# **ACADEMIC MAP**





**COMMUNICATION STUDIES** 

Bachelor of Arts

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SEMESTER 1 - FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
UNIV 1101 UNIVERSITY SEMINAR I	1	$\checkmark$
COMM 1311 FOUNDATION OF COMMUNICATION	3	
UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM	3	

#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 16**

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SEMESTER 2 - SPRING	CREDITS COMPLETED
UNIV 1102 UNIVERSITY SEMINAR II	1
COMM 1318 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION	3
COMM 2333 SMALL GROUP COMMUNICATION	3
UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM	3
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#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 16**

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SEMESTER 3 - FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
COMM 2335 PRESENTATIONAL COMMUNICATION	3	
COMM 1321 BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION	3	
UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM	3	
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#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 15**

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SEMESTER 5 - FALL	CREDITS COMPLETED
COMM 3310 COMMUNICATION THEORY	3
COMM 3311 NONVERBAL COMMUNICATION	3
COLLEGE CORE	3
UPPER DIVISIONAL ELECTIVE	3
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#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 15**

4			
SEMESTER 4 - SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED	
COMM 2330 INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC RELATIONS	3		
MEDA 2350 MEDIA PERFORMANCE	3		
UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM	3		R
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UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM	3		

#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 15**

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SEMESTER 6 - SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED	
COMM 3326 RESEARCH METHODS	3		<b> </b>
COMM 4314 OR COMM 4315 GENDER COMMUNICATION OR COMMUNICATION AND SEXUALITY	3		EAR
COLLEGE CORE	3		ω
UPPER DIVISIONAL ELECTIVE	3		
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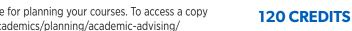
#### **TOTAL CREDITS: 15**

SEMESTER 8 - SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED	
COMM 4380 SENIOR SEMINAR IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES	3		~
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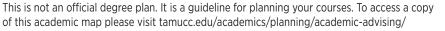
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#### 7 SEMESTER 7 - FALL CREDITS COMPLETED COMM 4345 INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION 3 **COMM 3350 LEADERSHIP** 3 UPPER DIVISIONAL ELECTIVE 3 UPPER DIVISIONAL ELECTIVE 3 UPPER DIVISIONAL ELECTIVE 3

TOTAL CREDITS: 15



120 CREDITS | FINISHED!



# CAREER MAP COMMUNICATION STUDIES Bachelor of Arts



The mission of the Department of Communication & Media is to develop students who are effective and ethical communicators with the creative, critical, and collaborative skills necessary to succeed in a diverse global environment. The focus of the program is to enhance students' knowledge and practical skills in various areas of human communication including organizational leadership, public relations, and relational communication. Communication Studies majors select an emphasis in either Communication Studies or Public Relations to fulfill their coursework.

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# **ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

National Communication Association, Public Relations Society of America, American Society for Newspaper Editors, International Communication Association

# **STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

• Island Waves Student Newspaper

- Student Government Association
- Film Club

CAREER OPTIONS
Public Relations
• Adversting/Marketing
• TV & Film production
• Journalism
• Social Media Manager
Training and Development
• Copywriter
Human Resources Management

# SKILLS/ATTRIBUTES

- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving
- Teamwork/Collaboration
- Oral/Written Communication