**Humanities & Communication, BA**

**4-Year Pathway 2025/26 - 2029/30**

| **Fall Freshman CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirements MetGE/UR/Major** |
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| **FYS 1XX (any FYS)** | **First Year Seminar with any GE** | **3** | **FYS** |
| **HCOM 120 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 125 (fall and spring)****or****SSCI 110 (fall and spring)****or****CAD 102+90****or CAD 101A\* (fall and spring)** | **1A: English Composition** | **3** | **GE 1A**  |
| **\*\*Lang: ASL, SPAN, JAPN****101, or SPAN 212****(all fall and spring)** | **Language other than English** | **3** | **WCLP** |
| **HCOM 243 (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 251 (spring only)****or** **HCOM 265 (summer, fall, winter, spring)** **or** **SSCI 111 (fall only)****or** **SSCI 114 (fall and spring)****or** **SSCI 249 (fall and spring)** **or** **CST 274 (fall and spring)** | **US History Requirement with any GE** | **3** | **US1 with any GE** |
| **Spring Freshman CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 110 (fall and spring)** | **1C: Oral Communication** | **3** | **GE 1C** |
| **STAT 100 or MATH 100****(all fall and spring)** | **2: Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning** | **3** | **GE 2** |
| **CAD 101B\* or Elective****(fall and spring)** | **1A: Written Communication or Elective** | **3** | **GE 1A or Elective** |
| **SPAN, JAPN, or ASL 102****(all fall and spring)** | **2nd-semester Language** | **3** | **WCLP** |
| **HCOM 230 (fall only)****or****HCOM 231 (spring only)****or** **any 3A catalog****approved course** | **3A: Arts** | **3** | **GE 3A or Free elective** |
| **Fall Sophomore CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 170 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 242 (fall only - even years)****or****HCOM 251 (spring only)****or****HCOM 265 (summer, fall, winter, spring)** **or** **any 4A GSS****catalog approved course** | **4A: General Social Sciences** | **3** | **GE 4A** |
| **HCOM 200 (summer, fall, spring)** **or****HCOM 202 (fall and spring)****or** **SOC 120 (fall and spring)** | **1B: Critical Thinking** | **3** | **GE 1B** |
| **ENVS 201 (summer, fall, winter, spring)** **or****BIO 106 (spring only)** | **5B: Life Science with 5C: Laboratory Practices** | **4** | **GE 5B & 5C** |
| **SPAN, JAPN, ASL 201; or****SPAN 212 or WLC 212** | **World Culture & Language Proficiency** | **3** | **WCLP** |
| **HCOM 222 for English Subject Matter Prep - (fall only - odd years)****HCOM 280 for Journalism & Media Studies - (fall only)****Or free elective** | **Free Elective (or lower-division major****requirement if needed)** | **3** | **Free elective** |
| **Spring Sophomore CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **ENVS 282 (fall and spring)****or** **GEOL 110 (fall and spring)** | **5A: Physical Science** | **3** | **GE 5A** |
| **HCOM 260S (fall and spring)****or****SL210S (summer, fall, winter, spring)** **or****ED 212S (fall and spring)****or****SSCI 212S (fall and spring)** | **4B: Civics & Service Learning** | **3** | **GE 4B DCSL & US2&3** |
| **HCOM 220 (fall only)****or****HCOM 224 (fall only)****or****HCOM 229 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 243 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 246 (spring only)****or** **HCOM 247 (spring only)****or****SSCI 249 (fall and spring)****or****GS 236 (fall only - even years)****or****SPAN 260 (spring only - odd years)****or** **HOSP 221 (fall and spring)** | **6: Ethnic Studies** | **3** | **GE 6** |
| **Free Elective** | **Free Elective** | **3** | **Free Elective** |
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| **Fall Junior CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 300 (fall and spring)**  | **Major ProSeminar** | **2** | **Major** |
| **HCOM 304 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 310 (summer, fall, winter, spring)** **or****HCOM 321 (fall and spring)** | **Ethical & Effective Communication** | **3-4** | **Major** |
| **HCOM 343 (fall and spring)****or****353 (fall and spring)** **or** **HCOM 369 (fall only)** | **Social & Cultural Analysis, US 1-US History,****and GE UD 4: Integrated Social Sciences** | **3** | **Major, US1, GE 4**  |
| **HCOM 312 (fall and spring)** **or** **HCOM 303 (fall and spring)** | **Graduation Writing Assessment Requirement** | **3-4** | **GWAR, Major** |
| **Spring Junior CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 328 (spring only)****or****HCOM 329 (fall only)****or****HCOM 330 (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 371 (fall and spring)** | **Engaged Creative Practice** | **4** | **Major** |
| **HCOM 290 (fall only)****or** **HCOM 327 (fall and spring)** **or****HCOM 391 (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 301 (fall and spring)****HCOM 362 (only offered spring term)** | **Humanistic Inquiry** **For HCOM 301 only:** **Humanistic Inquiry and****GE UD 3: Integrated Arts & Humanities****For HCOM 362 only:****Humanistic Inquiry and****US 2 & 3: American Institutions****and GE UD 4: Integrated Social Sciences** | **3 - 4** | **Major****For HCOM 301 only: Major, GE UD 3****For HCOM 362 only:****Major, US 2&3, GE 4**  |
| **HCOM 307S (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 317S (fall only)****or****HCOM 339S (spring only)****or****HCOM 340S (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 350S\* (spring only - even years)****or****HCOM 432S\* (Periodically offered)** | **Upper Division Service Learning (\*RTI)** | **5** | **UDSL, Major** |
| **Fall Senior CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 408 (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 419 (spring only)****or****HCOM 470 (Periodically offered)****or****HCOM 471 (fall and spring)****or****HCOM 474 (fall only)****or****HCOM 476 (fall and spring)****or** **HCOM 477 (fall and spring)** | **Workshop Elective** | **1-2** | **Major** |
| **BUS 350 (fall and spring)****or****ENSTU 309 (fall and spring)****or****GEOL 310 (fall and spring)****or****JAPN 410 (fall only)****or****SSCI 324 (fall only)****or** **SSCI 333 (spring only)** | **GE UD 2: UD5 Physical & Bio Sciences** | **3** | **GE UD 2** |
| **Any UD 3 Catalog Approved Course** | **GE UD 3: Integrated Arts & Humanities** | **3** | **GE UD 3** |
| **Spring Senior CoursesCourse Prefix and Number** | **Course TitleAbbreviate Course Title** | **Units** | **Requirement MetGE/UR/Major** |
| **HCOM 475 (fall and spring)** | **Senior Capstone** | **4** | **Major** |
| **Elective (select a course/s based on the****number of units you need to graduate)** | **Free Elective** | **3 -4** | **Elective** |