**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES**  
**ORGANIZATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2017/2018**

![Degree Core: 30 Units Required](image)

**General Education Pathways**  48 Units  
**Diversity Course Requirements**  6 Units  
**CMST Core, Option, Elective**  45 Units  
**Minor & Electives**  21 Units*  
**Total**  120 Units

*These units will vary depending on course selections with some CMST majors needing more or less.  
Monitor your DPR.

### DEGREE CORE: 30 UNITS REQUIRED

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### ORGANIZATIONAL COMMUNICATION OPTION: 15 UNITS REQUIRED

9 units required:
- **CMST 384** Advanced Interviewing Skills (CMST 131, 330, 331, with a grade of C- or higher; CMST 132 for CMST majors or by faculty permission for non-majors). Corequisite: CMST 370)  F/S  
- **CMST 470** Organizational Comm. Theories (CMST 131, 330, 331, & 370 with a grade of C- or higher for CMST majors or by faculty permission for non-majors)  F/S  
- **CMST 472** Organizational Leadership & Decision Making (ENGL 130, CMST 131, 330, 331, & 370 with a grade of C- or higher; CMST 132 for CMST majors or by faculty permission for non-majors)  F/S  

6 units required: (selected from the elective list on the reverse side)

### * General Education Courses
  ( ) Prerequisites are listed in parentheses after course title

**NOTE:** All majors must complete CMST 131, 330, 331, 350 & 370 with a C- or higher prior to enrolling in most 400 level courses. Students should review individual 400 courses for specific prerequisites. No more than 8 units of Forensics (CMST 339) may be counted toward total university requirements, only 3 units towards major.

**Formal Minor Requirement:** Communication Studies majors must complete a formal minor or a second major in a department outside of Communication Studies. Students must obtain their CMST major advisor's approval on their selection of a minor or a second major and meet with an advisor from their selected minor or second major. The CMST program does not recommend using a Pathway minor to satisfy this requirement.

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CMST ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTIONS:

CMST 234*  Gender and Communication  F/S  GE
CMST 255*  Argumentation and Debate  F/S  GE
CMST 339A  Forensics  F/S
CMST 339B  Forensics  F/S
CMST 339C  Forensics  F/S
CMST 382  Advanced Comm & Career Skills (CMST 131, 132, 330, all with a grade of C- or higher)  F/S
CMST 424  Public Opinion and Propaganda (CMST 131, 330, 331, 350 with a grade of C- or higher for CMST majors only)  F/S
CMST 428  Politics and the Media (CMST 131, 330, 331, 350 with a grade of C- or higher for CMST majors only)  FA
CMST 459  Health Communication (CMST 131, 330, 331, 370 with a grade of C- or higher; either CMST 334 or 335)  F/S
CMST 462  Rhetoric: Contexts and Issues (CMST 131, 330, 331, 350, 370, with a grade of C- or higher)  F/S
CMST 486  Contemporary Issues in Org. Comm. (CMST 131, 330, 331, 350, 370 with a grade of C- or higher)  F/S
CMST 488  Communication Issues in Nonprofits (CMST 131, 330, 331, 350, 370 with a grade of C- or higher)  F/S

Advising Tips:

- Students are advised to take CMST 330 & 331 together and then take CMST 332 the semester after.
- Organizational Communication Option students should complete CMST 350 & 370 at the same time; however if that is not possible, be sure to complete CMST 370 the semester after completing CMST 131, 330 & 331 with a C- or better. This will allow you to move into CMST 470 & 472.
- Regularly meet with a CMST faculty advisor. Go to THMA 201 to obtain an advisor and advising information.
- Complete course prerequisites in prescribed order.
- Declare your minor and meet with a minor adviser.
- Monitor your Degree Progress Report (DPR). The DPR provides current information on all degree requirements (GE, University, minor, major) met and unmet.