



SAMPLE FOUR YEAR PLAN BA IN COMMUNICATION - JOURNALISM

Study Abroad Option

The curriculum in our degree program is structured so that students move through classes in a prescribed order. Prerequisites are important and are strongly enforced. This is a sample plan for completing this degree in eight semesters, including one semester abroad. Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes. Meet with your advisor as soon as you can to discuss a plan of action that works best for you.

FIRST YEAR					
Fall			Spring		
		Credits			Credits
CC 1.1	ENGL 1112/3 Sem Acad Inquiry♦	3	CC 7.1	The Individual and Society	3
CC 2.1	COMM 1130 Communication	3	MR	JRNL 2201 Basic News Writing♦	3
MR	COMM 1101 Understanding Media	3	MR	COMM 1102 Writing for Media	3
MR	COMM 1114 Production Fundamentals	3	CC 4.1	Scientific Exploration	4
CC 5.1	UNIV 1141 Acad Res/Proj Mgmt	3	CC 6.1	Historical Perspectives	3
	Total Credits this semester	15		Total Credits this semester	16

SECOND YEAR					
Fall			Spring		
		Credits		STUDY ABROAD	Credits
MR	JRNL 2202 Advanced News Writing ♦(W)	3	MR	COMM 3302 Soc Impact Media♦	3
	Elective	3	CC 3.1	Mathematical Literacy♦	3
CC 8.1	Global&Intercultural Awareness	3		Elective	3
CC 9.1	Perspectives on Creative Arts	3	CC 8.2	Global&Intercultural Awareness	3
CC	Core Curriculum Tier 2	3	CC 9.2	Perspectives on Creative Arts	3
	Total Credits this semester	15		Total Credits this semester	15

THIRD YEAR					
Fall			Spring		
		Credits			Credits
MR	COMM 3301 Comm Theory♦	3	MR	COMM 3311 Copy Desk♦	3
CC 2.2	DGAD 1101 Intro to Multimedia	3	MR	COMM 3308 Convergent Journ♦	3
MR	JRNL 3367♦ Interpretive and Editorial Writing (W)	3	CC	Core Curriculum Tier 2	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
	Total Credits this semester	15		Total Credits this semester	15

FOURTH YEAR					
Fall			Spring		
		Credits			Credits
MR	COMM 4420 Communication & Law♦	3	MR	Journalism Elective#	3
MR	COMM 4597 or 4598 or 4599♦	3	MR	Journalism Elective#	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
	Total Credits this semester	15		Total Credits this semester	15

<i>Courses that do not count as electives or for graduation (included in GPA):</i>	
ENGL 1103 English Fundamentals	3
MATH 1103 Math Fundamentals	3

Every student must complete a course that has been designated as satisfying *Writing Across the Curriculum* constraints.
Minimum Total Credits: 121

Code	
CC	Required University Core Competency - see advisor for selection
MR	Major Requirement - Minimum 2.00 QPR
♦	This course has a prerequisite
#	COMM 3310 or 4450 or 4500 or 4597 or 4598 or 4599