

Communication Studies Bachelor of Arts Supplementary Major (27 cr.) Suggested Plan of Study			
Department of Communication Studies: Phone 320-308-2216 or CMST@stcloudstate.edu			
The 27-cr. B.A. major is for students who desire a double major, and who have filed a primary major in another department. This major complements many different major programs of study. For assignment to an advisor, contact the department.			
First Semester		Second Semester	
¹ CMST 192 (3cr.) or ENGL 191 (4 cr.)	[3-4 cr.]	¹ CMST 192 (3cr.) or ENGL 191 (4 cr.)	[3-4 cr.]
Core General Ed.	[3 cr.]	Core General Ed.	[3 cr.]
General Ed. Distribution (2 courses)	[6 cr.]	General Ed. Distribution (2 courses)	[6 cr.]
PESS 122	[1 cr.]	University Elective	[3 cr.]
	13-14 cr.		15-16 cr.
Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
Core General Ed.	[3 cr.]	CMST 211 and (212 or 213)	[6 cr.]
General Ed. Distribution (2 courses)	[6 cr.]	<u>Secure a CMST advisor.</u>	
<u>Primary major filed</u> ; major coursework.	[6 cr.]	General Ed. Distribution	[3 cr.]
	15 cr.	Minor, 2 nd major, university electives	[6 cr.]
			15 cr.
Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
CMST 212 or 213 and a designated ² Area 2,3,4 course	[6 cr.]	CMST 311 and a designated Area 2,3,4 course	[6 cr.]
<u>³Consider option of CMST 444 internship.</u>		<u>Consider option of CMST 444 internship.</u>	
General Ed. Distribution	[3 cr.]	Primary major, university electives	[9 cr.]
Primary major, university electives	[6 cr.]		15 cr.
	15 cr.		
Seventh Semester		Eighth Semester	
Designated Area 2,3,4 course and a ⁵ "free" CMST elective	[6 cr.]	CMST 411 or 412	[3 cr.]
<u>Consider option of CMST 444 internship.</u>		<u>Consider option of CMST 444 internship.</u>	
Primary major, university electives	[9 cr.]	Primary major, university electives	[12 cr.]
	15 cr.		15 cr.

Notes:

For your information, the following CMST courses double count in the major and General Education: 212, 221, 241, 322, 332. CMST 332 is also both a General Education elective and a diversity course.

¹ If you do not take CMST 192 your first year, it is still possible to complete a CMST major in a timely manner. Contact a CMST advisor for assistance with program planning.

² Most CMST courses are divided into four areas: Area 1 Communication Foundations; Area 2 Collaboration, Advocacy and Change; Area 3 Global Perspectives; and, Area 4 Relational and Professional Communication. See the Undergraduate Bulletin (<http://bulletin.stcloudstate.edu/ugb/programs/cmst.asp>) for specification of courses within each area. For this major, CMST 312 can fulfill the Area 2 requirement.

³ For information about internships and specific internship requirements, contact the CMST Internship Director.

⁵ Students are required to take one course from each of Areas 2, 3, 4 and—in addition—one "free" electives from any area. Four courses should be at the 300 or 400 level and at least two courses at the 400 level. CMST 444, 491 and independent studies do not count toward the 300/400 level requirement, however, students are encouraged to consider such courses as counting toward university electives and the 45 cr. university requirement for upper-division coursework. CMST activities (291) and speech anxiety reduction (171) also count in university electives.