

**University of the Incarnate Word**  
**Unofficial Degree Plan – Communication Arts**

*Note – If students take bridge courses, the degree cannot be completed in 4 years unless courses are taken during the summers.*

Degree: **Bachelor of Arts** Major: **Communication Arts with Convergent Media Concentration**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Catalog: 2017-2019  
 Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Evaluator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bachelor’s Degree Institutional Requirements:** A minimum of 120 hours required for graduation to include: 45 hours of residency, 36 advanced hours (junior/community college courses will not satisfy), 36 of the last 45 hours from UIW, 45 clock hours community service, computer literacy (test or course credit).

University Core Curriculum	Req	Earned	Grade	Lacks
<b>Rhetoric (6)</b>				
ENGL 1311 Composition I	3			
ENGL 1312 Composition II	3			
<b>Wellness Development (3)</b>				
DWHP 1200 (3200 Transfer)	2			
PE Activity Course	1			
<b>Philosophy and Religion (9)</b>				
3 Hrs from: RELS 1305, 1315, 1325, 1335	3			
PHIL 1381 Introduction to Philosophy	3			
3 Hrs RELS or PHIL	3			
<b>Literature and the Arts (6)</b>				
ENGL 2310 World Literature Studies	3			
Fine Arts	3			
<b>Mathematics and the Natural Sciences (7)</b>				
MATH 1304 or 1306 or higher	3			
Science	4			
<b>History and the Behavioral Sciences (6)</b>				
3 Hours from: HIST 1311, 1312, 1321, 1322	3			
Social Science	3			
<b>Second Language (6)</b>				
	3			
	3			
<b>Community Service (45 Non-Credit Clock Hours)</b>				
Community Service Requirement				
<b>TOTAL UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM HOURS</b>		43		

\*\*Courses completed at junior/community colleges will not satisfy the advanced hour requirement for the degree.

Grade of C or better required in ENGL 1311, 1312 and all courses for Major/Minor/Concentration/Specialization.

\* Recommended course

Comm Arts Core Curriculum**	Req	Earned	Grade	Lacks
<b>28 Hours of COMM Arts Core</b>				
COMM 1100 Orientation Comm Arts	1			
COMM 1301 Intro to Mass Comm.	3			
COMM 1305 Computer Literacy	3			
COMM 1311 Public Speaking	3			
COMM 2315 Writing for the Media	3			
COMM 3310 Theories of Comm.	3			
COMM 4315 Media Ethics	3			
COMM 4328 Internship	3			
COMM 4332 Law and the Media	3			
COMM 4390 Senior Portfolio	3			

42 Hours of COMM Convergent Media Concentration	Req	Earned	Grade	Lacks
COMM 2343 Convergent Media I	3			
COMM 2320 Audio Production I	3			
COMM 2360 Video Production I	3			
COMM 2354 Journalism I	3			
COMM 3340 New Media Narrative	3			
COMM 4343 Convergent Media II	3			
COMM 4347 Social Media	3			
COMM 3365 Multimedia Design/Prod *	3			
COMM 4349 Electronic & Digital Writing *	3			
COMM 4305 Comm. Tech. & Society *	3			
COMM 3355 Publications Practicum * <i>or</i>	6			
COMM 3390 Radio Practicum * <i>or</i>				
COMM 3395 TV Practicum *				
COMM 3380 Announcing & Performing * <i>or</i> COMM 3353 Broadcast Journalism*	3			
COMM and General Electives (approval by advisor)	3			
<b>9 Semester Hours of English</b>				
ENGL 2365: Prof & Tech Comm	3			
ENGL 3375 or any Upper Level ENGL	3			
ENGL 3000 or 4000 Level	3			
<b>TOTAL UNIVERSITY CORE, COMM CORE, CONCENTRATION, ELECTIVES &amp; ENGLISH HOURS</b>		122		

University Core	43
Communication Arts Core	28
Convergent Media Concentration	21
Electives	21
English	9
	<b>122</b>