

Degree Plan

Master of Arts (MA) Public Relations (PBRL) 36 hours

Student: _____ Student ID: _____ Email: _____ Beginning Term: _____ Goal to Graduate by: _____ Academic Advisor: _____

Core courses (27 hours)

Course	Hrs	Term	Year	Pre-requisite
MEDC 5000 Media Communications (Requisite Course) *	3cr			
MEDC 5310 Media and Culture	3cr			
PBRL 5322 Public Relations	3cr			
PBRL 5342 Writing for Media Communications: Public				PBRL 5322
Relations or PBRL 5344 Speech Writing				
MEDC 5350 Media Organization and Regulation	3cr			
MEDC 5360 International Communications	3cr			
PBRL 5380 Strategic Communication Applications	3cr			
MEDC 5460 Media Research	3cr			
MEDC 6000 Seminar in Media Communications	3cr			All courses

*Requisite course must be completed before any other core course.

Elective course options (9 hours)

3cr		
3cr		
3cr		

Electives can be chosen from any graduate level School of Communication courses including course pre-fixes ADVT, AUDI, COMG, FTVP, INTM, MEDC, NPRO, PBRL, PHOT. Students must meet course pre-requisites. The following WSBT courses are also approved as electives: BUSN 5000, BUSN 5100, MRKT 5000, INTB 5000, MNGT 5000, HRMG 5000. Any other request requires departmental approval.



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Pathways

Actual schedules may vary based on start date and course availability

Full-Time Suggested Pathway YEAR 1

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
MEDC 5000, if available	Core course	Core course	Core course	Core course
Elective, note that many electives require completion of MEDC 5000	Core course	Core course	Core course	Elective

YEAR 2

Term 1	Term 1
Elective	MEDC 6000, if
	available. If not,
	please contact
	your advisor
	about requesting
	to take 6000
	before last
	elective. Please
	note that this
	course must be
	taken alone.

Part-Time Suggested Pathway

YEAR 1

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
MEDC 5000,	Core course	Core course	Core course	Core course
if available				

YEAR 2

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5
Core course	Core course	Core course	Elective	Elective

YEAR 3

Term 1	Term 2
Elective	MEDC 6000, if
	available. If not,
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