

**Bachelor of Arts with a major in Communication**

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

Oakland University Courses	Mott Community College Options
COM 1000	COMM 200
COM 2000	COMM 131

**Choose TWO courses from any of following groups, no two courses can be from the same group**

**Relational Communication Group Course Option**

COM 2400	COMM 140
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**Advocacy and Social Influence Group Course Option**

COM 3200	COMM 210
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**Culture and Communication Group Course Options**

COM 2702	COMM 233
Approved Course for which there is no OU equivalent:	COMM 220

**Language Co-requisite** (select one of the following options – additional options available at OU)

An introductory two-semester foreign language sequence <b>OR</b> an introductory two-semester sign language sequence	ARBC, CHI, GERM, JAPA, RUSN, (111 <b>and</b> 112) or FREN 151 <b>and</b> 152 or SPAN 181 <b>and</b> 182 <b>OR</b> ASL 100 <b>and</b> 102
One second semester (or higher) foreign language course <b>OR</b> one second semester (or higher) sign language course	ARBC, CHI, GERM, JAPA, RUSN, (112, 211 <i>or</i> 212) or FREN 152, 251 <i>or</i> 252 or SPAN 182, 281 <i>or</i> 282 <b>OR</b> ASL 102; SLIE 103 <i>or</i> 204

**Major Electives**

Choose up to 4 credits from this list (when not already completed for above groups): <i>(if sign language is chosen for Language Co-requisite, those courses already count toward this requirement)</i>	ASL 100, 102, 111; COMM 140, 210, 220, 231, 233; COMT 220A; HREL 102; MAET 100; MKTG 253; PHOT 187, PHOT 192; SLIE 103, 104, 203, 204, 205, 206, 215, 220, 230, 231, 240, 241, 242, 245, 250
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Community College courses that are equivalent to 3000-level OU courses **do not count** toward the minimum 20 credits in 3000-4000 level courses that are required for the **Communication** major (consult with OU adviser to plan how to fulfill the 3000-4000 level requirement with appropriate course selection).

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Mott, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Mott counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

**TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):**

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at Mott or at the [Mott MTA](#) website. To best complete OU's transferable General Education requirements, please reference the [Mott General Education Transfer Guide](#) and select the following:

- One course from OU's **Writing Foundations** category  
*(this serves as an MTA English Composition course and is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)*
- One course from OU's **Knowledge Applications** category  
*(this category met when a 200-level foreign language OR SLIE 103 or 204 is chosen above)*

**TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:**

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If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [Mott General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the Mott courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations
- Formal Reasoning
- Arts (*met if **COMM 233** is chosen above*)
- Global Perspective
- Literature
- Natural Science and Technology
- Western Civilization
- Social Science (*met if **COMM 140** is chosen above*)
- Knowledge Applications (*met when a **200-level foreign language OR SLIE 103 or 204** is completed for Language Corequisite above*)

### **EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:**

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit [oakland.edu/exploratory](http://oakland.edu/exploratory) . Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. ***Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.***

### **NOTES:**

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.