<u>Communication Studies Major for the 2016 Cohort Graduating</u> <u>in 2020</u>

In general, this means you entered in the Fall of 2016. If you make normal academic progress, only your senior year will be on semesters.

In order to complete the major, you will need to complete 28 COMM credits; that's the same under both systems. As part of those 28 credits, you will need to complete at least one 3 or 4 cr. COMM skills course, two gateway courses (either 3 or 4 cr.), one theory course (either 3 or 4 cr.), and a Senior Inquiry project (4 cr., though you may substitute a second theory course if you complete your SI in another major and enough elective credits to reach the 28 credit total). **You do not** need to complete the requirement of three 1-credit research modules. Any research modules you do take will count as elective credit.

Your goal should be (1) to complete at least 20 COMM credits and (2) your skills/gateway/theory requirement by the end of your junior year. Use this form to plan the rest of your major courses.

Completed/ Course #(s)	Credits Earned	Credits Required	Course		
Complete 20 C	Complete 20 COMM credits by the end of your junior year. That will include:				
		3-4 cr.	Skills Requirement: Options for 2018-19: COMM 104, 301, 401 (3 cr.) Options for 2019-20: 101 (formerly COMM 104) (4 cr.) Elective Options for 2010 20: 201 202 204 205 (2 cr.)		
			Elective Options for 2019-20: 201, 202, 203, 204, 205 (2 cr.)		
		3-4 cr. each 6-8 cr. total	Gateway Requirement: Two courses.		
			Options for 2018-19: COMM 210, 211, 212, 250 (3 cr.)		
			Options for 2019-20: COMM 220 (was 210), 230 (was 211), 340 (was 212), 250 (4 cr.)		
		3-4 cr.	Theory Requirement: you must complete one theory course. You must take a Gateway course before enrolling in a theory course. If your SI is in a different major, you must take two theory courses.		
			Options for 2018-19: COMM 320, 321, or 322 (3 cr.)		
			Options for 2019-20: COMM 380 (was 320), COMM 381 (was 321), or MJMC 382 (was 322) (4 cr.)		

	4 cr.	Senior Inquiry : In the Fall of your senior year. It will ONLY be offered in the Fall. If you complete 20 credits by the end of your junior year, you will only need two 4-credit COMM courses in your senior year: SI and one elective
		Electives. Any COMM course plus MJMC 345, 350, and 403 can count for elective credit.
	28 total	

Internship, Study Abroad	Description:
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COMM Studies GPA _____ Must be greater than 2.0