

COMMUNICATION STUDIES ORGANIZATIONAL COMMUNICATION

REQUIREMENTS



CORE CURRICULUM

The Core Curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and introduce students to basic domains of thinking that transcend disciplines. The Core applies to all majors. Information on specific classes in the Core can be found at marshall.edu/gened.

CORE 1: CRITICAL THINKING

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	● 3	_____
MTH 121	Critical Thinking	● 3	_____
_____	Critical Thinking	● 3	_____

CORE 2:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	● 3	_____
ENG 201	Advanced Composition	● 3	_____
 CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	● 3	_____
 MTH 121	Concepts and Applications Math (CT)	● 3	_____
_____	Core II Natural/Physical Science	● 4	_____
_____	Core II Humanities	● 3	_____
_____	Core II Social Science	● 3	_____
_____	Core II Fine Arts	● 3	_____

Additional University Requirements

_____	Writing Intensive (300/400 COLA Lit)	3	_____
_____	Writing Intensive (300/400 COLA Lit)	3	_____
_____	Multicultural or International	3	_____
CMM 478	Capstone	3	_____




COLLEGE-SPECIFIC

All liberal arts majors are required to complete the following College of Liberal Arts Requirements. These classes may not be counted towards Core II requirements.

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
_____	Foreign Language 101	■ 3	_____	_____	300/400 COLA Social Science	■ 3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 102	■ 3	_____	_____	300/400 COLA Social Science	■ 3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 203	■ 3	_____	_____	COLA Social Science	■ 3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 204	■ 3	_____	_____	COLA Natural/Physical Science	■ 4	_____
_____	COLA Humanities	■ 3	_____	_____	COLA International	■ 3	_____
_____	300/400 COLA Literature (WI)	■ 3	_____	_____	COLA Multicultural	■ 3	_____
_____	300/400 COLA Literature (WI)	■ 3	_____				

MAJOR-SPECIFIC

Students who wish to major in Communication Studies with a concentration in organizational communication must take the following courses:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
 CMM 302	Professional Presentations	◆ 3	_____	CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	◆ 3	_____
 CMM 303	Intro to Communication Theory	◆ 3	_____	CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	◆ 3	_____
 CMM 411	Communications Study & Research	◆ 3	_____	CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	◆ 3	_____
CMM 315	Group Communication	◆ 3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
CMM 319	Superior-Subordinate Comm	◆ 3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
CMM 401	Organizational Comm	◆ 3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
CMM 408	Leadership and Group Comm	◆ 3	_____				
CMM 420	Communication and Conflict	◆ 3	_____				
CMM 478	Senior Seminar (capstone)	◆ 3	_____				

MAJOR INFORMATION

- The total number of free electives will depend on the amount of double and triple counting of requirements.
- See course attributes each semester for courses that meet multiple requirements.
- Questions about requirements should be directed to the College of Liberal Arts (304-696-2350). Core II and COLA requirements may not be double counted.
- Forty-eight credit hours (sixteen 3-hour courses) must be at the 300/400 level.
- Students must earn a C or better in ENG 201 and all foreign language courses.
- Minimum of 120 hours to graduate.

● Area of Emphasis

◆ Major Requirement

■ College Requirement

● General Education Requirement

Milestone Course: This is a key success marker for your major. See your advisor to discuss importance of this course in your plan of study.

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The Communication Studies Department offers a variety of courses and major concentrations which are designed to provide current knowledge, cognitive abilities, and competencies in communication. The Organizational Communication concentration is intended for students seeking communication roles in organizations, industries, corporations, and/or government institutions, as well as graduate work in communication.

FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER					
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	3			CMM 302	Professional Presentations	3			
FYS 100	First Year Sem Critical Thinking	3			ENG 201	Advanced Composition	3			
	Core II Social Science	3				Critical Thinking	3			
MTH 121	Concepts and Applications Math (CT)	3				Core II Humanities	3			
CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	3				Core II Fine Arts	3			
UNI 100	Freshman First Class	1								
TOTAL HOURS				16	TOTAL HOURS				15	
Summer Term (optional):										
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER					
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		
CMM 303	Intro Communication Theory	3				COLA Natural/Physical Science	4			
	Foreign Language 101	3				Foreign Language 102	3			
	Core II Natural/Physical Science	4				Multicultural or International	3			
	COLA Social Science	3				300/400 COLA Literature (WI)	3			
	Free Elective	3			CMM 315	Group Communication	3			
TOTAL HOURS				16	TOTAL HOURS				16	
Summer Term (optional):										
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER					
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		
	Foreign Language 203	3				Foreign Language 204	3			
	300/400 COLA Social Science	3			CMM 401	Organizational Comm	3			
	300/400 COLA Multicultural	3			CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	3			
	300/400 COLA International	3				300/400 COLA Social Science	3			
CMM 319	Superior-Subordinate Comm	3				Free Elective	3			
TOTAL HOURS				15	TOTAL HOURS				15	
Summer Term (optional):										
FALL SEMESTER					SPRING SEMESTER					
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE		
CMM 408	Leadership and Group Comm	3			CMM 478	Senior Seminar (C)	3			
CMM 420	Communication and Conflict	3			CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	3			
CMM 411	Communications Study & Research	3				COLA Humanities	3			
CMM ____	300/400 CMM Elective	3				Free Elective	3			
	300/400 COLA Literature (WI)	3								
TOTAL HOURS				15	TOTAL HOURS				12	
Summer Term (optional):										

General Education Requirement
 College Requirement
 Major Requirement
 Area of Emphasis

YEAR ONE

YEAR TWO

YEAR THREE

YEAR FOUR

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