

**COMMUNICATION STUDIES MAJOR ADVISING CHECKLIST (38 Total Credits)**

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**REQUIRED COURSES: 23 credits (At least one section of all major courses is offered every semester).**

Course #	Credits	Course Name	Prerequisites (P) Corequisites (C)	Semester	Notes
COMM 104	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 P/F	Introduction to Communication Studies	None		
COMM 214*	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication	None		*Course numbered as COMM 213 if taken as a QUEST 1.
COMM 219	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Introduction to Rhetoric and Public Advocacy	104 (P or C)		
COMM 280	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Introduction to Organizational Communication	None		
COMM 302	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Theories of Human Communication	P = 104 and <u>one</u> of the following: 214, 219, 280		
COMM 375	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Argumentation Analysis	P = 104 <u>and</u> 111 or 112 <u>and</u> 219		
COMM 368	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Research Methods in Communication Studies	P = 104 and <u>two</u> of the following: 214, 219, 280		
COMM 498	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Capstone in Communication Studies	P = Senior standing, 214, 219, 280, 368; P or C = 302, 375		
COMM 439	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 P/F	Communication Career Capstone	P = Senior Standing, 214, 219, 280, <u>and</u> 9 additional credits		
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>23</b>				

**ELECTIVE COURSES: 15 credits (a minimum of 9 of the 15 must be upper level credits 300/400 level in Communication Studies).**

Notes: Elective courses are typically not taught every semester. Many are offered once a year while others are offered every other year. Please consult the current two-year projected schedule of classes on the website to determine the projected upcoming elective offerings.

For electives, you may choose to be a Generalist or you may focus on a Communication Studies Area– Interpersonal Communication, Rhetoric and Public Advocacy or Organizational Communication. To focus on a communication studies area, you must take 3 courses (9 credits) in that area.

**Interpersonal Communication**

Course #	Credits	Course Title	Prerequisites (P) Corequisites (C)	Semester	Notes
COMM 312	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Effective Listening	P = 104		
COMM 318	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Intercultural Communication	P = 104, P or C = 213 OR 214		
COMM 325	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Nonverbal Communication	P = 104 and 213 OR 214 ; P or C = 368		
COMM 326	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Conflict and Communication	P = 104, P or C = 213 OR 214		
COMM 386	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Ethnography of Communication	P = 104 and 213 OR 214; P or C = 368		Cross-listed
COMM 448	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Family Communication	P = 104 and 213 OR 214; P or C = 368		
COMM 478	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Special Topics in Interpersonal Communication	P = 104 and 213 OR 214; P or C = 368		

**Organizational Communication**

Course #	Credits	Course Title	Prerequisites (P) Corequisites (C)	Semester	Notes
COMM 304**	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Business and Professional Speaking**	P = 111 or 112		**Only COMM 114, 303 or 304 can count towards major.
COMM 413	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Communication in Non-Profit Organizations	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		
COMM 414	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Training and Development	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		
COMM 415	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Organizational Rhetoric	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		
COMM 416	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Managerial Communication	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		
COMM 418	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Applied Project in Org. Communication	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		
COMM 477	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Special Topics in Organizational Communication	P = 104 and 280, P or C = 368		

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**Rhetoric and Public Advocacy**

<i>Course #</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course Title</i>	<i>Prerequisites (P) Corequisites (C)</i>	<i>Semester</i>	<i>Notes</i>
COMM 303**	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Advanced Public Speaking	P = 111 or 112		**Only COMM 114, 303 or 304 can count towards major.
COMM 316	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Gender and Discourse	P = 104, P or C = 219		Cross-listed
COMM 337	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Foundations of Communication Studies	P = 104, P or C = 219		
COMM 338	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Free Speech	P = 104, P or C = 219		
COMM 388	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Rhetoric in Action	P = 104 and 219		
COMM 403	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Visual Communication	P=104 and 219, P or C = 368		
COMM 422	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Hist. of Public Address	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		
COMM 427	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Rhetorical Criticism	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		Cross-listed
COMM 428	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Rhetoric of Rock Music	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		
COMM 445	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	African American Civil Rights Rhetoric	P = 104 and 219; P or C = 368		Cross-Listed
COMM 450	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Rhetoric of Women's Mvmt 1776-1920	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		Cross-listed
COMM 451	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Feminist Rhetoric's and Social Change	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		Cross-listed
COMM 455	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Environmental Communication	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		Cross-listed
COMM 476	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Special Topics in Rhetoric and Public Advocacy	P = 104 and 219, P or C = 368		

**Additional Communication Studies electives. These electives can count as electives in any option.** Effective Fall 2016 - *A maximum of 6 elective credits toward the major can be counted from the following: Communication 405 (Study Abroad), Communication 411 (Forensics Participation), Communication 446 (Independent Study), Communication 474 (Honors Thesis) and IS 399 (Internship).*

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COMM 114**	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Intro to Business & Professional Speaking			**Only COMM 114, 303 or 304 can count towards major.
COMM 218	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Popular Culture and Communication			
COMM 291	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Selected Topics in Communication	P= Instructor Consent		
COMM 323	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Inside-Out Prison Exchange	P = Instructor Consent		Cross-listed
COMM 319	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Persuasion	P = 104 and <u>one</u> of the following: 214, 219, 280		
IS 399	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-3	Internship for credits	P = Instructor Consent		* Up to 3 credits of internship may be counted toward the major.
COMM 405	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Study Abroad	P = Instructor Consent		
COMM 444	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Directing High School Speech Activities	P = 111 or Instructor Consent		

**Additional Comments/Modifications Required:**

Advisor:  Date:

I have reviewed and understand the plan of study set forth by my advisor. If I am not able to complete the plan as outlined I understand I am responsible for contacting and consulting with my advisor or the chair of the department on other options. I understand that failure to do so could result in delay or change in future semesters and/or graduation.

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