

B.A. IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Code	Title	Credits
Major in Communication Studies (B.A.)		
Communication Core		
COM 210	Perspectives on Human Communication	3
COM 213	Media Communication	3
COM 363	Methods of Communication Research	4
Code		
Title		
Credits		
Communication Core		10
Select one emphasis		35-44
General Education		47-48
Electives		21-29
Total Credits		122

Students may not declare a B.A. in Communication Studies and a Minor in Communication Studies.

Health Communication Emphasis (38-44 credits)

Code	Title	Credits
CHL 110	Introduction to Healthcare	3
COM 209	Introduction to Health Communication	3
COM 319	Health Campaigns and Technology	3
COM 324	Professional and Technical Communication	4
COM 355Z	Intercultural Communication	4
COM 370	Interpersonal Communication	4
COM 375	Media Criticism and Theory	3
COM 481	Internship in Communication	1-4
COM 497	Capstone: Relational Studies ¹	4
Choose three from the following:		9-12
COM 220	Group Communication	
COM 314G	Gender Communication	
COM 367	Interpersonal Conflict	
COM 368	Nonverbal Communication	
COM 400	Family Communication	
COM 464	Dating, Mating, & Relating: Lifespan Communication	
GES 448P	Abusive Relationships and Christian Responsibility	
SPA 261	Spanish for Health Professionals ²	
Total Credits		38-44

¹ COM 220 is a prerequisite for this course.

² SPA 201S or successful completion of the Languages and Cultures placement exam is a prerequisite for this course.

Relational Studies Emphasis (35-37 credits)

Code	Title	Credits
COM 220	Group Communication	4
COM 370	Interpersonal Communication	4
COM 375	Media Criticism and Theory	3
COM 400	Family Communication	4
COM 481	Internship in Communication	3-4
COM 497	Capstone: Relational Studies	4
Choose three of the following Relational Topics courses:		9-10
COM 314G	Gender Communication	
COM 340	Facilitating Difficult Conversations	
COM 355Z	Intercultural Communication	
COM 367	Interpersonal Conflict	
COM 368	Nonverbal Communication	
COM 462	Topics in Relational Communication ¹	
COM 464	Dating, Mating, & Relating: Lifespan Communication	
GES 426P	Family Interaction	
GES 448P	Abusive Relationships and Christian Responsibility	
Choose one of the following Oral Communications courses:		4
COM 301A	Oral Interpretation	
COM 324	Professional and Technical Communication	
COM 386	Advanced Public Speaking	
COM 387	Speaking in Ministry Contexts	
Total Credits		35-37

¹ Course may be repeated for credit when topics offered are different.