AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATION MAJOR (A.S.) INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATION MAJOR (B.S.)

This model plan of study is presented as a suggested path to graduate in 4 years with an Associate of Science Degree with a major in Agricultural Communication and a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture with a major in Agricultural Communication. It is intended to be a useful guide; however, each student is unique and should review the Degree Requirements and work with their advisor to develop an individualized course plan that best fits their personal academic background and goals.
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Freshman Year (ATI)

Benchmarks	Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours
Math requirement should be completed by the end of this year.	AGRCOMM	2531	Introduction to Agricultural Communication Practices	3	AEDECON	2001	Principles of Food and Resource Economics [a]	3
ENGLISH 1110 should be completed by the end of this year.	ENGLISH	1110.01	First-Year English Composition	3	AGRCOMM	3130	Oral Expression in Agriculture [a]	3
Begin to consider a minor (for B.S. Degree).	GENCOMM	1201T	Exploring Ag. Comm., Ed. and Leadership	.5	COMLDR	3530	Foundations of Personal and Prof. Leadership	3
	GENSTDS	1201.01T	College Orientation	.5	GENCOMM	2189.01T	Practicum in Agricultural Communication	1
Begin to consider study abroad programs.	MATH	1148	College Algebra [a]	4	GENED	1201	GE Launch Seminar	1
	_____	_____	GE Lit, Vis and Perf Arts	3	_____	_____	Elective/minor Courses	5
			Total:	**14**			**Total:**	**16**

Sophomore Year (ATI)

Benchmarks	Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours
Half of minor should be completed by the end of this year.	AGRCOMM	2330	Perceptions of Agricultural and Environmental Issues [b] ❖	4	AGRCOMM	4130	Publication Design and Production	3
Apply to graduate from ATI at least one semester before the semester of your graduation.	BIOLOGY	1101 or 1113.01	Introductory Biology [a] Bio Sci: Energy Transfer & Dev [a]	4-5	AGRCOMM	4530	Communicating Agricultural Issues	3
	COMLDR	3535	Toward Cultural Proficiency	3	_____	_____	Additional Science	3-5
Maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA.	COMLDR	3537	Data Analysis in the Applied Sciences	3	_____	_____	GE R.E. & G. Diversity	3
Graduate with Associate of Science Degree.	GENCOMM	2189.01T	Practicum in Agricultural Communication	2	_____	_____	Elective/minor course	3
			Total:	**16-17**			**Total:**	**15-17**

					Total credit hours for Associate of Science Degree:	**61-64**

Junior Year (Columbus)

Benchmarks	Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours
Journalism courses should be completed by the end of this year	COMM	2221	Media Writing & Editing	4	AGRCOMM	2130	Visual Media in Ag & Nat Resources	3
First internship should be completed by the end of this year.	AGRCOMM	4191.01	Internship	2	_____	_____	Major Elective	3-4
	AGRCOMM	5130	Campaign Design	3	_____	_____	Minor Course	3
Apply to graduate from Columbus at least three semesters before the semester of your graduation.	_____	_____	GE Theme: Citizenship for Diverse and Just World #1 [b]	3-4	_____	_____	Minor Course	3
	_____	_____	GE Theme: Citizenship for Diverse and Just World #2 [b] (or Open Elective)	3	_____	_____	Open Elective	4
			Total:	**15-16**			**Total:**	**16-17**

Senior Year (Columbus)

Benchmarks	Autumn Semester				Spring Semester			
	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours	Department	Course #	Course Name	Hours
Maintain at least a 2.0 GPA in the major, minor, and cumulative.	AGRCOMM	4191.02	Advanced Internship	3	AGRCOMM	5135.02	Ag Nat Practicum	3
	AGRCOMM	5135.01	Ag. Feature Writing	3	_____	_____	Minor Course	3
Graduate with Bachelor of Science Degree.	AGRCOMM	5530	Adv. Ag. Comm Tech	3	_____	_____	Open Elective	3
	COMLDR	5430	Prof Leadership Ethics	3	_____	_____	Open Elective	3
	GENED	4001	GE Reflection	1	_____	_____	Open Elective	2
	_____	_____	Open Elective	3				
			Total:	**16**			**Total:**	**14**

					Total credit hours for Bachelor of Science Degree:	**121**

[a] One possible course from approved CFAES GE list or B.S. major requirement that has multiple options, as outlined in corresponding *Degree Requirements* document.
[b] Students complete either a 4-credit course or two 3-credit courses in each of two General Education Theme areas: Citizenship for a Diverse & Just World (required), and the student's choice of available GE Themes. If any major-required courses are identified as a GE Theme course, one course in each GE Theme area may double count in the GE and major hours. Theme courses are identified with a ❖ symbol.

AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATION MAJOR (A.S.) INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATION MAJOR (B.S.)

