

This document is designed for students completing the Communications Studies Transfer Pathway A.A. with the intent to transfer to Bethel University and complete the Organizational Communication, Media Production, or Communication Studies B.A. degree.

Below is the list of approved course work from the pathway that meets general education or major requirements. All courses must be completed with a C or better to transfer.

| MN West Community & Technical College course | Credits | Bethel University course                       |
|--|---------|--|
| CMST 1101 Public Speaking                    | 3       | GES 162 Inquiry Seminar: Public Speaking       |
| CMST 1103 Interpersonal Communication        | 3       | Communication Studies Elective                 |
| CMST 1120 Intercultural Communication        | 3       | Communication Studies Elective                 |
| CMST 1130 Small Group Communication          | 3       | COM 220 Group Communication                    |
| Complete MnTC and any additional A.A. degree |         | Satisfies MOST general education requirements. |
| requirements.                                |         |  |
| Total credits for A.A. degree                | 60      |  |

| Remaining major courses for Organizational Communication B.A. degree  | Credits |
|---|---------|
| COM 210 Perspectives on Human Communication                           | 4       |
| COM 213 Media Communication   | 2       |
| COM 248 Organizational Communication                                  | 2       |
| COM 249 Introduction to Public Relations                              | 2       |
| COM 302 Media Law   | 4       |
| COM 350 Corporate Communication                                       | 4       |
| COM 352 Broadcast Journalism  | 2       |
| COM 363 Methods of Communication Research                             | 4       |
| COM 375 Media Criticism and Theory                                    | 4       |
| COM 491 Communication Internship and Seminar                          | 4       |
| COM 496 Capstone: Organizational Communication                        | 2       |
| Choose one: COM 324 Professional & Technical Communication or COM 386 | 4       |
| Advanced Public Speaking  |         |
| Choose one area of emphasis:  |         |
| Leadership Communication Emphasis                                     | 14      |
| Strategic Communication Emphasis                                      | 14      |
|   |         |
| Total major Bethel credits  | 52      |

| Remaining major courses for Media Production B.A. degree                    |    |
|---|----|
| COM 210 Perspectives on Human Communication                                 | 4  |
| COM 213 Media Communication   | 2  |
| COM 363 Methods of Communication Research                                   | 4  |
| COM 375 Media Criticism and Theory  | 4  |
| COM 107A Introduction to Media Production                                   | 4  |
| COM 264 Storytelling  | 2  |
| COM 302 Media Law   | 4  |
| COM 352 Broadcast Journalism  | 2  |
| COM 491 Communication and Internship Seminar                                | 4  |
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| 4 credits of Royal Media Studio, two courses must be taken at the 300-level | 4  |
| Choose four Production courses:   | 16 |
| COM 342 Advanced Editing and Visual Effects                                 |    |
| COM 372 Advanced Audio Production   |    |
| COM 373 Digital Filmmaking  |    |
| COM 374 Sports and Live Events Production                                   |    |
| DES 105 Introduction to Digital Media                                       |    |
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| Total major Bethel credits 54 |
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| Remaining major courses for Communication Studies B.A. degree         | Credits |
|---|---------|
| COM 210 Perspectives on Human Communication                           | 4       |
| COM 213 Media Communication   | 2       |
| Choose one: COM 324 Professional & Technical Communication or COM 386 | 4       |
| Advanced Public Speaking  |         |
| COM 363 Methods of Communication Research                             | 4       |
| COM 375 Media Criticism and Theory                                    | 4       |
| COM 491 Communication Internship and Seminar                          | 4       |
| COM 495 Capstone: Relational Communication                            | 2       |
| Choose one area of emphasis:  |         |
| Health Communication Emphasis   | 20-23   |
| Relational Studies Emphasis   | 21      |
|   |         |
| Total major specific credits at Bethel                                | 44-47   |

| Remaining graduation requirements for B.A. degree | Credits |
|---|---------|
| GES 130 Christianity & Western Culture            | 4       |
| Biblical Foundations course                       | 4       |
| Contemporary Christian Issue (P)                  | 2       |
|   |         |
| Electives to reach 122 credits                    | Varies  |
| Total credits for B.A. degree                     | 122     |