family Communication Patterns Theory– <i>Koerner & Fitzpatrick</i> [7]	X					X	X		X		X		
Attribution Theory– <i>Heider & Kelly</i>		X	X		X	X	X			X		X	
Linguistic Relativity– <i>Sapir & Whorf</i>		X					X		X			X	
Social Construction– <i>Shotter, Harre, others</i>		X					X						
Structural Linguistics– <i>de Saussure</i>		X					X						
Dialogic Ethics– <i>Buber</i>		X											
Phenomenology– <i>Husserl, Merleau, Ponty, Fish, Gadamer, Ricoeur</i>		X											
Responsive "I"– <i>Levinas</i>		X											
Constructivism– <i>Delia</i>			X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	
Coordinated Management of Meaning– <i>Pearce & Cronen</i>			X	X		X	X	X	X				
Information Theory– <i>Shannon & Weaver</i>			X					X	X	X			
Interpersonal Deception Theory– <i>Buller & Burgoon</i>			X				X		X			X	
Action Assembly Theory– <i>Greene</i>			X				X						X
Hierarchy of Needs– <i>Maslow</i>			X						X			X	
General Semantics– <i>Korzybski</i>			X					X					
Meaning of Meaning– <i>Richards</i>			X					X					
Mediational Theory of Meaning– <i>Osgood</i>			X										
Goals-Plans-Action Model– <i>Dillard</i>						X	X		X		X		
Interaction Adaptation Theory– <i>Burgoon</i>							X		X			X	
Message Design Logic– <i>O'Keefe</i>				X	X	X							
Cognitive Valence Theory– <i>Anderson</i>									X				X
Cultural Contacts Theory– <i>Jackson & Bell</i>							X						X
Presentation of Self– <i>Goffman</i>							X	X					
Speech-Act Theory– <i>Searle, Morris, Wittgenstein</i>							X			X			
Theory of Distanciation– <i>Ricoeur</i>							X						X
Coherentist Theory of Meaning– <i>Ellis</i>							X						
Collective Memorializing– <i>Foss, Smith & Hume</i>							X						
Conversational Analysis– <i>Jackson & Jacobs/Mandelbaum</i>							X						
Conversational Maxims– <i>Grice</i>							X						
Elaborate and Restricted Codes– <i>Bernstein</i>							X						
Ethnic Communication Theory– <i>Onuzulike</i>													X
Kinesics– <i>Birdwhistell</i>							X						
Nonverbal Immediacy Theory– <i>Anderson</i>									X				

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Interpersonal Communication: <i>Interpersonal Messages</i> (continued)										
Problematic Integration Theory– <i>Babrow</i>							X			
Reader Response– <i>Fish</i>							X			
Rhetorical Sensitivity– <i>Hart</i>								X		
Schema Theory– <i>Kellerman, Wicks, Axelrod, Graber</i>									X	
SMCR Model– <i>Berlo</i>								X		
Theory of Communication Competence– <i>Spitzberg & Cupach</i>						X				
Theory of Symbols– <i>Langer, Pierce, Morris</i>							X			
Theory-Heuristic-Systematic Model– <i>Chaiken</i>					X					
Undocumented Critical Theory– <i>Agular & Juarez</i>										X

Interpersonal Communication: <i>Relationship Development</i>										
Social Penetration Theory– <i>Altman & Taylor</i> [8]	X			X	X	X	X		X	X
Uncertainty Reduction Theory– <i>Berger</i> [9]	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Social Information Processing Theory– <i>Walther</i> [10]	X			X				X		
Existential Theory– <i>Rogers</i>		X	X							
Reclaiming Conversation– <i>Turkle</i>		X								
FIRO Theory– <i>Schutz</i>			X				X			
Communibiological Perspective– <i>McCroskey</i>						X		X		
Uncertainty Management Theory– <i>Brashers</i>					X			X		
Predicted Outcome Value Theory– <i>Sunnafrank</i>								X		
Reinforcement Theory– <i>Byrne</i>								X		

