# Communication Degree Outline Spring 2022

## University Graduation Requirements

- 120 Total Units
- 42 Upper Division Units (300-499)
- 2.0 Major, Minor, and Cumulative GPA

## Theory Enrollment Policy

- Admission to the Major
- Passing grade in COMM 300
- 2.5 GPA between 101 and 228 with no less than a C in each and no more than two attempts of each class (a W does not count as an attempt)

## Theory Courses

- COMM 301*: Survey of Mass COMM
- COMM 309: Intro to Media Effects
- COMM 311*: COMM Technology Theory
- COMM 318*: Persuasion
- COMM 325*: Argumentation
- COMM 339: Media COMM & Race
- COMM 369A: Health COMM
- COMM 401: Life Span COMM
- COMM 402*: COMM and Music
- COMM 403: Theory of Small Group COMM
- COMM 404: COMM and Leadership
- COMM 405: Mass COMM & Children
- COMM 406: Violence in Mass Media and Society
- COMM 407: Family COMM
- COMM 411*: COMM & Conflict Management
- COMM 413: COMM and Gender
- COMM 415: Theory of Nonverbal COMM COMM
- COMM 417A: Relational COMM
- COMM 422: Presidential Leadership & COMM
- COMM 424: Media & Politics in America
- COMM 426: Public Opinion and COMM
- COMM 450: COMM & Cognition
- COMM 451: COMM & Emotion
- COMM 469: Media & Health
- COMM 496Z: Topics in COMM

## Core Courses

**Required:**
- COMM 101: Intro to the Study of COMM
  - Prerequisites: None
  - Must pass with at least a C
- COMM 228: Intro to Research Methods
  - Prerequisites:
    - Admission to the major COMM 101 with at least a C
    - Recommended: SBS 200 prior
- COMM 300: Intro to COMM Theory
  - Prerequisites:
    - Admission to the major COMM 101 with at least a C

## Skills Courses

**Prerequisites: Admission to the major**
- COMM 113: Intro to Small Group COMM
- COMM 114: Intro to Interpersonal COMM
- COMM 117: Culture and Communication
- COMM 119: Public Speaking
- COMM 201: Introduction to Public Relations
- COMM 209: Intro to COMM Technology
- COMM 310: Intro to Organizational COMM
- COMM 312: Applied Organizational COMM
- COMM 314: Creative Professional COMM
- COMM 319+: Advanced Public Speaking
- COMM 325: Argumentation
- COMM 411: COMM & Conflict Management

## Electives

**Prerequisites: Admission to the major**

*Any COMM Skills Course*

*Any COMM Theory Course (if eligible)*

**Any COMM Elective**

**Any COMM Legal**

## Foundations and General Education Requirements

### Foundations

- **Composition: Complete one group**
  - English 101 and English 102
  - OR
  - English 107 and English 108
  - OR
  - English 109H with a grade of C or higher.

- **MCWA: Complete one group**
  - B or higher in ENGL 102/108/109H
  - OR
  - C or higher in COMM 300

- **Math:** Complete both.
  - Math 107/109C/TT2 or 88+ on PCAL SBS 200: Intro to Statistics for Social Sciences; OR Approved Statistics

- **Second Language:** 4th Semester Proficiency
  - C or higher required in 4th semester second language

### Exploring Perspectives

- **UNIV 101:** Intro to the Gen Ed Experience
  - Artist: THREE UNITS
  - Humanist: THREE UNITS
  - Natural Scientist: THREE UNITS
  - Social Scientist: THREE UNITS

**UNIV 101:** is an introduction course to general education, not a college success course or an intro to the college/discipline/field.

### Building Connections

- **UNIV 303:** Gen Ed Portfolio

- **UNIV 303:** Can be taken once students complete their foundations MATH & English, and are completed/in-progress with at least 5 of their 7 Gen Ed courses.

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This is a planning tool **ONLY**. Please review your advisement report and work with your advisor to determine progress toward graduation.