

DEGREE CHECKLIST (College of Arts and Sciences)

2014-2015 Catalog

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MAJOR B.A. — MASS COMMUNICATION

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

	Check	Hrs.
ACAD 101 (Required of first-time freshmen only)	_____	0-1
Critical Skills		
Writing and Critical Thinking		
WRIT 101 (A grade of B- or better is required as prerequisite for MCOM 241)	_____	3
CRTW 201 (A grade of C- or better is required)	_____	3
Quantitative Skills		
MATH 150, 151, 105, or 201	_____	3-4
Logic/Language/Semiotics		
Foreign Language (102-level proficiency required)	_____	3-4
SPCH 201	_____	3
Oral Communication (met in major)		0
Technology		
CSCI 101 and 101 B, F, & N	_____	3
Skills for Common Experience and Thinking Across Disciplines		
HMXP 102 (A grade of B- or better is required as prerequisite for MCOM 241)	_____	3
Global Perspectives (see approved list; may be met in major)	_____	0-3
_____	_____	0-3
Historical Perspectives (see approved list; may be met in major)	_____	0-3
_____	_____	0-3
Developing Critical Skills and Applying them to Disciplines		
Natural Science (See approved list, must include 7 hours from two of three categories; one course must be a lab science)	_____	3-4
_____	_____	3-4
Social Science		
See approved list: _____	_____	0-3*
PLSC 202	_____	3
ECON 103 or 215	_____	3
Humanities and Arts		
(see approved list; 3 hrs may be met in major; must include 2 designators)	_____	3
_____	_____	0-3
_____	_____	0-3*
*A <u>total</u> of 15 hours is required in Social Science/Humanities and Arts.		
Intensive Writing (met in major by MCOM 412)		0
Constitution Requirement (see approved list; may be met by other requirement)	_____	0-3
SUBTOTAL		40-55

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (41-42 semester hours)

Course & No.	Hrs.	Check	Course & No.	Hrs.	Check
MCOM 205	(3)	_____	MCOM 441	(3)	_____
MCOM 226	(3)	_____	MCOM 461 or 464	(1)	_____
MCOM 241	(3)	_____	MCOM 499	(1)	_____
*QMTM 205	(3)	_____	**MCOM _____	()	_____
MCOM 301	(3)	_____	**MCOM _____	()	_____
MCOM 310	(3)	_____	**MCOM _____	()	_____
MCOM 342	(3)	_____	**MCOM _____	()	_____
MCOM 412	(3)	_____	*** _____	()	_____
*Students who took MATH 150 should take MATH 141.					
**Must complete 9-10 hours of MCOM electives with emphasis on broadcasting, print, or other area. Adviser must approve electives.					
***Choose one from ENGL 502; GEOG 303, 304, 306; HIST 308, 501, 509 , 521, 552, 553, 560 , 561; PLSC 315, 317, 551; PSYC 320; RELG 300; SOCL 313, 314, 320					
Requirements for a Minor in (15-18 semester hours)					
Course & No.	Hrs.	Check	Course & No.	Hrs.	Check
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
Foreign Language Requirement (0-4)					
ELECTIVES (8-21 hours) (Allowable semester hours will vary depending on the requirements for the minor and the courses in the minor that can also count towards General Education requirements.)					
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
_____	()	_____	_____	()	_____
NOTES					
1. All MCOM majors MUST complete a minimum of 65 hours in the basic liberal arts and sciences: AAMS ANTH, ARTH, ARTS, ARTT, BIOL, CHEM, CHIN, CLAS, CMVS, CRTW, CSCI (except 101-151), DANA, DANT, ECON, ENGL, FREN, GEOG, GEOL, GERM, HMXP, GRNT, HLTH (except 300, 303), HIST, HONR, NUTR (except 208, 471 & higher), INAS, ITAL, JAPN, LATN, MATH, MLAN, MUSA, MUST, PHIL, PHSC, PHYS, PLSC, PSYC, QMTM, RELG, RUSS, SCIE, SOCL, SPAN, SPCH, THRA, THRT, VCOM, WMST, WRIT.					
2. No more than 40 hours in MCOM courses can apply toward the 124 hours required for the degree program; majors must complete 80 hours or more outside MCOM/IMCO.					
3. Unless stated otherwise, a single course may not be used for more than one General Education requirement or in a major and a minor.					
4. All Arts and Sciences majors require a minimum of 40 hours in courses numbered above 299.					
5. Attendance at three cultural events is required for each 20 hours completed in residence at Winthrop. Note exceptions in the undergraduate catalog.					
6. Designators that differ only for the purpose of theory and application will be considered the same designator.					
7. Complete WRIT 101, HMXP 102, and CRTW 201 with a C- or better by 75 hours.					