Master of Arts in Communication — Political Communication

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Active students should refer to their personalized Degree Works plan, and the Academic Catalog of their acceptance term for the most accurate degree requirements.

Graduate Foundations

	Code	Title	Hrs
☐	COM 500	Graduate Foundations for Communication/Arts	2
	Total Hours		**2**

Must be completed prior to or during first term.

Required Courses

	Code	Title	Hrs
☐	COM 566	Free Speech and Civic Discourse	3
☐	COM 600 / JRN 600	Story, Popular Culture & Worldview	3
☐	COM 601 / JRN 601	Media Research & Analysis	3
☐	COM 611	Media & Social Influence	3
☐	COM 664	Political Communication	3
☐	COM 691	Culminating Project Preparation	0
☐	GOV 604	Christian Foundations of Government	3
☐	GOV 614	American Politics	3
	Total Hours		**21**

[1] Students without an undergraduate degree in Mass Communication, Public Relations, Journalism, or a similar discipline are also required to take COM 504 Introduction to Communication Studies (3 credits).

Elective Group 1

	Code	Title	Hrs
	Communication, Journalism, or Government Electives — Choose 6 credits from below		
☐	COM 504	Introduction to Communication Studies	3
☐	COM 542	Multiplatform Writing	3
☐	COM 590	Independent Study	3
☐	COM 595	Internship	3
☐	COM 607	Social Media & Internet Marketing	3
☐	COM 610	Influence through Entertainment	3
☐	COM 614	Issues in Media Law & Ethics	3
☐	COM 628	Leadership Theory & Communication	3
☐	COM 631	Organizational Communication in the Digital Age	3
☐	COM 632	Media & the Church	3
☐	COM 636	Critical Approaches in Strategic Communication	3
☐	COM 651	Public Relations: Cases & Campaigns	3
☐	COM 652	Crisis Communication & Organizational Image	3
☐	COM 680	Communication Practicum	3
☐	COM 685	Masters Seminar	3
☐	COM 696	Directed Project	3
☐	COM 699	Thesis	3
☐	JRN 542	Multiplatform Writing	3
☐	JRN 550	Journalism Technology Tools	3
☐	JRN 566	Free Speech and Civic Discourse	3
☐	JRN 590	Independent Study	3
☐	JRN 595	Internship	3
☐	JRN 607	Social Media & Internet Marketing	3
☐	JRN 610	News Writing & Reporting	3
☐	JRN 613	Feature Writing & Specialty Reporting	3
☐	JRN 614	Issues in Media Law & Ethics	3
☐	JRN 628	Leadership Theory & Communication	3
☐	JRN 629	Reporting on American Government	3
☐	JRN 633	Multimedia Reporting & Mobile Field Production	3
☐	JRN 661	Community, Citizen & Civic Journalism	3
☐	JRN 680	Journalism Practicum	3
☐	JRN 699	Thesis	3
☐	GOV 625	International Relations Theory	3
☐	GOV 646	Special Topics in Government and Politics	3
☐	GOV 647	Special Topics in Government and Politics	3
☐	GOV 648	Special Topics in Government and Politics	3
☐	GOV 658	American Political Traditions	3
☐	GOV 677	Terrorism and Homeland Defense	3
☐	GOV 678	Crisis & Disaster Consequence Management	3
☐	HLTH 683	Health Care Policy and Ethics	3
	Total Hours		**6**

Choose 6 credits from the list above.

Culminating Experience

	Code	Title	Hrs
☐	COM 596 / GOV 695	Internship + COM 651 Public Relations: Cases & Campaigns	6

	— or —		
☐	COM 696 + COM 651	Directed Project + Public Relations: Cases & Campaigns	6
	— or —		
☐	COM 699	Thesis	6
	Total Hours		**6**

[2] Choose one culminating experience option. COM 691 Culminating Project Preparation (0 credits) must be completed prior to or alongside the culminating experience.

Graduation Requirements

✓ 33 Total credit hours (does not include Graduate Foundations course), ✓ 3.00 Minimum overall GPA

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