

**Communication Arts: Writing**

Recommended Four-Year Plan (Fall 2020)

**School of Contemporary Arts**

This recommended four-year plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students must meet with their Major Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree. This plan assumes that no developmental courses are required. If developmental courses are

needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which are not listed in the plan and degree completion may take longer. Three writing intensive courses are required in the major and/or school core (examples are marked by WI designation in the plan below). Consult with your advisor for specific details.

**NOTE:** This recommended Four-Year Plan is applicable to students admitted into the major during the 2020-2021 academic year.

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| **First Year** | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | ✓ | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | ✓ |
| Gen Ed: INTD 101- First Year Seminar | 4 |  | Gen Ed: (SR) Scientific Reasoning | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: CRWT 102-Critical Reading & Writing 2 | 4 |  | Gen Ed: (HP) Historical Perspectives | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: SOSC 110-Social Science Inquiry | 4 |  | COMM 204-Media Literacy | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: (QR) Quantitative Reasoning  MATH 104-Math for the Modern World recommended | 4 |  | COMM 221-Speech for Communication Arts | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: CNTP 001 – Career Pathways Module 1 | Degree Rqmt. |  |  |  |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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| **Second Year** | | | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | | | **HRS** | ✓ | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | ✓ |
| Gen Ed: AIID 201 - Studies in Arts and Humanities | | | 4 |  | Gen Ed: (SSS) Systems, Sustainability, and SocietyOR (VE) Values and Ethics  Must be Outside of CA | 4 |  |
| History/Theory/Criticism Course Level 200 – | | | 4 |  | Gen Ed: (GA) Global Awareness | 4 |  |
| (Category 2) – Some are | WI |  |
| Gen Ed (CC) Culture and Creativity  LITR 280-Intro to Creative Writing recommended | | | 4 |  | COMM 220-Story Structure:  Documentary/Fiction Film WI | 4 |  |
| Literature Elective (Category 4) | | | 4 |  | Elective or minor | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: CNTP 002 – Career Pathways Module 2 | | | Degree Rqmt. |  | Career Pathways: CNTP 003 – Career Pathways Module 3 | Degree Rqmt. |  |
| **Total:** | | | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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| **Third Year** | | | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | ✓ | **Spring Semester** | | | **HRS** | ✓ |
| History/Theory/Criticism Course Level 300 | 4 |  | COMM 304-Writing for Publication | WI |  | 4 |  |
| Writing Elective (Category 3) | 4 |  | History/Theory/Criticism Course Level 300 | | | 4 |  |
| Elective or minor | 4 |  | Literature Elective (Category 4) | | | 4 |  |
| Elective or minor | 4 |  | Elective or minor | | | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | | | 16 |  |

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| **Fourth Year** | | | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | | | **HRS** | ✓ | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | ✓ |
| COMM 319-Creative Non-Fiction | | | 4 |  | Capstone Portfolio Course/COMM 423-  Senior Project: Writing | 4 |  |
| CNTP 388-Co-Op/Internship Contemporary  Arts | | | 4 |  | Writing Concentration Elective (Category 7) | 4 |  |
| School Core: CA Upper Level Interdisciplinary | | | 4 |  | Elective or minor | 4 |  |
| Course – | WI |  |
| Elective or minor | | | 4 |  | Elective in the major | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | | | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

**Total Credits Required:** 128 credits