UH Next Degree Map

Wharton County Junior College

Strategic Communication – Organizational/Corporate Communication, B.A.
General Studies, A.A.

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YEAR 1	Semester 1 – WCJC		Semester 2 – WCJC	
	Core Communication ENGL 1301	3	Core Communication ENGL 1302	3
	Core American History HIST 1301	3	Core American History HIST 1302	3
	Core Mathematics	3	Core Social & Behavioral Science	3
	Core Component Area Option	3	Core Component Area Option	3
	Foreign Language	4	Foreign Language / CLASS Block	4

YEAR 2	Semester 3 – WCJC		Semester 4 – WCJC	
	Core Government GOVT 2305	3	Core Government GOVT 2306	3
	Core Life & Physical Science	4	Core Life & Physical Science	4
	Core Language, Philosophy, & Culture	3	Core Creative Arts	3
	General Elective	1	General Elective	1
	Foreign Language	3	Foreign Language	3

YEAR 3	Semester 5 – UH		Semester 6 – UH	
	COMM 1302 Intro to Communication Theory	3	COMM 2300 Comm Research Methods	3
	COMM 1303 Writing for Communicators	3	COMM 2311 Writing for Print & Digital Media	3
	COMM 1307 Media & Society	3	COMM 2356 Business & Professional Comm	3
	Advanced CLASS Peoples & Societies Course	3	COMM 3360 Principles of Strategic Comm	3
	Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3

YEAR 4	Semester 7 – UH		Semester 8 – UH	
	COMM 3369 Strategic Communication Writing	3	Strategic Communication Capstone	3
	COMM 4355 Organizational Communication	3	Approved Advanced Elective (see advisor)	3
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	Minor Course	3	Advanced CLASS Block Course	3
	Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3

See reverse for additional information

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UH Transfer Rules

- Courses taken at WCJC must be completed with a C- or better.
- A maximum of 66 lower-level transfer credits can be used towards a UH bachelor's degree.
- A maximum of 2 credit hours in physical activity courses can transfer.

Major Requirements

- **B.A. Foreign Language:** complete 6 hours of 2000-level foreign language courses. This can also be fulfilled in part or full through credit by exam.
- **CLASS Block:** complete 6 hours of CLASS coursework in two different fields outside of the major that does not overlap with core, B.A., or major requirements. Approved subjects include ANTH, ECON, ENGL (excluding 2311), GEOG, GOVT, HIST, PHIL, PSYC (excluding 2314), SOCI, or SPAN.
- **CLASS Peoples & Societies:** complete an approved course (see UH catalog).
- **Minor:** complete a minor or approved substitute. No more than 6 hours of major coursework can be used towards the minor.
- Complete all COMM and SPCH courses with a grade of C or better.

From CLASS to Careers

Students who graduate with a degree in Communications can pursue a large variety of careers and graduate programs. Recent graduates are employed in the following careers:

- Marketing Manager
- Public Relations Specialist and Manager
- Market Research Analyst and Marketing Specialist
- Business Operations Specialist
- Producer and Director
- Training and Development Specialist
- News Analyst, Reporter, and Journalist
- Web Developer
- Audio and Video Technician

The transferable skills students develop during their undergraduate career are important for future career and graduate school opportunities. Some of the skills recent graduates have emphasized include:

- Customer Service
- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Communication
- Sales
- Management and Leadership
- Social Media
- Event Planning

The estimated wage of Communication graduates is $75,300.