



Finish in 4 Curricular Plan Media Study BA Critical Studies



A Finish in 4 Curricular Plan provides a roadmap for completing this academic program and the UB Curriculum in four years. Your actual plan may vary depending on point of entry to the university, course placement and/or waivers based on standardized test scores, earned alternative credit and/or college transfer credit.

All students are encouraged to use this plan in conjunction with other academic planning resources such as your academic advisor, the hUB Academic Advisement Report, My Planner and Path Finder tool.

In addition to following this course roadmap, all other admission and academic requirements of this major as listed in the Undergraduate Catalog must be met in order to successfully complete this degree.

Media Study- Critical Studies

| Freshman Year Fall Semester | | |
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| Course | Category | Credit |
| UB Seminar or DMS 199 | UBS | 3 |
| ENG 105 | CL1 | 4 |
| Math & Quantitative Reasoning | MQR | 4 |
| Scientific Literacy | SLI 1 | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 14 |

| Freshman Year Spring Semester | | |
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| Course | Category | Credit |
| Intro to interpret. | M | 4 |
| Scientific Literacy | SLI 2 | 4 |
| Diversity Learning | DL / E | 3 |
| Thematic Pathway | TP1 | 3 |
| Elective | E | 2 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 16 |

| Sophomore Year Fall Semester | | |
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| Course | Category | Credit |
| Intro to interpt | M | 4 |
| Advanced Analysis | M | 4 |
| Minor/Virtual minor | M | 3 |
| Thematic Pathway | TP2 | 3 |
| Global Pathway | GP1 | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 17 |

| Sophomore Year Spring Semester | | |
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| Course | Category | Credit |
| Intro to interpt | M | 4 |
| Minor/ Virtual Minor | M | 3 |
| Minor/ Virtual Minor | M | 3 |
| Global Pathway | GP2 | 3 |
| Communication Literacy | CL2 | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 16 |

| Course | Category | Credit |
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| Advanced Analysis | M | 4 |
| Advanced Analysis | M | 4 |
| New Media Theory | M | 4 |
| Minor/Virtual Minor | M | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 15 |

| Course | Category | Credit |
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| Advanced Analysis | M | 4 |
| Media and Culture | M | 4 |
| Thematic Pathway | TP 3 | 3 |
| Global Pathway | GP3 | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 14 |

| Course | Category | Credit |
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| DMS Elective | M | 5 |
| Minor/Virtual minor | M | 3 |
| Minor/Virtual Minor | M | 3 |
| CAP | CAP | 1 |
| Elective | E | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 15 |

** extra credit from UB seminar*

| Senior Year Spring Semester | | |
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| Course | Category | Credit |
| DMS Elective | M | 4 |
| Minor/virtual minor | M | 3 |
| Elective | E | 3 |
| Elective | E | 3 |
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| <i>Total Credits:</i> | | 13 |

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| Total Credits Required for Degree: | | |
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Category Legend:

M = Course Required for Major (including pre-requisites needed for admission to the major)

E = Elective (course not required for major or UB Curriculum)

The following are all components of the UB Curriculum (UBC) For more information on the UBC and course options visit: <http://undergrad-catalog.buffalo.edu/policies/degree/ubcurriculum.html>

- UBS = UB Seminar
- CL1/CL 2 = Communication Literacy (2 required)
- CAP = UB Capstone
- DL = Diversity Learning
- GP1/GP2/GP3 = Global Pathway Course (3 required)
- MQR = Math and Quantitative Reasoning
- SLI1/SLI2 = Scientific Literacy and Inquiry (2 required)
- TP1/TP2/TP3 = Thematic Pathway Course (3 required)

Note: Some classes may count toward both a major (M) and UB Curriculum (UBC) requirement. Courses that count towards more than one requirement are indicated by a "/" (slash) in the category column indicating which categories the course will satisfy