



**Bachelor of Arts in:
Communication Studies**

For Students Following the:
2016-2017 catalog
2017-2018 catalog
2018-2019 catalog

Name:
Student ID:
Catalog Year:

REQUIRED FOUNDATION OF KNOWLEDGE COURSE (3 Hours)					
Course		Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
CMST101 OR CMST110	Public Speaking Intro to Communication Studies		3 3		

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CORE COURSES (24 Hours)					
Course		Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
CMST220	Interpersonal Communication	CMST101 or CMST110	3		
CMST230	Small Group Communication		3		
CMST300	Research Methods in Comm Studies		3		
CMST303	Organizational Communication		3		
CMST310 OR CMST340 OR CMST410	Argumentation Strategies of Persuasion Rhetorical Theory & Criticism		3 3 3		
CMST355	Culture & Communication		3		
CMST370	Advanced Public Speaking		3		
CMST430	Communication Theories		3		

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ELECTIVE MAJOR COURSES (9 Hours)					
Course		Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
CMST elective	2xx-4xx		3		
CMST elective	2xx-4xx		3		
CMST, EMB, JOU, MIN, POP, PRE, or COM elective			3		

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PROFESSIONAL SKILLS (6 Hours) - Choose Two					
<i>Courses are designed to provide students with additional writing and technology proficiencies</i>					
Course		Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
ENG 340	Business Writing	ENG 102	3		
ENG 347	Technical Writing	ENG 102	3		
ENG 349	Web Writing for the Professions	ENG 102	3		

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JOU 220	News Writing	ENG 101 (≥ C)	3		
JOU 321	Digital Publishing	JOU 110 or EMB 100	3		
BIS 101	Fundamentals of Business Computing		3		
INF 186	Media Web Coding	BIS 101 or INF 110 or INF 120 or CIT 130 or EMB 140	3		
MIN 221	Visual Fundamentals for Digital Media	EMB 140 (≥ C)	3		
MIN 240	Intro to Interactive Media	EMB 140 or INF 186 (pre req or co req)	3		

Successful BIS 101 DSST Exam

Students must earn a grade of "C-" or better and a 2.00 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 double count Communication Department courses toward the Communication Studies major and other majors and minors in the Communication Department unless the course is required as the only option in the Communication Studies major and other majors and minors in the Communication Department.
- BIS 101 is only recommended for students with little or no computer experience.