

BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH MAJORS IN COMMUNICATION AND SPANISH (BA)

Degree Requirements Hours Required

120 semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, with fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)" section of this catalog and the General Requirements for Undergraduate degrees at the beginning of this section.

Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
[University Core Curriculum] (https://catalog.tamtu.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/)		
Select 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation"		42
Life & Physical Science Lab		
Select 1 SCH compatible with a Life & Physical Science course		1
Second Romance Language		
Select 6 SCH from the same Romance Language (French, Italian, or Portuguese)		6
Communication Major		
COMM 1326	Journalistic Writing	3
COMM 3310	Methods of Inquiry:Quant Rsch	3
COMM 3322	Public Relations	3
COMM 3325	Mass Communication	3
COMM 3327	Media Writing	3
COMM 3329	Fundamentals of Advertising	3
COMM 4320	Trends in International Comm	3
COMM 4324	Comparative Journalism	3
COMM 4340	Communication Ethics	3
COMM 4350	Internship	3
COMM 4360	Comm Theory&Practice	3
Spanish Major		
SPAN 2350	Intro to the Hispanic World	3
SPAN 3305	Spanish Academic Writing	3
SPAN 3310	Intro to Literature in Spanish	3
SPAN 3351	Intro to Engl>Span Translation	3
SPAN 4330	Special Topics Span Lit & Cult	3
SPAN 4398	Creative Writing	3
Advanced Spanish Elective		
Select 15 SCH 3000-4000 level Spanish		15
Advanced General Electives		

Select 5 SCH from any discipline, except Communication or Spanish, outside the College of Nursing and Health Sciences 5

Total Semester Credit Hours 120

Four-Year Degree Plan

Following is a suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**; responsible for meeting all course prerequisites; and must meet **foreign language** and **writing intensive course** requirements for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online. (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)

Freshman

	Semester Credit Hours
Fall	
ENGL 1301 English Composition I	3
HIST 1301 The US to 1877	3
MATH 1342 Introductory Statistics	3
UNIV 1201 Learn a Global Context I	2
Life & Physical Science	3
Life & Physical Science Lab	1
Second Romance Language	3
Semester Credit Hours	18

Spring

ENGL 1302 English Composition II	3
HIST 1302 The US Since 1877	3
UNIV 1302 Signature Course	3
General Elective	3
Life & Physical Science	3
Life & Physical Science Lab	1
Semester Credit Hours	16

Sophomore

	Semester Credit Hours
Fall	
COMM 3325 Mass Communication	3
PSCI 2305 American National Government	3
SPAN 2350 Intro to the Hispanic World	3
Second Romance Language	3
Language, Philosophy & Culture	3
Semester Credit Hours	15

Spring

COMM 1326 Journalistic Writing	3
PSCI 2306 American State Government	3
SPAN 3305 Spanish Academic Writing	3
Soc/Behavioral Science	3
Creative Arts	3
Semester Credit Hours	15

Junior

	Semester Credit Hours
Fall	
COMM 3322 Public Relations	3
COMM 3327 Media Writing	3

SPAN 3310	Intro to Literature in Spanish	3
SPAN 3351	Intro to Engl>Span Translation	3
SPAN - Adv SPAN Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15
Spring		
COMM 3329	Fundamentals of Advertising	3
COMM 4320	Trends in International Comm	3
COMM 4340	Communication Ethics	3
SPAN - Adv SPAN Elective		3
SPAN - Adv SPAN Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15
Senior		
Fall		
COMM 3310	Methods of Inquiry:Quant Rsch	3
COMM 4360	Comm Theory&Practice	3
SPAN 4398	Creative Writing	3
SPAN - Adv SPAN Elective		3
General Elective		2
Semester Credit Hours		14
Spring		
COMM 4324	Comparative Journalism	3
COMM 4350	Internship	3
SPAN 4330	Special Topics Span Lit & Cult	3
SPAN - Adv SPAN Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		12
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

* Internship, 3 SCH in organizations dealing with Hispanic clients and audiences such as Spanish TV stations, radio stations, corporate communication offices, public relations and advertising firms.

Actual degree plans may vary depending on availability of courses in a given semester.

Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.