

COMMUNICATION MAJOR MAP

BULLETIN YEAR: 2021-2022

Degree options: BA, BAA, BS

*The major map provides general direction and illustrates **one** path to completing your major. It is expected students will regularly discuss their plans of study with academic advisors and monitor the current class schedules to ensure all requirements for graduation have been met.*

FIRST YEAR

Course	Cr. Hrs.		Course	Cr. Hrs.
Semester: Fall Total Major Credit Hours: 4			Semester: Spring Total Major Credit Hours: 6	
COM 100	1		COM 353	3
COM 357 (fulfills Oral ENG comp)	3		COM 361	3
Time-sensitive competency (rec: MTH) *	3		Time-sensitive competency *	
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SOPHOMORE YEAR

Course	Cr. Hrs.		Course	Cr. Hrs.
Semester: Fall Total Major Credit Hours: 6			Semester: Spring Total Major Credit Hours: 4	
COM 251 ϕ	3		COM 301WI ϕ (pre-req: COM 251 w/ C or better)	3
COM Elective	3			
Time-sensitive competency *	3			

JUNIOR YEAR

Course	Cr. Hrs.		Course	Cr. Hrs.
Semester: Fall Total Major Credit Hours: 6			Semester: Spring Total Major Credit Hours: 6	
COM Elective	3		COM Elective	3
COM 400/500-level Elective	3		COM 400/500-level Elective	3

SENIOR YEAR

Course	Cr. Hrs.		Course	Cr. Hrs.
Semester: Fall Total Major Credit Hours: 6			Semester: Spring Total Major Credit Hours: 3	
COM 500-level Elective	3		COM 401 ϕ (Pre-reqs: COM 251 and 301 with a C or better + COM 353, 357, 361 + 9 cr of electives + senior status)	3
COM 400/500-level Elective	3			

120 hours minimum required for graduation

40 hours 300 level or above required

Major-related notes:

- At least 2 electives must be taken at 400 or 500-level AND 1 elective at 500-level.
- ϕ = Must earn a C or better
- COM 301 is a pre-requisite for almost all 400 or 500-level courses.
- Students can frequently select 2 minors or do a double major.

General Education-related notes:

- * ENG 1, ENG 201, Oral English, Math, and 6 cr of WI **MUST** be done before earning 56 cr. QR, the remaining 6 cr of WI, and UP courses must be completed before graduation. NOTE: requirements may vary by year or status (ex: transfer). Please consult your bulletin or with an academic advisor for specific guidelines.
- Students completing the University Program (UP) via Course-by-Course must complete 12 cr of Writing Intensive coursework. Six (6) of those cr **MUST** be done in the UP **and MUST** complete 6 cr of WI before 56 credits. Students completing the University Program via Transfer Block or MTA must complete 6 cr before graduation.