

SUGGESTED THREE-YEAR GRADUATION PLAN



Electronic Media – Electronic Media Production – Bachelor of Science

[CI-BS-ELMD-ELMP]

College of Communication and Information

School of Journalism and Mass Communication

Catalog Year: 2012–2013

This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designated as critical (in boldface and shaded areas) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Important Notes
Post-Secondary Coursework or Credit By Examination Upon Entry as a Freshman: [30 Credit Hours]					
HIST 12070 History of the United States: Formative Period	3				Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and diversity requirement
HIST 12071 History of the United States: Modern Period	3				Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and diversity requirement
Kent Core Composition	6				See list of Kent Core courses that can be earned through AP, CLEP or CBE exams on page 4
Kent Core Fine Arts	3				
Kent Core Social Sciences	6				
Kent Core Basic Sciences	3				
Kent Core Additional	3				
Non-JMC General Elective (lower or upper division)	3				
Semester One: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: successfully complete Grammar, Usage and Punctuation Test with minimum 70 percent score					
JMC 20004 Media Writing	3		B-	■	
COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3				Fulfills Kent Core Additional
JMC 20003 Introduction to Mass Communication	3		C-	■	
JMC 22002 Videography Basics I	1		C-	■	
JMC 22003 Videography Basics II	1		C-	■	
US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience	1				Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
Liberal Studies Elective	3				See note 4 on page 3
Semester Two: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.750 GPA					
JMC 23030 Basic Video Production	3		C-	■	
JMC 23031 Basic Audio Production	3		C-	■	
MATH 11009 Modeling Algebra (4) or MATH 11010 Algebra for Calculus (3)	3-4				Fulfills Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning; credit for MATH 11010 may be earned through CLEP
VCD 14001 Visual Design Literacy	3				
Liberal Studies Elective	3				See note 4 on page 3
Semester Three: [17 Credit Hours]					
ENG 30064 Argumentative Prose or ENG 30065 Expository Prose Writing or ENG 30066 Writing in the Public Sphere	3	■			
JMC 20008 Audience Analysis and Research	3		C-	■	
JMC 30004 Writing for Electronic Media	2	■	C-	■	
JMC Elective I	6	■	C-	■	See note 1 on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]					
JMC Elective II	6	■	C-	■	See note 2 on page 2
Non-JMC General Electives (upper-division)	6	■			
Liberal Studies Elective (lower or upper division)	3				See note 4 on page 3
Summer II: [1 Credit Hour]					
JMC 40092 Internship	1	■	S	■	Fulfills experiential learning requirement
Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]					
LIS 30010 Information Fluency in the Workplace and Beyond	3	■			
JMC Elective III	3	■	C-	■	See note 3 below
Liberal Studies Electives (lower or upper division)	9				See note 4 on page 3

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Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours]					
JMC 40006 Law of Mass Communication	3	■	C-	■	
JMC 40010 Ethics and Issues in Mass Communication	3	■	C	■	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
JMC Elective III	3	■	C-	■	See note 3 on page 3
Liberal Studies Electives (lower or upper division)	3				See note 4 on page 3
Non-JMC General Elective (lower or upper division)	4				Number of credits required depends on meeting minimum 124 credit hours and 39 upper-division hours

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Global / Domestic Diversity Course	Writing-Intensive	Experiential Learning	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
124	39	36	Kent Core or general elective / HIST 12070	JMC 40010	JMC 40092	2.750	2.750

Kent Core Summary

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
Composition (6-8 credit hours) <i>ENG 11002, 11011, 21011; HONR 10197, 10297</i>	Enrollment based on placement test	6-8
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	3-4 credit hours fulfilled in this major with MATH 11009 or 11010	0
Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours) <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences and minimum one course from fine arts</i>	6 credit hours are fulfilled in this major with HIST 12070 and 12071; choose 3 credit hours from Fine Arts that may fulfill diversity requirement	3
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>	May fulfill diversity requirement	6
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>		6-7
Additional (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two Kent Core categories</i>	3 credits fulfilled in this major with COMM 15000; remaining course may fulfill diversity requirement	3

Notes for Electronic Media Major:

- Only general elective courses may be taken as pass/fail, of which maximum 12 credit hours may be taken as pass/fail.
- Minimum 80 credit hours must be taken outside the School of Journalism and Mass Communication, with 65 of those hours in liberal studies courses.
- Students must meet the requirements in the catalog to declare a journalism and mass communication major.

