### Program: Communication Studies - Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) Degree

**Meta-major:** Social & Behavioral Sciences

#### (B) FORENSICS PATH

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<td><strong>COMM 101 PUBLIC SPEAKING</strong>&lt;br&gt;Also fulfills Area A1: Oral Communication (CSU)&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
<td>To reduce units in primary terms, it is suggested to take a GE course (3 units)</td>
<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST A</strong>&lt;br&gt;Suggested: COMM 104 ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE&lt;br&gt;Also fulfills Area A3: Critical Thinking&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
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<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST B</strong>&lt;br&gt;Choose any&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;May fulfill Area D: Social Science requirement&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
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<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST C</strong>&lt;br&gt;Suggested: Course that fulfills Area D: Social Science requirement&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
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<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST A</strong>&lt;br&gt;Suggested: COMM 121 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST B</strong>&lt;br&gt;Suggested: COMM 106 FORENSICS&lt;br&gt;2 units</td>
<td>Area B4: Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning&lt;br&gt;Suggested: MATH 227 STATISTICS&lt;br&gt;or&lt;br&gt;Any 200 level transferrable MATH course&lt;br&gt;3 - 5 units</td>
<td>*Area B2 and/or B3: Life Science (with Laboratory Activity if not satisfied with Area B1)&lt;br&gt;Suggested: ANTHRO 101 HUMAN BIOLOGICAL EVOLUTION&lt;br&gt;3 - 5 units (7 units minimum between Areas B1/B2/B3)</td>
<td>*Area E: Lifelong Learning and Self Development&lt;br&gt;Choose any&lt;br&gt;3 units total</td>
<td>*Choose additional course(s) as needed to reach 60 units&lt;br&gt;See listing of Full CSU GE or IGETC for suggestions&lt;br&gt;1 - 13 unit</td>
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<td><strong>MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST B</strong>&lt;br&gt;Suggested: COMM 106 FORENSICS&lt;br&gt;2 units</td>
<td>Area A2: Written Communication&lt;br&gt;ENGLISH 101 COLLEGE READING AND COMPOSITION I&lt;br&gt;Prerequisite: ENGLISH 028 or ESL 008 or Placement by multiple measures; Advisory: ENGLISH 10B&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
<td>*Area C2: Humanities&lt;br&gt;Choose any&lt;br&gt;May be fulfilled by COMM 130&lt;br&gt;INTRODUCTION TO ORAL INTERPRETATION OF LITERATURE&lt;br&gt;3 - 5 units</td>
<td>*Area D: Social Science #3&lt;br&gt;Suggested: Group 1 or Group 2 American Institution&lt;br&gt;3 units</td>
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#### Semester Units:
- 14 to 16
- 14 to 18
- 15 to 17
- As needed to reach at least 60 total units

*For the complete list of CSU GE Breadth requirements, see the LACC Catalog, p.76. Area A2: Written Communication (English 101) and Area B4: Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning should be taken within the first year. All other GE courses can be taken in any semester. If appropriate, English and Math can be taken in the same semester.

Students who feel they need additional support in order to be successful in English and math should see a counselor for information about support courses, tutoring services, and boot camps.

#### Major Units:
- General Education (GE) Units (39 unit minimum): 40 to 50
- Additional Units: 0 to 13
- Total Units (60 unit minimum): 60 to 66
**MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST A**
Choose two courses from:
1. COMM 104 ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101); Also fulfills Area A3: Critical Thinking (CSU)
2. COMM 121 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION; Also fulfills Area A1: Oral Communication or Area D: Social Science
3 units each

**MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST B**
Choose three courses from:
1. COMM 122 INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION; (Advisories: ENGLISH 101 and COMM 121); Also fulfills Area D: Social Science; 3 units
2. COMM 130 INTRODUCTION TO ORAL INTERPRETATION OF LITERATURE; Also fulfills Area C2: Humanities, 3 units
3. COMM 106 FORENSICS (repeatable once) (Advisories: COMM 101 or COMM 104 or COMM 130), 2 units
4. any course not used in List A
2 - 3 units

**MAJOR ELECTIVE LIST C**
Choose one course from:
1. ENGLISH 102 COLLEGE READING AND COMPOSITION II (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101; Advisory: ENGLISH 108) or ENGLISH 103 COMPOSITION AND CRITICAL THINKING (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101; Advisory: ENGLISH 108)
2. ANTHRO 102 HUMAN WAYS OF LIFE: CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY (Advisories: ENGLISH 028 and ENGLISH 067); Also fulfills Area D: Social Science
3. PSYCH 001 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY; Also fulfills Area D: Social Science
4. SOC 001 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY; Also fulfills Area D: Social Science
5. JOURNAL 101 COLLECTING AND WRITING NEWS or JOURNAL 105 MASS COMMUNICATIONS
6. COMM 111 VOICE AND ARTICULATION
7. COMM 100 SURVEY OF HUMAN COMMUNICATION
8. any course not used in LIST A or B above
3 units each

**ADDITIONAL COURSES FOR FULL CSU GE OR IGETC**
Area 1B: Critical Thinking/English Composition
Suggested: COMM 104 ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE (CSU only) (Advisory: ENGLISH 101), or ENGLISH 102 COLLEGE READING AND COMPOSITION II (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101; Advisory: ENGLISH 108), or ENGLISH 103 COMPOSITION AND CRITICAL THINKING (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101; Advisory: ENGLISH 108), or PHILOS 005 CRITICAL THINKING AND COMPOSITION (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 101)
1 units

Area 3C: Oral Communication (CSU only)
Choose any
1 units

Area 3A: Arts (IGETC only)
Suggested: ART HIST 151 INTRODUCTION TO LATIN AMERICAN ART (Advisory: ENGLISH 101)
1 Units

Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences
Suggested: ANTHRO 102 HUMAN WAYS OF LIFE: CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY (Advisories: ENGLISH 028 and ENGLISH 067), or GEOG 002 CULTURAL ELEMENTS OF GEOGRAPHY (Advisories: ENGLISH 028 and ENGLISH 067), or HISTORY 086 INTRODUCTION TO WORLD CIVILIZATION I (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 028), or HISTORY 087 INTRODUCTION TO WORLD CIVILIZATION II (Prerequisite: ENGLISH 028), or POL SCI 001 THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES
3 units

Area 5A: Physical Science or 5B: Biological Science
Choose any
3 units

Area D: Social Sciences
Suggested: Group 1 or 2 American Institutions
3 units