

# Communication Degree Outline 2012-Current Catalog

**COMM Course Checklist**

- 33 Units of COMM coursework
- At least 18 Units of Upper Division (300-499) COMM coursework
- At least 18 Units of COMM coursework taken in residence
- 2.0 or higher GPA in COMM coursework

COMM 101 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

COMM 228 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

COMM 300 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

COMM Skills \_\_\_\_\_

COMM Elective \_\_\_\_\_

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COMM Theory \_\_\_\_\_

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**MINOR**

All Communication students are required to complete a minor or a second major.

18 or more units, 9 or more upper division units  
Must earn a 2.0 GPA or higher to graduate.  
Minor Directory:

<http://advising.arizona.edu/advisors/minor>

**University Graduation Requirements**

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

**Core Courses (All 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 (Choose 1)**

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 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

**Electives (Choose 2)**

Prerequisites: Admission to the major

**Any COMM Skills Course**  
**Any COMM Theory Course (if eligible)**  
COMM 410 Struggle for the Presidency  
COMM 420 COMM and the Legal Process

**Theory Courses (Choose 5)**

**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 count as an attempt)

**101 (B) + 228 (C) or 101 (C) + 228 (B)**

COMM 301\* Survey of Mass COMM  
COMM 309 Intro to Mass Media Effects  
COMM 311\* COMM Technology Theory  
COMM 313\* > COMM & Public Relations  
COMM 318 Persuasion  
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 409 Theory of Mass COMM  
COMM 411 COMM & Conflict Management  
COMM 413 COMM and Gender  
COMM 415 Theory of Nonverbal COMM  
COMM 417A Relational COMM  
COMM 419 Mass Media Policy & Regulation  
COMM 422 Presidential Leadership & COMM  
COMM 424 Media & Politics in America  
COMM 426 Public Opinion and COMM  
COMM 428 COMM Research Methods  
COMM 450 COMM & Cognition  
COMM 451 COMM & Emotion  
COMM 469 Advances in Health COMM  
COMM 496Z Topics in COMM

\*Exception to the theory prerequisites

+COMM 319: Advanced Public Speaking requires COMM 119: Public Speaking as a prerequisite

>COMM 313: COMM and Public Relations can be used as Theory OR Skills

## Foundations and General Education Requirements

Foundations	Tier One	Tier Two
<p><b>Composition:</b> Complete <u>one</u> group</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> English 101 and <input type="checkbox"/> English 102 OR</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> English 107 and <input type="checkbox"/> English 108 OR</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> English 109H with a grade of C or higher.</p> <p><b>MCWA:</b> Complete <u>one</u> group</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> B or higher in ENGL 102/108/109H OR</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> C or higher in COMM 300</p> <p><b>Math:</b> Complete <u>both</u>.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Math 107/109C/112 or 88+ on PCAL <input type="checkbox"/> SBS 200: Intro to Statistics for Social Sciences; OR Approved Statistics</p> <p><b>Second Language:</b> 4<sup>th</sup> Semester Proficiency</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p><b>Individuals and Societies (150):</b> Take <u>TWO</u> courses</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 150 _____ <input type="checkbox"/> 150 _____</p> <p><b>Natural Sciences (170):</b> Take <u>TWO</u> courses</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 170 _____ <input type="checkbox"/> 170 _____</p> <p><b>Traditions and Cultures (160):</b> Take <u>TWO</u> courses</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 160 _____ <input type="checkbox"/> 160 _____</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals and Societies: <i>Satisfied by Major Coursework.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Arts:</b> THREE UNITS</p> <hr/> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Humanities:</b> <u>ONE</u> course.</p> <hr/> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Natural Science:</b> <u>ONE</u> course</p> <hr/> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Diversity Emphasis:</b> <u>ONE</u> course</p> <p><i>All 160A Traditions and Cultures courses and some Tier 2 courses also fulfill the Diversity Emphasis requirement.</i></p> <p><b>Upper Division (300-499) Tier Two courses highly recommended</b> as 42 UD units are required for graduation.</p>

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