

Degree Progress Guide for Majors + Minors

Summer Fast Pass for Majors and Minors serves as a guide for how undergraduate students with a major and a minor can utilize summer to effectively manage their course schedule and make significant degree progress. It is intended to show what is possible with the inclusion of the summer term in a student's academic journey

The course options listed under each major + minor pairing were selected based on previous summer course offerings and major/minor requirements outlined on each individual department's website. Several course options are listed under each year to provide maximum flexibility for student scheduling and to encourage students to create their own personalized fast pass.

This specific guide is designed for undergraduate students admitted as a freshman who are **majoring in Communication Studies** and **minoring in Film TV & Digital Media**.

Disclaimer: Please note, the Summer Fast Pass for Majors + Minors serve as a **general guide ONLY**. Final enrollment decisions will ultimately depend on a student's current progress in the major and/or minor. It is a student's responsibility to ensure they meet the prerequisites for any courses prior to enrolling. Please defer to the major and/or minor's department for degree specific questions.

For each year, select 1-2 courses from Category A + 1 course from Category B:

YEAR 1

CATEGORY A (Communication Studies Summer Courses Offered)

COMM 1: Principles of Oral Communication (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

COMM 10: Introduction to Communication (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

ANTHRO 4: Culture & Communication (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

LING 1: Introduction to Study of Language (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

CATEGORY B (Film TV & Digital Media Minor Summer Courses Offered)

FILM TV 4: Introduction to Art and Technique of Filmmaking (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 33: Introductory Screenwriting (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 84A: Overview of Contemporary Film Industry (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

YEAR 2

CATEGORY A (Communication Studies Summer Courses Offered)

ECON 1: Principles of Economics (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

ECON 41: Probability & Statistics for Economists (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

POL SCI 40: Introduction to American Politics (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

PSYCH 10: Introductory Psychology (4 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

SOCIO 1: Introductory Sociology (5 units)

Satisfies one of the lower division course requirements for the Communication major.

COMM 100: Communication Science (4 units)

Satisfies a core requirement for the Communication major.

CATEGORY B (Film TV & Digital Media Minor Summer Courses Offered)

FILM TV 106C: History of African, Asian, and Latin American Film (6 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV M111: Women and Film (6 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the FILM TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 112: Film and Social Change (6 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the FILM TV & Digital Media minor.

YEAR 3

CATEGORY A (Communication Studies Summer Courses Offered)

COMM 109: Entrepreneurial Communication (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

COMM 110: Gender and Communication (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Interpersonal Communication core area,

COMM 114: Understanding Relationships (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Interpersonal Communication core area.

COMM 140: Theory of Persuasive Communication (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Mass Communication and Media Institutions core area.

COMM 148: Marketing Communications (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

LING 103: Introduction to General Phonetics (5 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

CATEGORY B (Film TV & Digital Media Minor Summer Courses Offered)

FILM TV M117: Chicanos in Film/Video (5 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 122D: Film Editing (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 122E: Digital Cinematography (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 114: Film Genres (5 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

YEAR 4

CATEGORY A (Communication Studies Summer Courses Offered)

COMM 156: Social Networking (4 units)

May satisfy the upper division requirement for the Communication Technology and Digital Systems core area.

COMM 157: Celebrity, Fame, and Social Media (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

COMM 166: Inside Hollywood (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

COMM 187: Ethical and Policy Issues in Institutions of Mass Communication (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

SOCIO 133: Collective Behavior (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

PSYCH 135: Social Psychology (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

LING 170: Language and Society: Introduction to Sociolinguistics (5 units)

May satisfy an upper division elective requirement for the Communication major.

CATEGORY B (Film TV & Digital Media Minor Summer Courses Offered)

FILM TV 122J: Disney Feature: Then and Now (5 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 122M: Film and Television Directing (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 183A: Producing I: Film and Television Development (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 183B: Producing II: Entertainment Economics (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.

FILM TV 183C: Producing III: Marketing, Distribution, and Exhibition (4 units)

May satisfy an upper division course requirement for the Film TV & Digital Media minor.