

MY DEGREE MAP
COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS
RECOMMENDED ACADEMIC PLAN
COMMUNICATION STUDIES TRACK-PROGRAM YEAR 2021-22

1ST YEAR			
1ST SEMESTER	HRS	2ND SEMESTER	HRS
TROY 1101	1	ENG 1102/04	3
ENG 1101/03	3	AREA III SCI/LAB COURSE	3/1
AREA III MTH COURSE	3	AREA IV SS COURSE	3
AREA II HUM/FA COURSE	3	AREA II HUM/FA COURSE	3
AREA II FINE ARTS COURSE	3		
AREA IV SS COURSE	3		
FREE ELEC	1		
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	13
2ND YEAR			
3RD SEMESTER	HRS	4TH SEMESTER	HRS
AREA II LIT COURSE	3	AREA IV SS COURSE	3
AREA III SCI/LAB COURSE	3/1	COM 1101	3
AREA IV HIS COURSE	3	COM 2231	3
COM 2241	3	PRJ 2230 OR ADJ 2220	3
FREE ELEC	3	JRN 1100	3
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	15
3RD YEAR			
5TH SEMESTER	HRS	6TH SEMESTER	HRS
COM 3326	3	COM 3345	3
COM 4410	3	COM 3328 OR COM 3380	3
APPROVED MAJ ELEC	3	MINOR COURSE	3
MINOR COURSE	3	MINOR COURSE	3
COM 4424	3	COM 4420	3
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15
4TH YEAR			
7TH SEMESTER	HRS	8TH SEMESTER	HRS
FREE ELEC	3	JRN 4495	1
JRN 4440	3	FREE ELEC	3
MINOR COURSE	3	APPROVED MAJ ELEC (S)	5
MINOR COURSE	3	MINOR COURSE	3
APPROVED MAJ ELEC	3	FREE ELEC	3
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15
MINIMUM NUMBER OF HOURS REQUIRED FOR THIS MAJOR:			120

COMPLETE ALL REQUIREMENTS (54 HOURS)

AREA I

TAKE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

ENG 1101	COMP AND MODERN ENGLISH I	3 HOURS
ENG 1102	COMP AND MODERN ENGLISH II	3 HOURS
MINIMUM GRADE OF "C" REQUIRED		

AREA II

TAKE ANY 1000-2000 LEVEL COURSE IN LITERATURE.	3 HOURS
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TAKE ANY 1000-2000 LEVEL COURSE WITH AN EXPANDED HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL SCOPE IN THE FINE ARTS INCLUDING THE DISCIPLINES OF ART, MUSIC, THEATRE, FILM, OR OTHER FINE ARTS AREAS.	3 HOURS
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TAKE ANY TWO 1000-2000 LEVEL COURSES WITH AN EXPANDED HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL SCOPE IN THE HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS DISCIPLINES, INCLUDING ENGLISH, FOREIGN LANGUAGES, RELIGION, PHILOSOPHY, CLASSICS, THEATRE, MUSIC, DANCE, COMMUNICATION, SIGN LANGUAGE, INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, OR OTHER HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS AREAS.	6 HOURS
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NOTE: A SEQUENCE IN LITERATURE OR HISTORY IS REQUIRED. WHEN SELECTING COURSEWORK IN AREAS II OR IV, PLEASE CONSIDER THIS REQUIREMENT.

AREA III

TAKE MTH 1110 OR MTH 1112 (OR HIGHER) MINIMUM GRADE OF "C" REQUIRED	3 HOURS
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TAKE ANY TWO 1000-2000 LEVEL SCIENCE CLASSES (CLASS AND CORRESPONDING LAB BOTH REQUIRED) FROM THE FOLLOWING SCIENCE DISCIPLINES: BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, PHYSICAL SCIENCE, OR OTHER SCIENCE AREAS. SELECT 2: BIO-1100/L100, BIO 1101/L101, BIO 2202/L202, BIO 2229/L229, CHM 1115/L115, CHM 1142/L142, CHM 1143/L143, CHM 2242/L242, PHY 2252/L252, PHY 2253/L253, PHY 2262/L262, PHY 2263/L263, SCI 1110/L110, SCI 2233/L233, SCI 2234/L234.	8 HOURS
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AREA IV

TAKE ANY 1000-2000 LEVEL COURSE WITH A PRIMARY FOCUS IN HISTORY.	3 HOURS
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TAKE ANY THREE 1000-2000 LEVEL COURSES FROM THE FOLLOWING SOCIAL SCIENCE DISCIPLINES: ANTHROPOLOGY, BUSINESS, CRIMINAL JUSTICE, ECONOMICS, FINANCE, GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY, HUMAN SERVICES, LEADERSHIP, INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, NURSING, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PSYCHOLOGY, RELIGION, SOCIAL WORK, SOCIOLOGY, OR OTHER SOCIAL SCIENCE AREAS.	9 HOURS
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AREA V

TAKE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

JRN 1100	TECHNOLOGIES IN JOURNALISM	3 HOURS
MINIMUM GRADE OF "C" REQUIRED		
COM 1101	INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICATION	3 HOURS
PRJ 2230	INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC RELATIONS	3 HOURS
OR		
ADJ 2220	INTRODUCTION TO ADVERTISING	
TROY 1101	THE UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE	1 HOUR
COM 2241	FUNDAMENTALS OF SPEECH	3 HOURS

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COMMUNICATION ARTS MAJOR-COMMUNICATION STUDIES TRACK (36 HOURS)
2.0 GPA REQUIRED

TAKE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

COM 2231	INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION	3 HOURS
COM 3326	CONFLICT MANAGEMENT	3 HOURS
COM 3345	GROUP DISCUSSION & LEADERSHIP	3 HOURS
COM 4410	COMMUNICATION RESEARCH	3 HOURS
COM 4420	PROPAGANDA & PERSUASION	3 HOURS
COM 4424	RHETORICAL & COMMUNICATION THEORY	3 HOURS
JRN 4440	ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES IN JOURNALISM	3 HOURS
JRN 4495	COMMUNICATION SEMINAR	1 HOUR

TAKE COM 3328 OR COM 3380 3 HOURS

MAJOR ELECTIVES

TAKE 11 ADDITIONAL HOURS FROM THE FOLLOWING: 11 HOURS
UPPER-LEVEL ADJ, COM, JRN, OR PRJ COURSES.
(COM 2251 MAY BE APPLIED BY REQUEST OR OTHER APPROVED UPPER-LEVEL
COURSE ELECTIVES IN JOURNALISM, THEATRE, MUSIC INDUSTRY, ART AND
DESIGN, OR FOREIGN LANGUAGES)

MINOR (18 HOURS)

AT LEAST ONE 18 SEMESTER HOUR MINOR IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THIS
DEGREE PROGRAM. ADDITIONAL MAJORS ARE ALSO ACCEPTABLE. 18 HOURS

FREE ELECTIVES REQUIREMENT (12 HOURS)

TAKE 12 SEMESTER HOURS OF FREE ELECTIVE CREDIT. 12 HOURS