Sports Media & Communication-BA THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND FALL 2022-SPRING 2023

120 Credits Total 30-45 Credits in Major

ABOUT THE SPORTS MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION DEGREE:

In URI's BA program in sports media and communication studies students gain critical and theoretical knowledge and practical experience in sports media, including, but not limited to, sports journalism, broadcasting, public relations, writing, communication, and sports data and analytics. Courses range from critical-cultural analysis to quantitative and critical-analytical studies of sports media and communication. Course work is coupled with practical and professional experience in various aspects of the sports media and communication industry via a required internship.

Step 1:

Prerequisite to Major:

Course	Semester	Credits	Grade
COM 100*		3	
(C or better)		5	

Major Requirements:

PRS 490

Major Requir	ements:		
Course	Semester	Credits	Grade
COM 203		3	
COM 204		3	
COM 385*		3	
PRS 360		3	
SMC 220		3	
SMC 303		3	
COM, JOR, FLM, PRS, SMC 477 or ITR 302		3	
9 credits may be			
electives, but stu sequence from a			hoose a
414, 441 Sports Media Pro JOR 221, 415, 32 Strategic Sports (COM 340, 345, 4	25, 430; FLM Communicati	110, 220, 35 on and Inform	1,444
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	Harringtor	Core:	
COM 100*		3	
WRT 104*		3	
SCM 105		3	
FLM 101* or JOR 110*		3-4	
COM 410, FLM 495, JOR 411, or		3-4	

42 credits at the 300-level or higher (major and general education courses may fulfill this requirement)

Course	Credits	Course	Credits

Free elective credits

(to meet the 120 credits required for graduation):

Course	Credits	Course	Credits

*Course approved for general education credit

Please note: Both major and cumulative GPA must be 2.00 or higher in order to graduate.

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GENERAL EDUCATION GUIDELINES: General education is 40 credits. Each of the twelve outcomes (A1-D1) must be met by at least 3 credits. A single course may meet more than one outcome, but cannot be double counted towards the 40 credit total. At least one course must be a Grand Challenge (G). No more than twelve credits can have the same course code (note- HPR courses may have more than 12 credits). General education courses may also be used to meet requirements of the major or minor when appropriate.

Step 2:

<u>Step 3:</u>

General Education Credit Count		t	General Education Outcome Audit		
				Course	
At least 40 cr	edite no mo	re than 12 credits	with the	KNOWLEDGE	
At least 40 cl	same cou			A1. STEM	
	Τ		G	A2. Social & Behavioral Sciences	
Course	Cr.	Course	Cr.	A3. Humanities	
				A4. Arts & Design	
				COMPETENCIES	
				B1. Write effectively	
				B2. Communicate effectively	
				B3. Mathematical, statistical, or computational strategies	
				B4. Information literacy	
				RESPONSIBILITIES	
				C1. Civic knowledge & responsibilities	
				C2. Global responsibilities	
				C3. Diversity and Inclusion	
				INTEGRATE & APPLY	
				D1. Ability to synthesize	
				GRAND CHALLENGE	
		Total Gen Ed		G. Check that at least one course of your 40 credits is an approved "G"	
		credits	40	course	

SEE OPPOSITE SIDE FOR PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS.

NOTE: This worksheet sheet is a snapshot of your entire curriculum. You must work with your advisor each term to discuss requirements to keep you on course for timely progress to complete this major. Official requirements for graduation are listed in the University Catalog.