

## **Department of Communication**

## COLLEGE OF INFORMATICS COMPUTATION = INFORMATION = COMMUNICATION

**Bachelor of Arts in: Communication Studies** 

For Students Following the: 2013-2014 catalog 2014-2015 catalog 2015-2016 catalog

Name:	
Student ID:	
Catalog Year:	

	REQUIRED FOUNDATION OF KNOWLEDGE COURSE (3 Hours)						
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade		
CMST 101	Public Speaking		3				
OR							
CMST110	Intro to Communication Studies		3				

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CORE COURSES (24 Hours)						
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade	
CMST220	Interpersonal Communication		3			
CMST230	Small Group Communication	1 –	3			
CMST300	Research Methods in Comm Studies		3			
CMST303	Organizational Communication		3			
CMST 310	Argumentation	CMST101 or CMST110	3			
OR CMST 340 OR	Strategies of Persuasion		3			
CMST410	Rhetorical Theories		3			
CMST355	Cross-Cultural Communication		3			
CMST370	Advanced Public Speaking		3			
CMST430	Communication Theories		3			

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	ELECTIVE COURSES (9 Hours)						
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade		
CMST elective			3				
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CMST, EMB, JOU, MIN, PRE, POP, or COM elective			3				

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	PROFESSIONAL SKILLS (6 Hours) - Choose Two					
	Courses are designed to provide students with additional writing and technology proficiencies					
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade	
ENG 340	Business Writing	ENG 291	3			
ENG 347	Technical Writing	ENG 291	3			

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ENG 349	Web Writing for the Professions	ENG 291	3		
JOU 220	News Writing	ENG 101	3		
JOU 321	Digital Publishing	JOU 110 or EMB 100	3		
INF 101 / BIS 101	Computer Literacy & Informatics		3		
NF 186	Media Web Coding	INF 101 or INF 110 or INF 120 or CIT 130 or EMB 140	3		
MIN 221	Visual Fundamentals for Digital Media	INF 186 or INF 286 (pre req or co req)	3		
MIN 240	Intro to Interactive Media	EMB 140 or INF 186 (pre req or co req)	3		

Students must earn a grade of C or better or a 2.5+ GPA in all courses that apply to the major. Please consult with your advisor and the appropriate University Course Catalog for all other degree requirements.

## ALSO:

Students are strongly encouraged to enroll in CMST396: Internship.

CMST101 and CMST110 do not count as elective credit for the CMST major.

Students may not use electives or professional skills courses to complete requirements for Foundations of Knowledge, minor, area of concentration, or second major. Other courses may be substituted with advisor approval.

INF 101 / BIS 101 is only recommended for students with little to no computer experience.