B.A. Public Relations & Strategic Communication (45 credits) 2018 – 2019

	Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Co/Pre- Reqs	Year / Semester Taken
	COMM 104	Interpersonal Communication	3	Pre-Req: N/A	
	COMM 107	Principles & Theories of Communication	3	Co-Req: WRIT 101	
	COMM 218	Public Relations and Strategic Communica	tion 3	Pre-Req: COMM 107	
	COMM 236	Public Speaking in a Digital Age	3	Pre-Req: N/A	
	COMM 250	Organizational Communication	3	COMM 107	
	COMM 305	Race, Class, and Gender in Media	3	Pre-Req: WRIT 102 or 201; any previous COMM or JOUR course	
	COMM 314	Persuasion	3	Pre-Req: WRIT 102 or 201 & COMM 107	
	COMM 321	Communication Campaigns**	3	Pre-Req: WRIT 102 or 201; COMM 107 or permission of department	
	COMM 450	Research Seminar	3	Pre-Req: Senior Class Standing	
□ COMM 104 Interpersonal Communication 3 Pre-Req: N/A □ COMM 107 Principles & Theories of Communication 3 Co-Req: WRIT 101 □ COMM 218 Public Relations and Strategic Communication 3 Pre-Req: COMM 107 □ COMM 236 Public Speaking in a Digital Age 3 Pre-Req: WRIT 101 and COMM 107 □ COMM 250 Organizational Communication 3 Pre-Req: WRIT 102 or 201; any previous COMM or JOUR course □ COMM 305 Race, Class, and Gender in Media 3 any previous COMM or JOUR course □ COMM 314 Persuasion 3 Pre-Req: WRIT 102 or 201 & COMM 107 or permission of department □ COMM 321 Communication Campaigns** 3 Pre-Req: Senior Class					
	BUS/COMM 232 Advertising I COMM 299 Independent Study/Internship** COMM 331 Small Group BUS 293 Public Relations COMM 304 Global Media Studies COMM 333 Fashion, Me BUS/COMM 306 Advertising & Society COMM 308 Special Topics in Communication COMM 344 Advocacy & BUS 335 Digital Marketing COMM 312 Digital Cultures COMM 359 Directing Vi BUS 345 Marketing Research COMM 315 Health Promotion & Communication COMM 112 Storytelling COMM 225 New Media Techniques COMM 316 Intercultural Communication COMM 395 Media, Law & Note: Students MUST take 3 of the 6 courses at the 300/400 level or higher. ** Students may take up to 15 credits of Internships & Independent Studies combined. A maximum of 3 Internship credits can be applied the major. Independent Studies cannot be applied towards the major.				
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Pub	lic Relations &	Strategic Communication Major	45		
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DIVISION OF COMMUNICATION & MEDIA ARTS

8 Semester Academic Plan

B.A. PUBLIC RELATIONS & STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

(Note: Courses highlighted in red/bolded should be taken in the semester indicated)

Freshman Year- Review your degree requirements; c	onsider addin	g a minor	
Fall:	Credits	Spring:	Credits
WRIT 101 Writing Seminar I or WRIT 201	3	WRIT 102 Writing Seminar II (or elective course if WRIT 201 was taken)	3
MATH 113 Quantitative Reasoning (or higher)	3	DS Course	3
NYC Seminar (DS course)	3	DS Course	3
COMM 218: Public Relations & Strategic Communication	3	Elective/Minor Course	3
COMM 107: Principles 7 Theories of Communication or COMM 104: Interpersonal Communication	3	COMM 104: Interpersonal Communication or COMM 107: Principles & Theories of Communication	3
Total	15	Total	15
Sophomore Year - Begin to explore internship or stud	ly abroad opp	ortunities	
Fall:	Credits	Spring:	Credits
DS Course	3	COMM 236: Public Speaking in a Digital Age	3
DS Course	3	Major elective	3
COMM 250: Organizational Communication	3	Major elective	3
Major elective	3	Elective/Minor Course	3
Elective/Minor Course	3	Elective/Minor Course/Internship*	3
Total	15	Total	15
Junior Year- Meet with Career Services or your Advi	isor to begin e	xploring graduate school and/or job market opportunities	
Fall:	Credits	Spring:	Credits
AIP Course	3	AIP Course	3
COMM 314: Persuasion	3	AIP Course	3
Elective/Minor Course	3	COMM 321: Communication Campaigns	3
AIP Course	3	Major elective	3
Elective/Minor Course	3	COMM 305: Race, Class, and Gender in Media	3
Total	15	Total	15
Senior Year- Review your graduation requirements;	begin applyin	g for jobs and/or graduate school	
Fall:	Credits	Spring:	Credits
AIP Course	3	AIP Course	3
COMM 450: Research Seminar	3	AIP Course	3
Elective/Minor Course	3	COMM 450 if not taken in the fall	3
Major elective	3	Elective/Minor Course	3
Elective/Minor Course/Internship*	3	Elective/Minor Course	3
Total	15	Total	15

Important Notes:

This plan may be subject to change, due to curriculum changes, course availability or advisor modification

- Students must receive a grade of C- or higher for a class to count towards the major.
- Students may take up to 15 credits of Internships and Independent Studies combined. A maximum of 3 Internship credits can be applied towards the major. Independent Studies cannot be applied towards the major.
- Students must take at least four 300 level courses within their elective courses.