Communications (COMM) B.A./B.S.

Degree Requirements

Total Academic Credits:120Minimum GPA2.0Core Requirements:36 Core + 38 Non-Communication

Concentration – Broadcast Journalism

Curriculum Notes

This sample plan assumes no Advanced Placement or Transfer Credits and Math Placement into MATH 141. Students must complete a credit-bearing English and Mathematics course in the first year of study.

This sample plan is provided as a guide only. Students must meet with Academic and Faculty Advisors each semester for final approval of courses. The Academic Department makes all final decisions on course requirements for degree completion.

| Year One | | | |
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| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| ENGL 101 Expository Writing | 3 | ENGL102 Argument & Research | 3 |
| MATH 127 Intro to Math Ideas | 3 | COMM 103 - Public Relations | 3 |
| FRSE 101 Freshman Seminar | 3 | HEED 102 Life and Health | 3 |
| COMM 101 Communications | 3 | Arts & Humanities Elective | 3 |
| Social Science Elective | 3 | HIST 114/115 African Amer History | 3 |
| Total | 15 | Total | |
| Year Two | | | |
| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| General Education Elective I | 3 | COMM 248 - Intro to Broadcast New | 3 |
| COMM 240 - Intro to Mass Comm | 3 | Science Elective II | 3 |
| Science Elective I | 4 | General Education Elective II | 3 |
| Arts and Humanities Elective | 3 | General Education Elective III | 4 |
| Technology Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Total | 16 | Total | 15 |
| Year Three | | | |
| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| COMM 331 - Digital TV Media Prod | 3 | COMM 421 - Broadcast Program | 3 |
| COMM 341 - Media Ethics | 3 | COMM 423 - Com Law, Policy, & Ad | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Total | 15 | Total | 15 |

| Year Four | | | |
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| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| COMM 425 - Digital Radio Prod | 3 | COMM 438 - Internship & Seminar | 3 |
| COMM 426 or 428 or 429 | 3 | COMM 497 - Metro Lab News | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non-Communication Elective | 3 |
| Non-Communication Elective | 3 | Non Communication Elective | 3 |
| Total | 15 | Total | 15 |