BASED ON CREDITS

COMMUNICATION STUDIES (Advertising, Marketing, Public Relations Track), B.A

121 credits and Three 1-credit PE courses

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE

BASIC REQUIREMENTS

(6 credits and three 1-credit PE courses)

Composition and Rhetoric

□ EN 103 Composition and Rhetoric I

- □ EN 104 Composition and Rhetoric II
- **Physical Education Courses**
 - □ PE 100
 - □ PE ____
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MODES OF THINKING (15 credits)

Literature (Select one) □ EN 110, EN 112, EN 115 Mathematics (Select one, MA 111 recommended) □ MA 109, 110, 111, 112, 121 Natural Science (Select one) □ BI 209, 210, 211, 242, CH 209, PH 209 Philosophy □ PL 109 Social Sciences (Select one) □ CJ 109, EC 209, EC 112, HCM 230, PO 103, PO109, PS 109, SO 109

CULTURAL LITERACY (18 credits)

Humanities I and II. Preferably select a set (e.g., HI 201/202). However, a combination (e.g., PO 201 + HI 214) is acceptable. □ Hum. I: HI 201, PO 201, HI 213 □ Hum. II: HI 202, PO 202, HI 214, HI 262 Humanities III: Great Works of Art & Music Humanities IV: Great Works of Literature \Box Foreign Language/World Cultures (Select either two of the same language, any two WC, or one WC and one approved course with international study) □ ____ ____

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CHRISTIAN VALUES AND THEOLOGY (9 credits)

Catholic Theology □ TH 109 Intermediate Theology (200/300 level TH) \Box TH Values Seminar □____

MAJOR (49 Credits)

CM Core

- □ CM 130: Intro to Mass Communications
- □ CM 199: Communication Theory
- □ CM 206: Public Speaking
- □ CM 220: Journalism
- □ CM 310: Fundamentals of Public Relations
- □ CM 405: Communication Research Seminar-4 Credits

Controlled CM Electives: Choose seven of the

following courses: CM 205, 275, 290, 305, 309, 313, 314, 315, 316, 318, 319, 320, 325, 360, 365, 380, 390, 391, 460; EN/CM 212, 312, and 340; HCM 230, 280, 290, 314, 318, 391.

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Note: Students are encouraged to complete an internship, CM 391.

Controlled Pre-Professional Electives in Advertising, Marketing, and Public Relations

Track: Choose three of the following courses: MK 201, 220, or 325

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FREE ELECTIVES (24 credits)

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For the most up-to-date record of progress toward completion of degree requirements, students should use the Academic Evaluation tool, which is listed under the Academic Planning heading in WebAdvisor.

DE SALES UNIVERSITY Example Plan: COMMUNICATION STUDIES <u>(Advertising, Marketing, and/or Public Relations)</u>, B. A.

FIRST YEAR

<u>FALL SEMESTER</u> (15 credits and 1-credit PE) Intro to Mass Communication (CM 130)		<u>SPRING SEMESTER</u> (15 credits and 1-credit PE) Communication Theory (CM 199)	
Free Elective	or	Public Speaking (CM 206)	
Composition and Rhetoric I (EN 103)		Composition and Rhetoric II (EN 104)	
Philosophy MOT (PL 109)	or	Mathematics (MOT) MA 111 recommended	
Foreign Language/World Cultures I		Foreign Language/World Cultures II	
Lifetime Fitness and Wellness (PE 100)		Physical Education (Activity)	

SECOND YEAR

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits and 1-credit PE)

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Controlled Communication Elective *	or	Controlled Pre-Professional Elective **
Journalism (CM 220)	or	Controlled Communication Elective *
Social Science MOT	or	Catholic Theology (TH 109)
Humanities I		Humanities II
Free Elective	or	Literature MOT
Physical Education (Activity)		

THIRD YEAR

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FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)

Fundamentals of Public Relations (CM 310) Controlled Communication Elective * Controlled Communication Elective * Humanities III Free Elective

<u>SPRING SEMESTER</u> (15 credits)

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Controlled Pre-Professional Elective **
Controlled Communication Elective *
Intermediate Theology (200-300)
Humanities IV
Free Elective

FOURTH YEAR

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)

Controlled Communication Elective * Controlled Communication Elective * Free Elective Free Elective Free Elective

SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits)

or	Controlled Pre-Professional Elective **	
	Communication Research Seminar (CM 405)	
or	Values Seminar	
or	Natural Science MOT	
	Free Elective	

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** <u>Controlled Pre-Professional Electives in Advertising, Marketing, and Public Relations</u>: Choose three of the following courses: MK 201, 220, or 325

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