Interpersonal Communication: <i>Relationship Maintenance</i>										
Relational Dialectics Theory– <i>Baxter & Bakhtin</i> [11]	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Communication Privacy Management Theory– <i>Petronio</i> [12]	X			X	X	X	X	X		
Media Multiplexity Theory– <i>Hawthorneaite</i> [13]	X					X				
Social Exchange Theory– <i>Thibaut & Kelley</i>		X	X	X	X	X	X			
Dialogics– <i>Bakhtin</i>		X				X				
Relational Turbulence Theory– <i>Knobloch</i>		X						X		
Ethical Egoism– <i>Epicurus</i>		X								
Principle of Veracity– <i>Bok</i>		X								
The Interactional View– <i>Watzlawick/Palo Alto Group</i>			X		X	X	X			
Politeness Theory– <i>Brown & Levinson</i>					x		x		X	x
Relational Control– <i>Rogers & Farace</i>								X	X	
Trait Theory– <i>Infante & Rancer</i>							X		X	
Emotional Intelligence– <i>Salovey & Mayer</i>					X					
Ethnic-Racial Socialization & Communication– <i>Minnier</i>										X
Hermeneutics– <i>Ricoeur</i>							X			
Identity Management Theory– <i>Imahori & Cupach</i>							X			
Relationship Dissolution– <i>Knapp</i>									X	
Relational Prayer Theory– <i>Baesler</i>							X			
Social Network Theory– <i>Liu</i>										X
Strong Black Women Collective– <i>Davis & Jones</i>										X
Theory of Deferential Adaptation– <i>De La Garza</i>										X
Theory of Interpersonal Communication Motives– <i>Rubin</i>								X		
Truth Default Theory– <i>Levine</i>								X		

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Group and Organization Communication: <i>Group Communication</i>												
Functional Persp. on Group Decision Making– <i>Hirokawa & Gouran</i> [20]	X				X	X	X		X	X	X	
Symbolic Convergence Theory– <i>Bormann</i> [21]	X				X	X	X		X		X	
Groupthink– <i>Janis</i>		X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	
Bona Fide Group Theory– <i>Putnam & Stohl</i>		X					X					
Reflective Thinking– <i>Dewey</i>		X					X					
Adaptive Structuration Theory– <i>Poole</i>			X	X	X	X	X			X	X	
Interact System Model of Decision Emergence– <i>Fisher</i>			X									
Organizational Assimilation– <i>Jablin</i>					X				X		X	
Text and Conversation– <i>Taylor</i>						X	X					
Convergence Theory– <i>Kincaide</i>							X					
Group Development Theory– <i>Tuckman</i>										X		
Input-Process-Output Model– <i>Collins & Guetzkow</i>							X					
Interactive Process Analysis Theory– <i>Bales</i>							X					
Organizational Dissent– <i>Kassing & Croucher</i>											X	
Psychological Reactance Theory– <i>Brehm</i>							X					
Simplified Model of Social Influence Process– <i>Pavitt</i>							X					
Social Support Theory– <i>Goldsmith & Albrecht</i>							X					
Socio-Egocentric and Group-Egocentric Model– <i>Hewitt et al</i>							X					
Transactive Model– <i>Wegner, Hollinshead & Grandon</i>							X					
Vigilant Interaction Theory– <i>Hirokawa</i>							X					

Group and Organization Communication: <i>Organizational Communication</i>												
Cultural Approach to Organizations– <i>Geertz & Pacanowsky</i> [22]	X			X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Communicative Constitution of Organizations– <i>McPhee</i> [23]	X						X					
Critical Theory of Communication in Organizations– <i>Deetz</i> [24]	X					X	X					
Information Systems Approach to Organizations– <i>Weick</i>		X	X	X	X	X	X		X			
Classical Management Philosophy– <i>Weber, & Taylor</i>		X					X		X	X		
Organizational Identity and Control– <i>Cheney, Thompkis, Barker</i>					X	X					X	
Bilingual Health Communication Model– <i>Hsieh</i>												X
Collapse Theory of Corporate Image– <i>Moffit</i>							X					
Concertive Control Theory– <i>Barker, Thompkins & Cheney</i>							X					
Corporate Social Responsibility Communcation– <i>Tench, Jones & Son</i>							X					
Critical Theory of Corporate Image– <i>Moffit</i>										X		
Culture-Centered Community Health – <i>Dutta</i>												X
Effective Management Theory– <i>Fayol</i>									X			
Feminine Resistance– <i>Tretheway</i>							X					
Four-Faceted Model ... Leader Identity– <i>Sims</i>												X
Fully Functional Society Theory– <i>Heath</i>							X					
Human Relations Approach– <i>Likert</i>									X			
Managerial Grid– <i>Blake & Mouton</i>									X			
Motivation-hygiene Theory– <i>Herzberg</i>										X		
Multiple Sequence Model– <i>Poole</i>												
Network Theory– <i>Contractor & Monge</i>									X			
Post Structuralism– <i>Foucault</i>							X					
Situational Crisis Communication Theory– <i>Timothy & Coombs</i>							X					
Situational Leadership– <i>Hersey & Blanchard</i>									X			