Note 1: **JMC elective I (6 credit hours), choose from the following*:**

JMC 33032 Audio Studio Production	3	JMC 33042 Video Studio Production	3
JMC 33033 Audio Field Production	3	JMC 33043 Video Field Production	3

Note 2: **JMC elective II (6 credit hours), choose from the following*:**

JMC 33032 Audio Studio Production	3	JMC 40035 Television Graphics	3
JMC 33033 Audio Field Production	3	JMC 40036 Non-Linear Video Editing	3
JMC 30034 Programming for Electronic Media	3	JMC 40037 Scriptwriting for Video and Film	3
JMC 33036 Basic Media Engineering	3	JMC 44045 Promotions for Electronic Media	3
JMC 33042 Video Studio Production	3	JMC 45001 Lighting for Video Production	3
JMC 33043 Video Field Production	3	JMC 45005 Historical Television Documentary	3
JMC 34050 Promotions for Electronic Media	3	JMC 46057 Motion Graphics	3
JMC 40013 Television Sports Production	3		

* Any JMC course taken is calculated in the major GPA

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Note 3: JMC elective III (6 credit hours), choose from the following*:

JMC 44050 Audio for Video	3	JMC 46054 Broadcast Documentary	3
JMC 45010 Digital Film Preproduction	3	JMC 49021 Corporate Video	3
JMC 45013 Digital Film Postproduction	3	*Any JMC course taken is calculated in the major GPA	

Note 4: Liberal Studies Electives (21 credit hours) choose from the following: the specific courses that are listed below and all courses with the following designations count toward the Liberal Studies Requirement: AMST, ANTH, ARAB, ARTH, AS, ASL, BSCI, BTEC, CACM, CHEM, CHIN, CLAS, CLS, ECON, ENG, EXPR, FR, GEOG, GEOL, GER, GRE, HEBR, HIST, HONR, HRTG, IAKM, ITAL, JAPN, LAT, LIS, MATH, MCLS, PAS, PHIL, PHY, POL, PORT, PSYC, RUSS, SOC, SPAN, WMST.

Architecture (ARCH)

10001 Understanding Architecture	3
10011 Survey of Architectural History I	3
10012 Survey of Architectural History II	3
10111 History of Architecture I	3
20201 Beyond Western Architecture	3
45210 Renaissance Architecture	3
45211 Baroque Architecture	3
45220 American Architecture: Colonial to 1900	3
46263 Modern Architecture	3

Communication Studies (COMM)

15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3
21000 Communication Grammar Review	1
25902 Communication Theory	3
26000 Criticism of Public Discourse	3
26001 Public Communication in Society	3
30000 Communication Research Methods	3
35852 Intercultural Communication	3
35912 Gender and Communication	3
45006 Media Use and Effects	3
45007 Freedom of Speech	3
45091 Seminar in Communication Studies	1-4

Computer Science (CS)

10001 Computer Literacy	3
33006 Social and Ethical Issues in Computing	3

Cultural Foundations (CULT)

29535 Education in a Democratic Society	3
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Dance (DAN) no technique courses

27076 Dance as an Art Form	3
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Entrepreneurship (ENTR)

27056 Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3
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Fashion Design and Merchandising (FDM)

20013 History of Costume	3
30013 Fashion and Pop Culture	3

Gerontology (GERO)

14029 Introduction to Gerontology	3
30656 Psychology of Aging	3

Human Development and Family Studies (HDFS)

24011 Interpersonal Relationships and Families	3
24013 Early Adolescence	3

Health Education (HED)

32544 Human Sexuality	3
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Justice Studies (JUS)

12000 Introduction to Justice Studies	3
26704 Issues in Law and Society	3
33300 Development of Justice in America	3
33400 Crime and Justice in Popular Culture	3

Management and Information Systems (MIS)

24053 Introduction to Computer Applications	3
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Music (MUS) no technique courses

22111 The Understanding of Music	3
22121 Music as a World Phenomenon	3
22131 Survey of Rock Music History	3
42101 Roots of Rock	3
42111 African Music and Cultures	3
42131 America's Music	3
43141 Folk and Traditional Music of Western Continents	3
42151 Asian Musics	3
42161 History of Jazz	3

Nutrition and Dietetics (NUTR)

23511 Science of Human Nutrition	3
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Physical Education-Professional (PEP)

25059 Sport in Society	3
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Public Health (PH)

10001 Introduction to Public Health	3
10002 Introduction to Global Health	3
20001 Essentials of Epidemiology	3
30002 Introductory Biostatistics	3
30005 Social and Behavioral Science Theories in Public Health	3
30006 Environmental Health Sciences	3
44000 Health Disparities	3

Recreation, Park and Tourism Management (RPTM)

