NDSU | NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, & SOCIAL SCIENCES
MAJOR: NEW MEDIA and WEB DESIGN
ACADEMIC YEAR: 2013-2014
DEGREE TYPE: B.A. or B.S.
REQUIRED DEGREE CREDITS TO GRADUATE: 122

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – 40 CREDITS
Lower Division Requirements – 37 Credits
First Year Experience (F) - 1 Credit

UNIV	189	Skills for Academic Success	1 cr

Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take UNIV 189.

Communication (C) - 9 Credits

ENGL	110	College Composition I	3 cr
ENGL	120	College Composition II	3 cr
COMM	110	Fund of Public Speaking	3 cr

Quantitative Reasoning (R) - 3 Credits
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Science & Technology (S) - 10 Credits

CSCI	116	Business Use of Computers	4 cr

A one-credit lab must be taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded lab experience equivalent to a one-credit course. Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Humanities & Fine Arts (A) - 6 Credits
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Social & Behavioral Sciences (B) - 6 Credits
Social & Behavioral Science category met by courses taken within the major.

Wellness (W) - 2 Credits
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Cultural Diversity (D)

COMM	216	Intercultural Communication

Global Perspectives (G)
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Upper Division Requirements - Writing – 3 Credits

ENGL 320, 321, 323, 324, 325, 357, 358, or 459	3 cr

Degree Requirements:

Bachelor of Science (BS) Degree – The completion of a minor program of study is required.

Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree – Proficiency at the second year level in a foreign language required.

AH&SS COLLEGE REQUIREMENT - 12 CREDITS REQUIRED
Courses used to satisfy any general education requirement cannot be used toward AH&SS College Requirements. A minimum of three credits is required in each of the FOUR following areas for a total of 12 credits. Choose only those courses with the prefixes listed for each area. A course with the WGS prefix can only be used in one area.
Area One: Humanities - 3 Credits
ARB, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HIST, HUM, PHIL, RELS, SPAN, or WGS
Area Two: Social Sciences – 3 Credits
ANTH, CJ, COMM, EMGT, POLS, SOC or WGS
Area Three: Fine Arts – 3 Credits
ART, MUSC or THEA
Area Four: Outside Student's Major Area- 3 Credits
Three credits from Area 1, 2 or 3 that is outside the student's major area (i.e. If your major is COMM, the course to fulfill this area cannot be ANTH, CJ, EMGT, POLS, or SOC)

PRE-COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENTS - 21 CREDITS REQUIRED
Students must complete 21 credits of selected courses with a grade of 'B' or above to become a communication major. These courses may be repeated only once for this major.

ENGL	120	College Composition II	3 cr
COMM	110 or	Fund of Public Speaking or	3 cr
	111	Honors Public Speaking	
COMM	112	Understanding Media and Social Change	3 cr
COMM	114	Human Communication	3 cr
COMM	212	Interpersonal Communication	3 cr
COMM	216	Intercultural Communication	3 cr
SOC	110 or	Introduction to Sociology or	3 cr
POLS	110 or	Introduction to Political Science or	
PSYC	111 or	Introduction to Psychology or	
CJ	201	Introduction to Criminal Justice	

PROFESSIONAL NEW MEDIA & WEB DESIGN MAJOR - 46 CREDITS
Core - 28 Credits

COMM	200	Introduction to Media Writing	3 cr
COMM	260	Principles of Internet Web-Based Design	3 cr
COMM	261	Introduction to Web Development	3 cr
COMM	320	Communication Analysis	3 cr
COMM	363	Advanced Web Design	3 cr
COMM	442	Digital Media & Society	3 cr
COMM	496	Internship/Capstone Experience	3 cr
CSCI	160	Computer Science I	4 cr
CSCI	371	Web Scripting Languages	3 cr

Advanced Electives - 12 Credits – Select four courses

ART	185	Digital Media	CSCI	122	Visual BASIC
ART	285	Digital Media II	CSCI	159	Comp Sci Problem Solving
COMM	242	Adv. News Photography	CSCI	227	Computer Fundamentals I
COMM	345	Princ. of Broadcast Prod	CSCI	277	Introduction to UNIX
COMM	362	Princ. of Design for Print	ENGL	457	Electronic Communication
COMM	431	Communication Ethics			
COMM	465	Convergence Media			

Major Electives - 6 Credits – Select two courses

ANTH	465	Web-Based Media in Anth.	COMM	494	Independent Study 1-5 cr
COMM	310	Advanced Media Writing	CSCI	445	Software Projects Capstone
COMM	313	Editorial Processes	CSCI	488	Human-Computer Interaction
COMM	434	Communication Law			

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS - 19 CREDITS TO REACH 122