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Group and Organization Communications: <i>Organizational Communication</i> (continued)										
Theory of Bureaucracy– <i>Weber</i>							X			
Theory of Independent-Mindedness– <i>Infante</i>								X		
Theory of Normative Social Behavior– <i>Albrecht</i>							X			
Theory X-Theory Y– <i>McGregor</i>									X	

Cultural Context: <i>Intercultural Communication</i>											
Communication Accommodation Theory– <i>Giles</i> [25]	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Face-Negotiation Theory– <i>Ting-Toomey</i> [26]	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	
Co-Cultural Theory– <i>Orbe</i> [27]	X			X		X					
Afrocentricity– <i>Asante</i> [28]	X										
Cultural Dimensions– <i>Hofstede</i>		X			X				X	X	
Proxemic Theory– <i>Hall</i>		X	X				X			X	X
Black Feminist Thought– <i>Collins / Goins & Austin</i>		X									X
High- and Low-Context Cultures– <i>Hall</i>		X							X		
Dominant Group Theory– <i>Orbe & Razzante</i>		X									
Anxiety-Uncertainty Management Theory– <i>Gudykunst</i>			X		X		X		X	X	X
Speech Codes Theory– <i>Philipsen</i>			X			X					
Cross-Cultural Adaptation– <i>Kim</i>							X		X	X	
Communication Theory of Identify– <i>Hecht</i>							X				
Cultural Identity Theory– <i>Collier</i>							X				
Culture-Centered Approach to Health							X				
Development Model of Intercultural Sensitivity– <i>Bennet</i>							X				
Differential Adaptation– <i>De La Garaza & Ono</i>							X				
Effective Intercultural Workgroup Theory– <i>Oetzel</i>							X				
Embodiment Communicology– <i>Catt</i>							X				
Ethnography of Communication– <i>Hymes</i>							X				
Hermeneutics– <i>Gadamer</i>							X				
Identity Negotiation Theory– <i>Ting-Toomey</i>							X				
Language Centered Perspective– <i>Johagoo</i>							X				
Participatory Development– <i>Rogers</i>							X				
Performance Ethnography– <i>Conquergood / Turner</i>							X				
Postcolonialism– <i>Said et al</i>							X				
Transcendent Development Communication– <i>Waisbord et al</i>							X				
Whiteness Theory– <i>Nakayama & Krizek</i>							X				

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Mass Communication: Media Effects													
Uses and Gratifications–Katz [35]	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Cultivation Theory–Gerbner [36]	X			X	X		X	X	X	X		X	
Agenda-Setting Theory–McCombs & Shaw [37]	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	
Social Learning Theory-Social Cognition Theory–Bandura		X	X		X					X	X		
Two-Step Flow of Communication–Katz & Lazarsfeld		X					X		X	X			
Media Effects Tradition–Bauer, Lazarsfeld & Klapper		X							X				
Communitarian / Civic Journalism–Christians		X											
Excitation Transfer Theory–Zillmann		X											
Resonance Principle of Persuasion–Schwartz		X											
Social Identity Theory–Tajfel with Turner		X											
Spiral of Silence–Noelle-Neumann			X	X			X		X	X	X	X	
The Media Equation–Reeves & Nass			X				X						
Magic Bullet-Hypodermic Needle–Laswel and others							X		X			X	
Media Systems Dependency Theory–Ball-Rokeach & DeFleur							X		X	X			
Argumentative Skill Deficiency Model–Infante & Rancer							X		X				
Media Richness Theory–Daft & Lengel						X			X				
Channel Complementarity–Mohan & Dutta-Bergman							X						
Critical Media Effects–Ramasubramanian													X
Development Communication–Rogers							X						
Dynamic Motivation Theory–Wang							X						
Entertainment Overcoming Resistance–Sinhal							X						
Limited Effects Model–Klapper							X						
Social Action Media Studies–Anderson & Schoening							X						
Social Action Theory–Anderson & Schoening							X						
Social Network Analysis–Monge & Contractor					X								
Transportation Theory–Gitlin, Green & Black							X						