This advising sheet is for Ohio State ATI students that wish to earn both an Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree with a major in Agricultural Communication and a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) Degree with a major in Agricultural Communication. The tables below outline the complete degree requirements to earn a B.S. in Agriculture with a major in Agricultural Communication. The underlined courses also fulfill a requirement for the A.S. Agricultural Communication major. These courses can count toward both degree programs simultaneously.

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Table 1. Degree Requirements

Subject	Course Options	Hours	✓
GE Launch Seminar	GENED 1201	1	
Writing and Information Literacy	ENGLISH 1110.01	3	
Mathematical & Quantitative Reasoning/Data Analysis	MATH 1148 **or** 1130	4	
Literary, Visual and Performing Arts	*Student Choice*	3	
Historical & Cultural Studies	COMLDR 3535	3	
Natural Science	BIOLOGY 1101 **or** 1113.01 **or** ENTMLGY 1101	4-5	
Social & Behavioral Sciences	AEDECON 2001 **or** ECON 2001	3	
Race, Ethnic and Gender Diversity	*Student Choice*	3	
Theme: Citizenship for a Diverse & Just World [a]	*Student Choice*	4-6	
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GE Reflection	GENED 4001	1	
Survey Courses	GENSTDS 1201.01T* **OR** FAES 1100 **and** GENCOMM 1201T* **OR** COMLDR 1100	.5 .5	
Oral Expression	AGRCOMM 3130 **or** COMM 2110	3	
Additional Science	*Student Choice* from GE Science options.[b]	3-5	
Internship	FAES 3191 and AGRCOMM 4191	2	
Minor [c]	*Student Choice*	12-15	
Major	*See Table 2.*	50	
Minimum Total Credit Hours		**121**	

Table 2. Major Requirements

Course(s)	Hours	✓
AGRCOMM 2130 Visual Media in Ag and Natural Resources	3	
AGRCOMM 2330 [a] Perceptions of Agricultural and Environmental Issues ❖	4	
AGRCOMM 2531 Intro to Agricultural Communication Practices	3	
AGRCOMM 4130 Publication Design and Production	3	
AGRCOMM 4191.02 Advanced Agr. Comm. Internship	3	
AGRCOMM 4530 Communicating Agricultural Issues	3	
AGRCOMM 5130 Campaign Design & Management in Agricultural Organizations	3	
AGRCOMM 5135.01 Agricultural Feature Writing	3	
AGRCOMM 5135.02 AgriNaturalist Practicum	3	
AGRCOMM 5530 Advanced Ag. Communication Technology	3	
COMM 2221 Media Writing and Editing	4	
COMLDR 3530 Foundations of Personal and Prof. Leadership	3	
COMLDR 3537 Data Analysis in the Applied Sciences	3	
COMLDR 5430 Professional Leadership Ethics **or** COMM 3404/3404H Media Law and Ethics	3	
Choose 2 courses (at least 6 credit hours) from the following: AGRCOMM 5535 Data Visualization and Scientific Storytelling in FAES AGRCOMM 3797 Agricultural Communication Study Abroad ART 2500 Visual Studies: Digital Image Manipulation GENCOMM 2189T* ATI Early Field Experience THEATER 2351 Fundamentals of Radio and TV Production THEATER 3351 Television Production I PUBAFRS 2150 Intro to Nonprofit Organizations PUBAFRS 5592 Marketing for Nonprofit Organizations Any of the following: COMM 2171, 2210, 2223, 2321, 2331, 2367, 2511, 2540, 2596, 3149, 3160, 3163, 3165, 3169, 3205, 3224, 3225, 3226, 3267, 3325, 3330, 3331, 3332, 3333, 3334, 3340, 3345, 3402, 3404, 3413, 3425, 3440, 3442, 3443, 3444, 3466, 3558, 3628, 4240, 4337, 4401, 4511, 4635, 4665, 4668, and 4820	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	
Total Major Credit Hours	**50**	

[a] Students complete either a 4-credit course or two 3-credit courses in each of two General Education Theme areas: Citizenship for a Diverse & Just World (required), and the student's choice of available GE Themes. If any major-required courses are identified as a GE Theme course, one course in each GE Theme area may double count in the GE and major hours. Theme courses are identified with a ❖ symbol.

[b] See B.S. Degree requirements (available at www.cfaes.osu.edu/students) for a complete list of course options

[c] Students majoring in Agricultural Communication must select a minor in CFAES or SENR; excluding Community Outreach Education, Agricultural Communication, or Leadership Studies.

* courses are only offered at the Wooster (ATI) Campus

Note: A capital **OR** separates a pair of *equivalent* courses, a lowercase **or** separates a choice between *different* courses that fulfill the same requirement

Additional Bachelor's Degree Requirements:
1. A 2.00 cumulative CPHR is required as well as a 2.00 CPHR in the major and minor coursework.
2. Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours at The Ohio State University with at least 12 in the department in Columbus offering the major.
3. Applications to graduate must be submitted at least three semesters in advance.