Bachelor of Science in Communication
Film Production Emphasis

A Bachelor of Science in Communication with an emphasis in Film Production degree has four basic components:

1. Lower-division, General Education Requirements, excluding Fine Arts / Communication, which is included in degree requirements (29 or more credits).
2. Core Discipline Requirements (37 credits).
4. Electives: college-level courses from any prefix (up to 39 credits).

DSC General Education & Institutional Requirements
All DSC General Education & Institutional Requirements must be fulfilled. A previously earned degree may fulfill those requirements, but courses must be equivalent to DSC’s minimum General Education standards in American Institutions, English, and Mathematics.

Institutional Requirement
Complete one of the following:

- CIS 1200 Computer Literacy (3)
- CIS 1201 Computer Literacy Exam (0)

General Education Requirements
Complete the following:

- ENGL 1010 Intro to Writing (3)
- ENGL 1010 Intermediate Writing (3)
- LIB 1010 Information Literacy (1)
- American Institutions GE course (3)
- Life Sciences GE course (3 – 5)
- Physical Sciences GE course (3 – 5)
- Laboratory Science GE course (0 – 1)
- Fine Arts GE course (3)
- Literature/Humanities GE course (3)
- Exploration GE course (3 – 5)
- Two (2) Global & Cultural Perspectives GE courses (0 – 6)

Complete one of the following:

- MATH1040 Intro to Statistics (3) (recommended)
- Other Mathematics GE course (3 – 5)

Core Discipline Requirements
Complete the following:

- COMM 1050 Intro to Communication Theory (3)
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**Film Production Emphasis Requirements**

Complete the following:

- COMM 2660  Into to Digital Motion Picture Production (3)

Complete one of the following:

- COMM 1500  Intro to Mediated Communication (3)
- COMM 2010  Media and Society (3)

Complete a minimum of 9 credits of Film Production electives, including:

At least one or more of the following Audio Production courses:

- COMM 1560  Audio for Converged Media (3)
- COMM 3790  Adv Audio for Converged Media (3)
- COMM 4790  Audio Prod Digital Motion Picture (3)

At least one or more of the following New Media courses:

- COMM 2460  Intro to New Media Production (3)
- COMM 3480  New Social Media (3)
- COMM 3530  Digital Photojournalism (3)
- COMM 4330  New Media Applications (3)

Other Film Production electives:

- COMM 2600  Screenwriting (3)
- COMM 2630  Storyboarding (3)
- COMM 3590  Media Management & Sales (3)
- COMM 3600  Convergence Journalism (3)
- COMM 3650/3655 | TV Field Production & Reporting / Lab (2/1) |
- COMM 3830  Editorial & Opinion Writing (3)
- COMM 4100/4105 | Documentary Production / Lab (2/1) |
- COMM 4380/4385 | Adv Television Production / Lab (2/1) |
- COMM 4640  Feature Writing (3)
- COMM 4700/4705 | Adv Digital Motion Picture Prod / Lab (2/1) |
- COMM 4800/4805 | Adv Digital Motion Picture Post-Prod / Lab (2/1) |

Recommended (not required) elective for incoming students:

- COMM 1001  Comm First Year Experience (1.0)
Graduation Requirements
1. Complete a minimum of 120 college-level credits (1000 and above).
2. Complete at least 40 upper-division credits.
3. Complete at least 30 upper-division credits at DSC for institutional residency.
4. Cumulative GPA 2.5 or higher.
5. Grade C+ or higher in each Core Discipline Requirement course.