

BS IN PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL COMMUNICATION ACADEMIC MAP Catalog Year 2023-2024

The Bachelor of Science with a major in Professional and Technical Communication is a four-year degree designed to provide a broad liberal arts background and basic training in the principles of technical communication. It will prepare students for careers as technical communicators in a variety of domains, including information technology, software and hardware documentation, marketing communication, grant writing, and information design.

Fall	Hrs.
ENGL 1310 or TECM 1700	3
MATH 1580 or 1680	3
PSCI 2305	3
Life and Physical Science*	3
Social and Behavioral Science*	3
Total Hours	15
Milestones	
Attend mandatory freshman academic	
advising and meet your Faculty Advisor	

Spring	Hrs.
TECM 2700	3
PSCI 2306	3
Creative Arts*	3
Life and Physical Science*	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15
Milestones	
Attend mandatory freshmen academic advising	

Fall	Hrs.
TECM 3010	3
Component Area Option: Course 1*	3
Group 1, 2, 3 or 4: Course 1**	3
HIST 2610	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

Spring	Hrs.
TECM 3550	3
TECM 3200	3
Group 1, 2, 3 or 4: Course 2**	3
HIST 2620	3
Language, Philosophy & Culture*	3
Total hours	15

Fall	Hrs.
TECM 3100	3
TECM 4180	3
TECM Advanced Elective	3
Advanced Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

Spring	Hrs.
TECM 4190	3
TECM 4100	3
Component Area Option: Course 2*	3
Advanced Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

Fall	Hrs.
TECM 4500	3
TECM Advanced Elective	3
Advanced Elective	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15
Milestones	
Complete a Graduation Check with your advisor	

Spring	Hrs.
TECM 4300	3
Advanced Elective	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15
Milestones	
Apply for Graduation in first two weeks of semester	

*See the University Core Curriculum section of the catalog for approved list of course options.

**Students seeking the BS in Technical Communication will take two courses from <u>one</u> Group in place of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences Foreign Language Proficiency requirement.

The options are as follows:

Group 1: ANY two courses in CSCE

Group 2: two courses: BSCI 2610 & either BCIS 3610 or BCIS 3630

Group 3: two courses: DSCI 2710 & DSCI 3710

Group 4: INFO 4203 & either INFO 4223 or INFO 3020