**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES**

Please refer to the 2018-2020 CORE CURRICULUM list from Undergraduate Studies for course options.

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**FIRST-YEAR SIGNATURE COURSE:** 3 hours (required during the first year in residence)  
UGS 302 or 303

**ENGLISH & HUMANITIES:** 6 hours from the core curriculum.  
RHE 306  
E 316L or M or N or P

**AMERICAN & TEXAS GOVERNMENT:** 6 hours from the core curriculum.  
GOV 310L  
GOV 312L or 312P

**AMERICAN HISTORY:** 6 hours from the core curriculum.

**SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES:** 3 hours from the core curriculum.

**MATHMATICS:** 3 hours from the core curriculum.

**SCIENCE & TECH, PART I:** 6 hours in the same discipline from the core curriculum (in Part 1 ONLY).

**SCIENCE & TECH, PART II:** 3 hours from the core curriculum (Part 1 or Part 2) in a different discipline than used for Part 1.

**VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS:** 3 hours from the core curriculum.

Students should choose courses in the core curriculum and in the major requirements that also fulfill their major department's flag requirements.

**ENGLISH/RHETORIC:** 3 additional hours of coursework in the Department of English (E) or the Division of Rhetoric (RHE) are required. Cannot be a repeat of RHE 306 or the course used for the Humanities core requirement.

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE:** Option 1) Demonstrate intermediate proficiency in a single foreign language, or  
Option 2) Demonstrate proficiency in two sequential semesters of courses in one language, and take one approved culture course relevant to the language. See moody.utexas.edu/students/languages.

**COMMUNICATION COURSES:** Any combination of 6 hours of Moody coursework from ADV, CLD, COM, CSD, J, PR or RTF.

**COMMUNICATION and CULTURE:** 3 hours. May be combined with other Communication requirements.  
Check approved courses online: moody.utexas.edu/students/undergraduate/communication-and-culture.

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**CORPORATE COMMUNICATION**

- CMS 306M
- CMS 313M
- CMS 332K

**Methods* - 3 hours**

**Career Prep* - 3 hours**


12 additional CMS hours:

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**INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION**

- CMS 306M
- CMS 315M
- CMS 332K

**Methods* - 3 hours**

**Career Prep* - 3 hours**


12 additional CMS hours:

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**POLITICAL COMMUNICATION**

- CMS 306M
- CMS 317C
- CMS 332K

**Methods* - 3 hours**

**Career Prep* - 3 hours**


12 additional CMS hours:

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*The course selected may not be counted toward any additional CMS major requirement. See notes section on reverse.

Degree requirements are pending final approval from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. In combination with the core, college and major requirements, electives may be needed to meet the 120 hours and the 36 upper-division hours required for graduation. Elective hours may be used toward the optional minor/certificate (see reverse).
### Fall 1st Year
- **Suggested**: RHE 306, Science & Tech, Part I, UGS 302 or 303, CMS 306M, Communication (non-CMS)
- **Taken**: 

### Spring 1st Year
- **Suggested**: Social & Behavioral Sciences, Mathematics, Elective, Lower-Division CMS, E 316L or M or N or P
- **Taken**: 

### Fall 2nd Year
- **Suggested**: Foreign Language 601D, GOV 310L, Science & Tech, Part I, CMS 313M, 315M, or 317C (According to track)
- **Taken**: 

### Spring 2nd Year
- **Suggested**: Foreign Language 610D, GOV 312L, Science & Tech, Part II, Lower-Division CMS
- **Taken**: 

### Fall 3rd Year
- **Suggested**: Foreign Language 611D, American History, Upper-Division CMS, Upper-Division CMS, Communication (non-CMS)
- **Taken**: 

### Spring 3rd Year
- **Suggested**: American History, Visual & Performing Arts, CMS 332K, CMS Career Prep*, Upper-Division Elective
- **Taken**: 

### Fall 4th Year
- **Suggested**: E or RHE, Upper-Division CMS, CMS Methods*, Upper-Division Elective
- **Taken**: 

### Spring 4th Year
- **Suggested**: Upper-Division CMS, Upper-Division CMS, Upper-Division Elective, Upper-Division Elective
- **Taken**: 

### Notes
- **Students must take at least 36 and no more than 48 hours of CMS coursework. At least 18 of these hours must be upper-division.**
- **A student may not enroll in more than nine hours of CMS courses in one semester.**
- **A student may not double major in Communication Studies and Communication and Leadership.**
- **No more than 40 hours of Communication coursework can count for degree credit.**
- **A grade of C- or better is required in each course taken in the Moody College (some courses require a higher grade to advance in the degree), and no Communication course may be taken on a pass/fail basis unless it is only offered as pass/fail.**
- **Students must have a 2.0 overall GPA at UT and in Moody College coursework in order to graduate.**
- **Only 1 hour of Music Performance and 1 hour of PED coursework each may be counted toward a degree in the Moody College.**
- **Moody College polices are listed at moody.utexas.edu/students/policies.**

**Optional Minor/Certificate:** A minor or certificate consists of 15 - 19 hours of coursework prescribed by the offering department. Moody College students may only declare one (minor or certificate, not both), and must declare it before reaching 65% of their degree requirements. Full policies can be found at moody.utexas.edu/students/policies/minors.

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**Suggested arrangement of courses assumes a 3-semester foreign language sequence of 6 hours each (Option 1).**

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*May need Upper-Division, see advisor.*