

College of Communication & Information
PROGRAM PLANNING FORM FOR M.S. IN COMMUNICATION & INFORMATION
Communication Studies Concentration – Coordinated in the School of Communication Studies

This form must be typed.

Student Name _____ Semester Entered _____

Core (15 hours)

Semester

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| _____ (3) CMST 680 Communication Theory | _____ |
| _____ (3) CMST 508 Quantitative Methods of Communication Research | _____ |
| _____ (3) CMST 509 Qualitative and Ethnographic Methods of
Communication Research | _____ |
| _____ (3) CMST 520 Foundations of Interpersonal Communication
Theory | _____ |
| _____ (3) CMST 550 Foundations of Organizational Communication
Theory and Research | _____ |

Concentration Courses (9 hours)

Take three graduate level CMST courses to make a cohesive substantive concentration.

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| _____ (3) CMST _____ | _____ |
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Elective Courses (3-6 hours)

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Capstone Experience (3-6 hours)

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| _____ (3) CMST 590 Project (3 hours) | _____ |
| OR | |
| _____ (3) CMST 500 Thesis (6 hours) | _____ |

_____ **Total course hours** must be no less than 33.

List all pre-requisite courses required at admission and indicate when they were taken: _____

To transfer graduate credits (9 maximum) from another program, indicate where courses were taken and how they fit into the program plan above: _____

Student Signature _____ Date: _____

Advisor _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Associate Dean _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

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