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| **2016-2017** | **Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) :**  **Communication** | | ***The Communication major prepares students to understand the cultural context of a complex world, to be innovative, to think critically about practical and theoretical questions, and to articulate their thinking creatively and accurately.*** | | | | | | |
| **Courses in BOLD are required by this major**  **Courses in regular type are to fulfill general education requirements and DO NOT have to be taken the specific semester stated.**  ***Courses in ITALIC are strongly recommended***  **ALSO REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION**   * **120 credit hours** * **39 Upper division credits** * **2.00 GPA** * **Completion of all major & gen ed requirements** |
| **First Year Fall**  ***(consider a WT)*** | **GE Goal** | | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** | **First Year Spring** | **GE Goal** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| Elective |  | |  |  | Science Gen Ed Requirement\*\* | 1d | 3 |  |
| ENGL1100 Discourse I OR  ENGL112 Honors Discourse I | 3c | | 3 |  | Humanities | 2b | 3 |  |
| HLTH1300 Lifetime Health/Fitness Lab | 3f | 2 |  |
| Mathematics | 3a | | **3** |  | PE Activity | 3f | 1 |  |
| **COMM1250 Intro to Comm. Theory** |  | | **3** |  |
| INTD1100 Critical Thinking in Arts & Sciences\* |  | | 3 |  | History/Political Science | 1b | 3 |  |
| **COMM Elective (lower division)** |  | **3** |  |
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| **Second Year Fall**  ***(consider a WT)*** | **GE Goal** | | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Second Year Spring** | **GE Goal** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| Social/Behavioral Science | 1c | | 3 |  | Mathematics | 3a | 3 |  |
| Natural Science | 1a | | 3 |  | Sciences Gen Ed Requirement\*\* | 1d | 3 |  |
| **COMM2500 Intro to Mass Media+** *(odd fall)* |  | | **3** |  | Art Elective | 2a | 3 |  |
| **COMM Elective** |  | | **3** |  | **COMM2600 Interpersonal Comm.+** *(even spring)* |  | **3** |  |
| ENGL2100 Discourse II | 3b | | 3 |  | **COMM Elective** |  | **3** |  |
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| **Notes:      Be sure to connect with your faculty advisor early on during the third year to discuss internship opportunities! Internships need to be approved in order to receive academic credit** | | | | | | | | |
| **Third Year Fall**  ***(check your degree audit!)*** | **GE Goal** | | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Third Year Spring** | **GE Goal** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| **\* See Catalog for specific information**  **+denotes courses offered only every other year** | **COMM Elective** |  | | **3** |  | **COMM Elective** |  | **3** |  |
| **COMM Elective** |  | | **3** |  | **COMM3100 Intercultural Comm.+** (odd spring) |  | **3** |  |
| **COMM3230 Small Group Comm.+** (even fall) |  | | **3** |  | Ethics Gen Ed Requirement | 3e | 3 |  |
| ENGL3100 Discourse III | 3d | | 3 |  | Elective |  |  |  |
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|  | **Fourth Year Fall**  ***(apply for graduation!)*** | **GE Goal** | | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Fourth Year Spring** | **GE Goal** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
|  | **COMM Elective** |  | | **3** |  | **COMM4150 Senior Seminar** |  | **3** |  |
| Elective |  | |  |  | **COMM Elective** |  | **3** |  |
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| **Updated:**  **9/09/2016** |
| **\* Graduation requirement for all first time freshmen**  **\*\* One additional course from the approved list of natural sciences, history/political sciences, or social/behavioral sciences.**  **DISCLAIMER: These plans are to be used as guides only and are subject to changes in curriculum requirements. Refer to your Graceland Catalog for complete and accurate information. The student has the ultimate responsibility for scheduling and meeting the graduation requirements.** | | | | | | | | |
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