

## Undergraduate Major Map

Catalog Year 2020  
College / School Communication, Arch + The Arts  
Major Communication Arts - BA  
Track / Concentration Organizational Communi Studies  
Career Path Four Year Freshman

### Fall Term 2020

May use one General Elective to satisfy the Foreign Language requirement if it has not been met.

Term Hours: 13  
Cum GPA: 2

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
Communication Arts Core	COM 3461	Intercultural Comm	3	C	See endnotes (1) Satisfies Social Science Group Two UCC requirement (2) Satisfies GL course requirement
UCC First Year Experience	SLS 1501	First Year Exper	1	C	
UCC Communication	ENC 1101	Writing and Rhetoric I	3		See endnotes (1) (4)
UCC Mathematics Group One			3	C	See endnotes (1) (4) (6)
UCC Arts			3		
General Electives	COM 1004	Intro to Comm Arts	0		

### Spring Term 2021

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Term Hours: 12  
Cum GPA: 2

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
UCC Communication	ENC 1102	Writing and Rhetoric II	3	C	See endnotes (1) (4)
UCC Mathematics Group Two			3	C	See endnotes (1) (4) (6)
UCC Social Science Group One			3		
UCC Social Science Group Two			3		

### Summer Term 2021

Use this semester to catch up on necessary coursework or work towards your summer hours. (3)

Term Hours: 6  
Cum GPA: 2

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
UCC Humanities Group One			3		See endnotes (1)
Communication Arts Prerequisite	SPC 2608	Public Speaking	3		

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Fall Term 2021					Term Hours: 10
					Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
Communication Arts Core	SPC 3602	Adv Public Speaking	3	C	Prerequisite of C or better in SPC 2608 required
General Electives			3		
UCC Natural Science Group One			3		(1) See endnotes Take Lecture with corresponding Lab
UCC Natural Science Group One			1		(1) See endnotes Take Lab with corresponding Lecture
UCC Humanities - Group Two			0		

Spring Term 2022					Term Hours: 13
					Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
General Electives			3	C	
UCC Natural Science - Group Two			3		(1) See endnotes Take Lecture with corresponding Lab
UCC Natural Science - Group Two			1		(1) See endnotes Take Lab with corresponding Lecture
General Electives			3		
Organizational Comm Track	COM 4310	Research Meth Comm	3		

Summer Term 2022					Term Hours: 6
Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes					Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
General Electives			3	C	See endnotes (1) Satisfies Humanities Group One (4) Also satisfies Gordon Rule Writing GRW
Communication Arts Core	SPC 3210	Communication Thry	3		

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<b>Fall Term 2022</b>					<b>Term Hours:</b> 12
					<b>Cum GPA:</b> 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
Organizational Communication	COM 3120	Organizational Comm	3	C	Select course from chosen track
General Electives			3		
Organizational Communication	SPC 3425	Small Group Comm	3		Take Lecture with corresponding Lab.
Organizational Communication	COM 4346	Interviewing	3		Take Lab with corresponding Lecture.

<b>Spring Term 2023</b>					<b>Term Hours:</b> 12
					<b>Cum GPA:</b> 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
General Electives			3		
General Electives			3		Select course from chosen track
Other Foundational Requirements			3		
Other Foundational Requirements			3		

<b>Summer Term 2023</b>					<b>Term Hours:</b> 9
Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes					<b>Cum GPA:</b> 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
Other Foundational Requirements			3		Select course from chosen track
Track Requirements			3		
Track Requirements			3		

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### Fall Term 2023

**Term Hours:** 15  
**Cum GPA:** 2

**Milestones:**

\* Please meet with an Academic Advisor to ensure you are eligible to graduate at the end of your final semester of coursework.

\* Submission of Application for Graduation: Please see the Academic Calendar ( <http://registrar.fiu.edu/index.php?id=88>) regarding the dates to apply for graduation

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Track Requirements			3		
Track Requirements			3		
General Electives			3		Select course from chosen track
General Electives			3		
General Electives			3		

### Spring Term 2024

**Term Hours:** 9  
**Cum GPA:** 2

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Critical Indicator	Course Notes
General Electives			3	C	
General Electives			3	C	
General Electives			3		May use one General Elective to satisfy the Global Learning requirement if it has not been met.

### Summer Term 2024

**Cum GPA:** 2

Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes

## General Requirements

\*Critical Indicator is the minimum grade indicated in specific courses to demonstrate proficiency and progress in major. Earning less than the minimum grade is a trigger for a conversation with advisor\*

### GENERAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

See your Panther Degree Audit (PDA) for a real-time update on your academic career progress and additional information on University and major requirements at <http://my.fiu.edu>.

(1) UCC: Students must meet the University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements. For a full list of UCC courses, see <http://undergrad.fiu.edu/advising/university-core-curriculum.html> or speak with your advisor. Students requesting to be transient must receive permission from the Dean of Undergraduate Education.

(2) Global Learning: Freshmen entering FIU Summer B 2010 or later must take at least two Global Learning (GL) designated courses at FIU. See <http://goglobal.fiu.edu>. Courses must be:

- 1 GL foundation course, which must be taken from the University Core Curriculum (UCC).
- 1 GL discipline-specific course (3000/4000 level)

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(3) Summer Hours Requirement: All students entering FIU or any university within the State University System (SUS) of Florida with fewer than 60 credit hours are required to earn at least nine credit hours prior to graduation by attending one or more summer terms at a university in the SUS.

(4) Gordon Rule: All Gordon Rule courses (i.e., UCC Communication, UCC Mathematics, and Gordon Rule with Writing (GRW) courses) must be completed with a minimum grade of "C." This requirement must be fulfilled within the first 60 credits. Students are required to complete at least two Gordon Rule with Writing (GRW) designated courses.

(5) Foreign Language Requirement for Graduation (FLENT/FLEX): A student who did not complete two years of the same foreign language in high school or at a post-secondary institution must successfully complete 8-10 credit hours of instruction in one foreign language prior to graduation. Exceptions include appropriate CLEP, AP, IB, TOEFL, or transfer credit. Contact your advisor for more information.

(6) UCC Mathematics: Math courses are categorized into either Group One or Group Two. One math course from each group is required unless the first math taken is from Group Two and has an immediate prerequisite in Group One. In this case, students will take two Math courses from Group Two. However, one of the two Math courses must have a MAC, MGF, or MTG prefix.

College of Communication, Architecture + the Arts: Selected Major Requirements

Grades: Students must earn a grade of "C" or higher in all courses required for the major. A grade of "C-" or lower is not acceptable in any required course.

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College of Communication, Architecture + the Arts: BA in Communication Arts Specific Requirements

Students are required to complete 18 credits in one of the following selected tracks:

Organizational Communication - <http://comm-arts.fiu.edu/academics-advising/courses/index.html>

Art and Performance - <http://comm-arts.fiu.edu/academics-advising/courses/index.html>

Design Studies - <http://comm-arts.fiu.edu/academics-advising/courses/index.html> College of Communication,

Architecture + the Arts: BA in Communication Arts Specific Requirements