

# BA Communication Major – Multimedia Journalism Emphasis – Graduation MAP



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This is a suggested plan. Meet with an academic advisor to create a specific plan that best fits your academic needs. Remember, taking an average of 15 credit hours per semester facilitates timely graduation.

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course	Credit Hour	Semester Offered	Milestones & Notes
	<b>Freshman (Semester 1)</b>			
	COMM HU 1020 – Principles of Public Speaking	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete lower division Communication core courses, ENGL 1010 and LIBS 1704 w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with major advisor</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul> *Pre-requisite courses may be required
	COMM 1130 – Media Writing	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM HU 2110 – Interpersonal & Small Group Communication	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Social Science SS/DV	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	ENGL 1010 Introductory Writing*	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	LIBS 1704 – Information Navigator	1	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>16</b>		
	<b>Freshman (Semester 2)</b>			
	ENGL 2010 – Intermediate College Writing*	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete ENGL 2010, MATH 1030 and COMM courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul> *Pre-requisite courses may be required
	MATH 1030 – Contemporary Mathematics/ QL Course*	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2210 – Intercollegiate Debate <b>OR</b> COMM 2730 – Radio Production Workshop	1	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 1500 – Introduction to Mass Communication	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Creative Arts CA	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Life Science LS	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>16</b>		
	<b>Freshman (Optional)</b>			
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
	<b>Sophomore (Semester 3)</b>			
	Physical Science	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall GPA of 2.0 or higher</li> <li>• Complete American Institutions and COMM courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with major advisor</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	Humanities HU or Creative Arts CA *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	American Institutions AI	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM HU 2010 Mass Media & Society <b>OR</b> COMM ELECTIVE	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2270 Argumentation & Debate <b>OR</b> COMM ELECTIVE	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2210 Intercollegiate Debate <b>OR</b> COMM 2730 Radio Production Workshop	1	Fa, Sp,	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>16</b>		
	<b>Sophomore (Semester 4)</b>			
	Life Science LS or Physical Science PS *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Complete requirements for Associate of Science in Communication</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	Social Science SS *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp	
	Elective Course	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 3000 Communication Theory	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2250 Essentials of Digital Media <b>OR</b> COMM ELECTIVE	3	Fa, Sp	
	COMM 2210 – Intercollegiate Debate <b>OR</b> COMM 2730 Radio Production Workshop	1	Fa, Sp	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>16</b>		
	<b>Sophomore (Optional)</b>			

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<b>Total Semester Credits</b>				
<b>Junior (Semester 5)</b>				
	COMM 3650 – Communication Law	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with major advisor</li> </ul>
	COMM 3130 – News Reporting & Writing	3	Fa, Sp	
	COMM 3080 – Intercultural Communication <b>OR</b> UD MAJOR ELECTIVE	3	Fa	
	COMM 3060 – Listening & Interviewing <b>OR</b> UD MAJOR ELECTIVE	3	Fa	
	COMM 3780 – Broadcast News Writing & Production	3	Fa, Sp	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Junior (Semester 6)</b>				
	COMM 2010 – Mass Media & Society <b>OR</b> MAJOR ELECTIVE	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM and Track/Minor courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	COMM 3150 – Communication Research Methods	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Track or Minor Course	3		
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	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Junior (Optional)</b>				
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
<b>Senior (Semester 7)</b>				
	Upper Division (UD) Elective Course	3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall GPA of 2.0 or higher</li> <li>• Complete all COMM, Foreign Language and Track/Minor courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with major advisor</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	UD Track <b>OR</b> UD Minor Course	3		
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	COMM 3890 – Advanced Cooperative Work Experience with Signpost	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Foreign Language	3	*Depends on language	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Senior (Semester 8)</b>				
	COMM 4890 – Communication Internship	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM and Foreign Language courses w/C or better</li> <li>• Meet with major advisor</li> <li>• Complete graduation application</li> <li>• Complete requirements for Bachelor of Arts in Communication with an emphasis in Multimedia Journalism</li> </ul>
	COMM 4990 – Senior Seminar	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 4130 – In-depth and Investigative Journalism	3	Sp on odd years	
	COMM 3350 Visual Communication	3	Fa, Sp	
	Foreign Language	3	*Depends on language	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Senior (Optional)</b>				
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
	<b>Total Bachelor Credits</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>42 UD Credit Hours</b>	Revised 4/27/17

**Gen Ed Breadth Requirements (do not duplicate departments)**

<input type="checkbox"/> HU/COMM 1020	<input type="checkbox"/> CA	<input type="checkbox"/> HU or CA
<input type="checkbox"/> SS	<input type="checkbox"/> SS	
<input type="checkbox"/> PS	<input type="checkbox"/> LS	<input type="checkbox"/> PS or LS
DV (Double dip with breadth course)		

**Notes: BA degree type requirements: Option 1 – complete 4 semesters of a foreign language (up to 2020) – or – Option 2 – complete 2 semesters of foreign language and 2 language arts courses (language arts courses completed with major required courses.) This plan assumes Option 2**

**Avoid misadvisement!** Consult your academic advisor ([weber.edu/advisors](http://weber.edu/advisors)), the WSU Catalog ([weber.edu/catalog](http://weber.edu/catalog)), and your CatTracks degree evaluation (log in to your eWeber Student Portal).