A new, one-credit course consisting of 3-4 week units, each focused on a communication disorder (hearing loss, aphasia, developmental language disorder (DLD), reading disorder, and autism spectrum disorder). Within a unit, we will invite research experts to present on their own work, providing sufficient background to understand the fundamental challenges and open research questions for the disorder. Expert clinicians will then present on the challenges of assessment and intervention for that disorder. Finally, individuals and families with personal experience of the disorder will be invited to discuss their lived experience with trainees. Each unit will culminate in a social event to which we will invite these researchers, clinicians, and community members.