Communication Major Requirements Checklist

The University core requires that each baccalaureate curriculum includes the following:

**English (6 hours):**
- English 1010
- English 1020

**Mathematics (6 hours):**
*Courses must be taken in order and pairs indicated.

Select courses from:
- Math 1020 and 1060
- Math 1035 and 1060  
  *(recommended for COMM)*
- Math 1020 and 1090
- Math 1020 and 2010
- Math 1100 (6 hours)
- Math 1810 (6 hours)
- Math 2100 and 2110 (10 hours)

**Natural Sciences (9 hours):**
*Indicates lab course is required

- Physical (3 or 6 hours)
  Select courses from:
  - Science 1010
  - Science 2010
  - Chemistry 1030 - 1031*
  - Chemistry 1040 - 1041*
  - Chemistry 1070
  - Physics 2030 - 2031*
  - Physics 2510 - 2511*

- Biological (3 or 6 hours)
  Select courses from:
  - Science 1020
  - Science 2020
  - Biology 1010 - 1011*
  - Biology 2060 - 2061*
  - Biology 2250 - 2251*
  - Biology 2260 - 2261*

**Humanities (9 hours):**

- Literature (3 hours)
  Select one course from:
  - English 2110

- History (3 hours)
  Select one course from:
  - History 1010
  - History 1020
  - History 2010
  - History 2020  
    *(recommended for COMM)*

- Communication (3 hours)
  Select one course from
  - Communication 1010
  - Communication 2500

**Fine Arts (3 hours):**

- Fine Arts 1040

**Social/Behavioral Sciences (6 hours):**

- Social Science (3 hours)
  Select one course from:
  - Anthropology 1510
  - Economics 2000
  - Political Science 2010
  - Geography 1010
  - Philosophy 1010

- Behavioral Science (3 hours)
  Select one course from:
  - Educational Psychology 2020
  - Psychology 1010
  - Psychology 2050
  - Sociology 1010

**University Studies 1000 (1 hour):**

- University Studies 1000
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All COMM majors must complete 21 semester hours in the Communication Core and 27 semester hours in one of three available concentrations. To graduate, a student must earn a minimum of 120 total semester hours.

Communication Core (21 hours):

- Comm 1040: Fundamentals of Writing
- Comm 2020: Mass Media & Society
- Comm 2510: Writing for Mass Media
- Comm 2040: Communication Law
- Comm 3260: Social Media Management
- Comm 4700: Capstone Course
- Comm 4910: Internship

Concentrations (27 hours):
All COMM majors are required to have a concentration within their COMM degree. Students can choose from the following three concentrations: strategic communication, broadcast and digital media production, and multimedia journalism.

Strategic Communication

- Comm 2050: Persuasive Communication
- Comm 2500: Interpersonal Communication
- Comm 2360: Public Relations Principles
- Comm 3660: Public Relations Management
- Comm 4310: Globalization & International Communication
- 12 hours of COMM electives

Broadcast and Digital Media Production

- Comm 1020: Voice & Diction
- Comm 2400: Audio Production
- Comm 2440: Video Production I
- Comm 3510: Principles of Advertising
- Comm 4420: TV News Reporting
- 12 hours of COMM electives

Multimedia Journalism

- Comm 2530: Visual Communication
- Comm 3080: Editing
- Comm 3520: News Reporting & Writing
- Comm 4040: Feature Writing
- Comm 4290: Advanced Topics
- 12 hours of COMM electives

Minor
All COMM majors are required to have a minor in another academic department. Students who choose to double major do not have to complete a minor as the second major satisfies this requirement.

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