

B.A. in Communication Studies (Relational Studies Emphasis) 2016-2017: Option 1- CWILT

First Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
<u>BIB101 Introduction to the Bible</u>	3	Mathematics (M) course	3	<u>GES130 Christianity Western Culture</u>	4
<u>GES106 Introduction to Liberal Arts</u>	1			<u>GES110 College Writing</u>	3
<u>GES125 Introduction to the Creative Arts</u>	4			Second Language (S) course *1	4
<u>PEA100 Physical Wellness for Life</u>	1			Elective	3
Nature of Person (N) course	3				
Elective	3				
	15		3		14
Second Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
<u>COM210 Perspectives on Human Communication</u>	3	World Cultures (U) course	3	<u>COM213 Media Communication</u>	3
Contemporary Western Life and Thought (L) course	3			<u>COM220 Group Communication</u>	4
Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course	1			<u>THE201 Christian Theology</u>	3
Electives	7			Laboratory Science (D) course	4
				Elective	3
	14		3		17
Third Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
<u>COM370 Interpersonal Communication</u>	4	Communication Analysis Course choice	3-4	<u>COM400 Family Communication</u>	4
<u>COM363 Methods of Communication Research</u>	4			<u>COM481 Internship in Communication</u>	3-4
Relational Topics choice *2	3-4			Oral Communication Course choice	4
Comparative Systems (G) course	3			Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3
				Interpreting Biblical Themes (J) course	3
	14-15		3-4		14-18
Fourth Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
Science, Technology, and Society (K) course	3	Interim Off		<u>COM497 Capstone: Relational Studies</u>	4
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3			Relational Topics choice *2	3-4
Relational Topics Course choice *2	3			Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3
Elective	3			Electives	6
	12		0		13-17

Total Credits: 122-132

*1 Students must complete through the second semester of a first year language course or equivalent (Check the catalog for details of this option.)

*2 Choose from: COM314G, COM355Z, COM462, or GES448P.

This program assumes a student will use COM110N to meet the general education Nature of Persons requirement.

Most financial aid packages stipulate 12 credits/semester; Minnesota state grants are reduced when credit load falls below 15 credits/semester. (Interim credits may be split between fall and spring for state grant

B.A. in Communication Studies (Relational Studies Emphasis) 2016-2017: Option 2 - Humanities

First Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
BIB101 Introduction to the Bible	3	GES147 Humanities II: Renaissance and Reformation	4	GES244 Humanities III: European Enlightenment and American Culture to 1877	4
GES106 Introduction to Liberal Arts	1			Mathematics (M) course	3
GES145 Humanities I: Greco-Roman through Middle Ages	4			Second Language (S) course *1	4
PEA100 Physical Wellness for Life	1			Elective	3
Nature of Person (N) course	3				
Elective	3				
	15		4		14
Second Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
COM210 Perspectives on Human Communication	3	World Cultures (U) course	3	COM220 Group Communication	4
COM213 Media Communication	3			THE201 Christian Theology	3
GES246 Humanities IV: Modern and Contemporary Western Culture	4			Laboratory Science (D) course	4
Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course	1			Elective	3
Elective	3				
	14		3		14
Third Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
COM370 Interpersonal Communication	4	Communication Analysis Course choice	3	COM400 Family Communication	4
COM363 Methods of Communication Research	4			COM481 Internship in Communication	3-4
Relational Topics choice *2	3-4			Oral Communication Course choice	4
Comparative Systems (G) course	3			Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3
				Interpreting Biblical Themes (J) course	3
	14-15		3		14-18
Fourth Year					
Fall	Credits	Interim	Credits	Spring	Credits
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3	Interim Off		COM497 Capstone: Relational Studies	4
Science, Technology, and Society (K) course	3			Relational Topics choice *2	3-4
Relational Topics Course choice *2	3			Electives	6
Elective	5			Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3
	14		0		13-17
Total Credits: 122-131					

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