16000 Foundations of Recreation and Leisure	3
26001 Introduction to Community Inclusion of Individuals with Disabilities	3
26010 Community Development and Recreation	3
36085 Leisure and Culture	3

Sport Administration (SPAD)

25059 Sport in Society	3
35021 Governance in Sport	3
45024 Sport in Global Perspective	3
45026 Sport and the Media	3

Special Education (SPED)

23000 Introduction to Exceptionalities	3
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Theatre (THEA) no technique courses

11000 The Art of the Theatre	3
31112 History of Theatre and Drama I	3
31113 History of Theatre and Drama II	3

Visual Communication Design (VCD)

14001 Visual Design Literacy	3
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Kent Core Courses That Can Be Earned Through Exams

LEGEND: G – Global Diversity; D – Domestic Diversity; LAB – Laboratory

				Minimum AP score ¹	Minimum CLEP score ²	Minimum CBE score ³
COMPOSITION						
ENG	11011	College Writing I (3)		3	50	C
ENG	21011	College Writing II (3)				C
MATHEMATICS AND CRITICAL REASONING						
CS	10051	Introduction to Computer Science (4)		3		
MATH	11010	Algebra for Calculus (3)			50	
MATH	11012	Intuitive Calculus (3)				C
MATH	12002	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I (5)		3	50	C
MATH	14001	Basic Mathematical Concepts I (4)				C
MATH	14002	Basic Mathematical Concepts II (4)				C
PHIL	21002	Introduction to Formal Logic (3)				C
HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS						
Humanities in Arts and Sciences						
ENG	22073	Major Modern Writers: British and United States (3)		3	50	
G HIST	11050	History of Civilization I (3)		3		C
G HIST	11051	History of Civilization II (3)		3		C
D HIST	12070	History of the United States: The Formative Period (3)		3	50	C
D HIST	12071	History of the United States: The Modern Period (3)		3	50	C
HIST	1xxxx	European History (3)		3		
Fine Arts						
ARCH	10012	Survey of Architectural History II (3)				C
ARTH	22006	Art History I: Ancient and Medieval Art (3)		3		
MUS	22111	The Understanding of Music (3)				C
G MUS	22121	Music as a World Phenomenon (3)				C
SOCIAL SCIENCES						
ECON	22060	Principles of Microeconomics (3)		3	50	
ECON	22061	Principles of Macroeconomics (3)		3	50	
GEOG	10160	Introduction to Geography (3)				C
G GEOG	17063	World Geography (3)				C
D GEOG	17064	Geography of the United States and Canada (3)				C
G GEOG	22061	Human Geography (3)		3		
G POL	10004	Comparative Politics (3)		3		
D POL	10100	American Politics (3)		3	50	
D PSYC	11762	General Psychology (3)		3	50	
D PSYC	20651	Child Psychology (3)			50	
D SOC	12050	Introduction to Sociology (3)			50	
BASIC SCIENCES						
BSCI	10110	Biological Diversity (4)		3	50	
BSCI	10120	Biological Foundations (4)		4	50	
LAB BSCI	11010	Anatomy and Physiology I for Allied Health (3)				C
LAB BSCI	11020	Anatomy and Physiology II for Allied Health (3)				C
CHEM	10030	Chemistry in Our World (3)				C
CHEM	10050	Fundamentals of Chemistry (3)				C
CHEM	10052	Introduction to Organic Chemistry (2)				C
CHEM	10054	General and Elementary Organic Chemistry (5)				C
CHEM	10060	General Chemistry I (4)		3	50	C
CHEM	10061	General Chemistry II (4)		5	50	C
LAB CHEM	10062	General Chemistry I Laboratory (1)		4		
GEOL	11040	Earth Dynamics (3)				C
GEOL	11042	Earth History (3)				C
GEOL	21062	Environmental Geology (3)		3		C
GEOL	21080	Oceanography (3)				C
PHY	11030	Seven Ideas that Shook the Universe (3)				C
PHY	13001	General College Physics I (4)		3		C
PHY	13002	General College Physics II (4)		3		C
PHY	13011	College Physics I (2)				C
PHY	13012	College Physics II (2)				C
LAB PHY	13021	General College Physics Laboratory I (1)		3		
LAB PHY	13022	General College Physics Laboratory II (1)		3		
PHY	21040	Physics in Entertainment and the Arts (3)				C
PHY	21430	Frontiers in Astronomy (3)				C
PHY	23101	General University Physics I (5)		3		C
PHY	23102	General University Physics II (5)		3		C

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- For more information on CLEP at Kent State, visit www.kent.edu/career/testing/clep.
- For more information on CBE at Kent State, visit www.kent.edu/registrar/info/cbe.cfm.

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