CMST Graduate Program Goals/SLOs ***Revised 4/2012***	**Required Core Courses**				**Seminars**								
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1. Articulate the discipline and related sub areas													
1.1 Discuss the current landscape and evolution of the discipline and /or sub areas through a variety of roots, noting critical points of development and significant contributors.	I	I	I	I	D	D	D	D	D	D	D		M
2. Appropriately apply communication theory to human communication phenomena.													
2.1 Compare the various theoretical perspectives associated with the discipline with regard to their assumptions, predominant focus, and weaknesses.	I		I		D	D	D	D	D	D	D		M
2.2 Analyze current communication phenomena using communication theory.	I		I	I	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	M	M
3. Apply knowledge of research methods to communication problems.													
3.1 Design and/or conduct a qualitative research study incorporating all the principles of good design.			I/D		D	D	D	D	D			M	M
3.2 Design and/or conduct a quantitative research study incorporating all the principles of good design.		I			D	D	D	D	D			M	M
3.3 Design/or conduct a rhetorical research study incorporating all the principles of good rhetorical scholarship.				I/D	D		D	D	D	D	D	M	M
4. Demonstrate in-depth knowledge of a specialized area of communication studies													
4.1 Present in written form a comprehensive understanding of a body of research in a specialized area.	I	I	I	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	M	M
4.2 Orally present and defend individual understanding of a body of research in a specialized area.	I			D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	M	M