

Suggested Four-Year Plan of Study

COMMUNICATIONS MEDIA



Film and Video

FRESHMAN YEAR

Fall Semester	15 Credits
COMM 1105	Introduction to Communication & Media Studies OR
COMM 1120	Message Design(3)
SOC 1100	Introduction to Sociology.....(3)
ENGL 1100	Writing I.....(3)
MATH xxxx	MATH ≥ 1100 level(3)
	LA&S Elective(3)

Spring Semester	15 Credits
COMM 1105	Introduction to Communication & Media Studies OR
COMM 1120	Message Design(3)
COMM 3505	Introduction to Film & Video(3)
BIOL 1000 OR LAB	Introduction to Life Science OR LAB course(3)
ENGL 1200	Writing II.....(3)
	LA&S Elective(3)

JUNIOR YEAR

Fall Semester	18 Credits
COMM 3xxx	Film/Video Specialized Elective*(3)
COMM 4xxx	Phase IV Elective OR Jr. Writing Requirement(3)
	Advanced LA&S Elective.....(3)
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	Free Elective(3)
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Spring Semester	15 Credits
COMM 3895	Advanced Documentary Production OR
COMM 3720	Advanced Cinema Production.....(3)
COMM 4xxx	Phase IV Elective OR Jr. Writing Requirement(3)
	Advanced LA&S Elective.....(3)
	Advanced LA&S Elective.....(3)
	Free Elective(3)

*Audio Production, Lighting, Cinematography, Post-Production, Sound Design, Short Film Story Development, Producing, or Directing for Film & Video.

LA&S Elective List

- 1 AOM attribute (Art or Music)
- 1 ART attribute (the Arts)
- 1 CTW attribute (Citizenship & The World)
- 1 LIT attribute (Literature)
- 3 credits HAF attribute (Health/Fitness)
- 1 HIST subject (History)
- 1 SMT attribute (Sci, Math, & Tech)

Advanced LA&S Options Area

Review the three options with your advisor and submit your decision to the Registrar's Office by completion of 60 credits.

Global Diversity Area

Two courses taken must meet the Global Diversity requirement: GDAN course + (GDC or GDCN course) **OR** GDCN course + (GDA or GDAN course). These courses are allowed to satisfy this requirement and another requirement at the same time.

Completion of 54 credits of Communication Media courses and a total of 120 credits required for graduation.

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SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester	15 Credits
COMM xxxx	Pre-Production Planning for Film and Video.....(3)
COMM 1xxx	Phase III Elective(3)
COMM 2xxx	Media History Requirement(3)
	LA&S Elective(3)
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Spring Semester	15 Credits
COMM 3710	Intermediate Film Production OR
COMM 3520	Intermediate Digital Cinema OR
COMM 3521	Intermediate Documentary Production(3)
COMM 2xxx	Phase III Elective(3)
	LA&S Elective(3)
	LA&S Elective(3)
	Free Elective(3)

SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester	15 Credits
COMM xxxx	Phase III Elective(3)
COMM xxxx	Phase III Elective(3)
COMM xxxx	Phase IV Elective(3)
	Free Elective(3)
	Free Elective(3)

Spring Semester	12 Credits
COMM 4880	Internship (12)

Students should take one 18-credit semester in the first 3½ years as senior spring semester Internship is only 12 credits. An example of an 18-credit semester is shown above in the fall semester, sophomore year.