## University Core Requirements (42 hours):

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<td>WRIT 1301—English Composition I</td>
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<td>MATH 1314—College Algebra, MATH 1332—Math for Liberal Arts or MATH 1332—Contemporary Mathematics</td>
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### Mathematics (3 hours):
- MATH 1314—College Algebra
- MATH 1332—Math for Liberal Arts
- MATH 1332—Contemporary Mathematics

### Life and Physical Sciences (6 hours):
Choose TWO courses from the core approved list

### Language, Philosophy, and Culture (3 hours):
Choose ONE course from the core approved list

### Creative Arts (3 hours):
Choose ONE course from the core approved list

### U.S. History (6 hours):
- HIST 1301—U.S. History I
- HIST 1302—U.S. History II

### Government/Political Science (6 hours):
- POLS 2305—Federal Government
- POLS 2306—Texas Government

### Social Behavioral Science (3 hours):
Choose ONE course from the core approved list

### Public Speaking (3 hours):
COMM 1315—Public Speaking

### Additional Coursework (3 hours):
PSYC 1100—Learning Frameworks

Two 1 hour Natural Science Labs—required co-requisites for the chosen science courses

### HSH Core Requirements (3 hours):

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<td>WRIT 3307—Advanced Writing (grade must be at least C or better)</td>
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48 hours of upper level credit must be C or better

## Major Requirements (51 hours):

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<td>Choose 2 courses from any 3300/4300 level ANTH, PHIL, PSYC, SOCI</td>
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<td>ARTS 2371—Digital Photography</td>
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<td>COMM 1307—Introduction to Mass Communication</td>
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<td>COMM 3321—Media Writing</td>
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<td>COMM 3360—Web Design (prerequisite: ARTS 2371—Digital Photography)</td>
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<td>COMM 3352—Media Law</td>
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<td>COMM 4358—Publication Design</td>
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**Capstone Requirement** (senior year—GSP must first be passed)

- COMM 4655—Media Production (prerequisite: COMM 3321—Media Writing)
- COMM 4379—Internship
- COMM 4061—Portfolio

### COMM Electives (15 hours):
Choose 5 courses from a designated list (3300/4300 level):

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Electives (24 hours)

12 hours must be 3300/4300 level

12 hours can be 1300/2300 level

Students may take any course as an elective, including communication courses not taken to meet major requirements.

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Pass GSP Test

General Degree Requirements

- Students must complete at least 120 semester credit hours. A minimum of 45 hours of the 120 semester hours must be advanced (3000-4000 level) course work according to the requirements of the respective major.
- Students must complete the University Core Curriculum requirements (refer to Core Curriculum Requirements in the UHCL Catalog).
- Students must fulfill the statutory requirements of the Texas State Education Code, including the following:
  - Six hours of U.S. History (three hours may be Texas History).
  - Six hours of Constitutions of the United States and Texas.
- Students must demonstrate writing proficiency by completing nine hours of lower-level (1000-2000 level) and upper-level (3000-4000 level) English composition course credit with a minimum grade of "C-" or better. Some majors may require higher grades in English composition.
- Students must complete at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree (i.e., 30 semester credit hours for a 120 credit hour program) through instruction offered by UHCL to fulfill the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) residency requirements.
- Students must complete the final 30 semester hours of 3000 and 4000 level course work in residence at UHCL.
- Students must complete a minimum of 12 semester credit hours of upper-level (3000-4000 level) coursework in the major in residence at UHCL.
- Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.000 on course work completed at UHCL with grades of "C" or better on at least 30 hours of resident upper-level work. Grades of "C-" or below cannot be applied toward the 30 hours of resident upper-level work.