

Unofficial COMM & Info Sci. Double Major Semester Plan

<b>YEAR 1</b>	<b>Fall</b>		<b>Spring</b>	
See your advisors for benchmark requirements	Course	Credits		Credits
	ENGL101 (AW)	3	COMM107 or COMM200 (OC)	3
	MATH115 (MA)	3	STAT100 (AR)	3
	PSYC100 (HS* or NS*)	3	History/Social Sci. (HS*)	3
	INST201	3	INST126	3
	ARHU158 (SP*)	3	Humanities (HU*)	3
			COMM130: Writing for Communication Professionals	1
	Total	15	Total	16
<b>YEAR 2</b>	<b>Fall</b>		<b>Spring</b>	
	ARHU Global Engagement #1	4	ARHU Global Engagement #2	4
	COMM250: Intro to Communication Inquiry	3	Natural Science (NS*) or History/Social Science (HS*)	3
	INST311: Information Organization	3	INST314: Statistics for Information Science	3
	INST326: Object Oriented Programming for Info Science	3	INST335: Teams and Organizations	3
	COMM324(DVUP & COMM D&I) or COMM382 (DVCC & COMM D&I)	3	COMM304: Communication Research Literacy	3
	Total	16	Total	16
<b>YEAR 3</b>	<b>Fall</b>		<b>Spring</b>	
	INST327: Database Design and Modeling	3	INST362: User-Centered Design	3
	INST352: Information User Needs and Assessment	3	INST346: Technologies, Infrastructure and Architecture	3
	Natural Science Lab (NL*)	4	Humanities (HU*)	3
	COMM Leadership & Social Change Course**	3	COMM Theory Course**	3
	COMM Research Methods Course**	3	COMM Course approved as InfoSci Elective	3
	Total	16	Total	15
<b>YEAR 4</b>	<b>Fall</b>		<b>Spring</b>	
	COMM Course approved as InfoSci Elective	3	Info Sci Major Elective	3
	Info Sci Major Elective	3	INST490: Integrative Capstone	3
	Professional Writing (PW)	3	COMM Applied II Course**	3
	COMM Theory Course**	3	COMM Course approved as InfoSci Elective	3
	COMM386 (SP* & Applied I**)	3	COMM Major Elective	3
	Total	15	Total	15

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**Note:** Students should seek advising with Info Science, COMM and the College of Arts and Humanities to ensure satisfactory progress in both majors.

\*All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-Series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competency courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.

**\*\*Courses that satisfy COMM Major Requirement Categories are below:**

**Communication Theory Course Options (select 2):**

COMM201: Introduction to PR  
COMM301: Rhetorical Theories  
COMM302: Communication Science Theories  
COMM303: Media Theory

**Communication Research Methods Course Options (select 1):**

COMM305: Qualitative Communication Research Methods  
COMM306: Rhetorical Methods in Communication  
COMM307: Quantitative Methods in Communication

**Communication Leadership & Social Change Course Options (select 1):**

COMM330: Argumentation and Public Policy  
COMM385: Influence  
COMM420: Theories of Group Discussion  
COMM421: Communicating Leadership  
COMM424: Communication in Complex Organizations  
COMM425: Negotiation and Conflict Management  
COMM428: Special Topics Seminar in Dialogues and Deliberation  
COMM436: Interpersonal Arguing  
COMM448: Special Topics in Public Relations  
COMM449: Special Topics in Digital Communication  
COMM453: The Power of Discourse in American Life  
COMM455: Speechwriting  
COMM459: Special Topics in Science Communication  
COMM461: Voices of Public Leadership in the Twentieth Century  
COMM462: Visual Communication  
COMM469: The Discourse of Social Movement  
COMM470: Listening  
COMM475: Persuasion

**Applied I (select 1):**

COMM386: Experiential Learning  
COMM388: Communication Practicum  
COMM498: Seminar

**Applied II (select 1):**

COMM330: Argumentation and Public Policy  
COMM331: News Writing and Reporting for Public Relations  
COMM370: Mediated Communication  
COMM375: Documentary Theory and Practice

COMM386: Experiential Learning  
COMM388: Communication Practicum  
COMM425: Negotiation and Conflict Management  
COMM426: Conflict Management  
COMM455: Speechwriting  
COMM471: Public Communication Campaigns  
COMM498: Seminar

### **COMM Courses Approved as InfoSci Upper-Level Major Elective\***

COMM370 Mediated Communication  
COMM371 Communication and Digital Media  
COMM372 Communication, Meaning, and Digital Media  
COMM373 Communication and Digital Visual Narrative  
COMM374 Communicating Visually: Message Production and Digital Media  
COMM375 Documentary Theory and Practice  
COMM376 Communication through Advocacy Short Film  
COMM398E Health Communication  
COMM398F Web Graphics, Coding and Site Design  
COMM398J Communication and Advanced Digital Imaging  
COMM398L Science, Media, and the Public  
COMM398N Communication and Digital Imaging  
COMM398O Digital Media and Democracy  
COMM398T Advanced Digital Communication  
COMM398W Web Design  
COMM420 Theories of Group Discussion  
COMM422 Communication Management  
COMM424 Communication in Complex Organizations  
COMM425 Negotiation and Conflict Management  
COMM427 Crisis Communication

\*some courses may be at Shady Grove only or discontinued