

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Admitted Into Major: \_\_\_\_\_

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE MEDIA & COMMUNICATION

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS				
<b>Competencies</b>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	◆ Basic College Math			
<input type="checkbox"/>	◆ Reading Comprehension			
<input type="checkbox"/>	◆ Computer Literacy			
<b>◆ General Education Categories - 34-35 credits</b>				
◆FYS	First Year Seminar			3
◆W-I	Written Communication - Level I			3
◆OC	Oral Communication			3
PGR	Personal Growth & Responsibility			3
CEA	Creative Expression & Appreciation			3
WC	World Cultures			3
HP	The Human Past			3
CS	Contemporary Society			3
SR	Scientific Reasoning:	# Any SR course		3-4
		# SR Lab course		4
QR	Quantitative Reasoning			3
<b>‡ Written Communication (Level II and Level III) and Diversity, Power Dynamics and Social Justice</b>				
W-II	Written Communication - Level II			<input type="checkbox"/>
W-III	Written Communication - Level III			<input type="checkbox"/>
DPDS	Diversity, Power Dynamics and Social Justice			<input type="checkbox"/>

Free Electives (42 credits minimum)				
Additional free elective credits beyond the credits listed may be required based on the use of support courses to satisfy General Education Category requirements				

COURSES IN MAJOR (43 credits total)				
<b>Major Core Courses (15 credits)</b>				
MCO	100	Media in Our Lives	3	
MCO	105	Precision Writing in Communication	3	
MCO	220	Media Literacy	3	
MCO	235	Multimedia Storytelling	3	
MCO	250	Engaging Your Audiences	3	
<b>◆‡ Major Electives (18 credits)</b>				
MCO			3	
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<b>Upper-Level Writing Requirement (3 credits)</b>				
Select any W-III MCO course for which all pre- and/or co-requisites have been met:				
MCO			3	
<b>Upper-Level Major Courses (4 credits)</b>				
MCO	350	Junior Career Seminar	3	
MCO	499	Portfolio	1	
<b>Required Capstone Course (choose one) (3 credits)</b>				
MCO	505	Internship in Media & Communication	3	
MCO	506	Independent Research in Media Studies	3	

♥ Students may choose to use support courses to satisfy general education categories, but may not be required to do so. **Note:** If a course is used to satisfy two or more requirements (for example, a support course and Scientific Reasoning requirement), the credits are counted in only one place. Using a course to satisfy more than one requirement does **not** reduce the credit total required for graduation.

- ◆ Courses used to satisfy the general education requirements of the university must be taken from a minimum of six different academic disciplines. First Year Seminar and Level I Written Communications courses are exempt from this restriction. Courses may not be used to fulfill both major discipline and general education requirements.
- # These Scientific Reasoning General Education Category courses do not have to be a sequence or be from the same discipline
- ‡ Level II, Level III Written Communications and Diversity, Power Dynamics and Social Justice Courses may be used to satisfy requirements anywhere else in a student's program of study where they may apply. The credits are counted only in one area.
- † Two elective courses must be selected from MCO courses with a DPDS or WC tag.
- ‡ Select two electives from the following list: MCO 260, MCO 280, MCO 305, MCO 315, MCO 332, MCO 333, MCO 495, and no more than 3 credits from either MCO 508 or MCO 509
- ◆ At least two of the MCO Major Electives must be taken at the 300-level or higher.

◆ COMPETENCIES - TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE FIRST 30 CREDITS	◆ GENERAL EDUCATION CATEGORIES - TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE FIRST 30 CREDITS
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Exceptions in the timing of courses will be made for transfer students

**Total credits for graduation: 120**

**Effective: 9/2021**