

M.A. Credit Tracking Form

Department of Communication Studies

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Comprehensive Exam Option		Thesis Option		Applied Project Option	
Required Core Courses (6 credits) Semester COMM 505/506: Methods _____ COMM 583: Comm. Theory _____ Total 6 Credits _____	Required Core Courses (6 credits) Semester COMM 505/506: Methods _____ COMM 583: Comm. Theory _____ Total 6 Credits _____	Required Core Courses (6 credits) Semester COMM 505/506: Methods _____ COMM 583: Comm. Theory _____ Total 6 Credits _____	Required Core Courses (6 credits) Semester COMM 505/506: Methods _____ COMM 583: Comm. Theory _____ Total 6 Credits _____	Required Content Courses (9 credits) Semester COMM 540: Political Comm. _____ COMM 570: Org. Comm. _____ COMM 576: Comm. and Culture _____ COMM 584: Interpersonal Comm. _____ Total 9 Credits _____	Required Content Courses (9 credits) Semester COMM 540: Political Comm. _____ COMM 570: Org. Comm. _____ COMM 576: Comm. and Culture _____ COMM 584: Interpersonal Comm. _____ Total 9 Credits _____
COMM Electives (Minimum 15 credits) COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ Total 15-18 Credits _____	COMM Electives (Minimum 9 credits) COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ Total 9-12 Credits _____	COMM Electives (Minimum 9 credits) COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ COMM _____: _____ _____ Total 9-12 Credits _____	Related Field Electives (3 credits required) _____: _____ _____	Related Field Electives (3 credits required) _____: _____ _____	Related Field Electives (3 credits required) _____: _____ _____
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Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____	Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____	Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____	Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____	Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____	Optional Minor (9 credits)* _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____ _____: _____ _____
36 Credits are required for the Degree The comprehensive option requires at least 30 credits of communication courses, 6 hours of written comprehensive exams, and an oral defense of comprehensive exams.	36 Credits are required for the Degree The thesis option requires at least 30 credits of communication coursework including 6 credits of COMM 599, a thesis proposal defense, and an oral defense of the thesis and coursework.	36 Credits are required for the Degree The applied project option requires at least 30 credits of communication coursework including 6 credits of COMM 598, a project proposal defense, and an oral defense of the project and coursework.	36 Credits are required for the Degree The applied project option requires at least 30 credits of communication coursework including 6 credits of COMM 598, a project proposal defense, and an oral defense of the project and coursework.	36 Credits are required for the Degree The applied project option requires at least 30 credits of communication coursework including 6 credits of COMM 598, a project proposal defense, and an oral defense of the project and coursework.	36 Credits are required for the Degree The applied project option requires at least 30 credits of communication coursework including 6 credits of COMM 598, a project proposal defense, and an oral defense of the project and coursework.

*All Students must take 30 credits of courses in Communication Studies toward their 36 hour degree. A nine hour Minor can be added to the M.A. in Communication Studies, but is not required.