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Committee Chair:	Committee Member:

Core Course Requirements (9 credit hours)

Course Name	Credits	Semester Taken	Grade
CMN 505 Methods in Applied Communication Research	3		
CMN 506 Humanistic Inquiry and Field Research in Communication	3		
CMN 502 Theory and Practice in Communication and Persuasion OR CMN 522: Argumentation and Advocacy	3		

Elective Substantive Course Requirements (Up to 21 credit hours)

Course Name	Credits	Semester Taken	Grade
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Option A: Comps Only	Option B: Applied Project	Option C: Thesis
Comprehensive Exam Required	Comprehensive Exam Required	Comprehensive Exam Required
Elective – 3 credits	CMN 593 - 3 credits	CMN 599 – 6 credits
Elective – 3 credits	Elective – 3 credits	Written & Oral Thesis Defense

What can you count as elective courses?
<p>What counts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Regularly scheduled 500-level CMN and select STC courses taught by MA program faculty
<p>What needs to be approved (in advance) by both your advisor & the graduate program director:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Individualized CMN courses (e.g., 580, 584, 590, 592) - 500-level courses taught by non-program faculty (e.g., courses in other colleges) - 400-level courses in any discipline - Courses transferred in from other universities
<p>What does not count:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 593, 595, or 599 credits - 100, 200, or 300-level courses

General Guidelines
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - You may apply only 3 credits of 400-level work toward the master’s degree, with faculty approval - You may apply only 3 credits of 584 Internship work toward the master’s degree, with faculty approval - You may only apply 6 credits from 500-level non-CMN courses toward your degree (including transfer credits) - You must meet all GPA and grade requirements outlined in the New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy - You must be enrolled in at least one credit that appears on your iPOS or one credit of CMN 595 continuing registration each Fall/Spring semester. - All coursework must be approved by your faculty advisor and formalized in the iPOS. Mere enrollment in a course does not entitle you to count it toward a graduate degree.