

**Graduate Certificate in Communication and New Media**  
*Coursework Requirements Curriculum Checksheet*

The Graduate Certificate in Communication and New Media emphasizes theory, production, and application of new media technology. The program reflects developments in communication, computer, and telecommunications technologies. All courses are available in an online format.

The Certificate allows maximum six credits to count toward both the Certificate and a relevant MA in the department when a student is enrolled in both the G.C and M.A. programs concurrently. Transfer of credit from other institutions may not be applied toward the credits required for the certificate.

**Two required courses:**

COM 5280: New Media Practices (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 6270: New Media Theory (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

**Two courses from the following (minimum 6 credits):**

COM 5500: Web Design for News Content (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 6220: Dispute Resolution and Communication Technology (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 6530: Audience Measurement and Survey Techniques (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 6560: Journalism and New Media (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 7330: Advanced Desktop Publishing (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

COM 6680: Individual Projects (1 -3 credits, as approved by adviser) \_\_\_\_\_

IT 7130: Facilitation of Online and Face-to-Face Learning (3 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

IT 7180: Message Design and Display (4 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

IT 7210: Foundations of Distance Education (4 cr) \_\_\_\_\_

## Acknowledgment of M.A. and G.C. Handbook Policies and Procedures

*I have read the Department of Communication Master of Arts and Graduate Certificate Handbook and familiarized myself with the policies and procedures governing the program I am pursuing. I also understand that I must familiarize myself with the policies, procedures, and directives from the Graduate School as detailed in the Graduate Bulletin.*

*I understand that deviations from the Department of Communication or Graduate School policies and procedures may interfere with reasonable and normal academic progress and, in extreme circumstances, may result in my dismissal from the program. I further understand that I am to maintain regular contact with my academic adviser so that I may complete my degree in a timely manner.*

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Student Name and Access ID (Please Print)

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Signature and Date

Please complete and return this form to the Graduate Secretary of the Department of Communication, 585 Manoogian Hall, along with the signed Plan of Work form and the appropriate M.A. or G.C. coursework requirements Curriculum Checksheet. The Plan of Work is to be completed in consultation with your academic adviser and must be filed in the first semester of coursework.

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Received by and date