

REGISTRATION GUIDE for majors who declared as a junior

<u>Freshman Year</u>	<u>Sophomore Year</u>	<u>Junior Year</u>	<u>Senior Year</u>
<p>Start the Arts and Sciences core</p>	<p>Finish the Arts and Sciences core</p> <p>Many double majors begin their first major during their sophomore year. This allows them to focus on their second major during the junior and senior year.</p>	<p>A student who begins the major during the junior will need to take five or six Communication courses. Start with CO010-Rhetorical Tradition and then CO020-Survey of Mass Communication. You must pass these courses BEFORE taking any other courses in the major.</p> <p>After taking Rhetorical Tradition and Survey of Mass Communication, take the two remaining common requirements (CO030-Public Speaking and CO350-Research Methods).</p> <p>After completing the common requirements (CO010, CO020, CO030, and CO350), take a theory course (CO370-CO380), a cluster course, OR begin the elective courses.</p> <p>Junior Year Abroad. It is very difficult for a student beginning the major junior year to go abroad. If you are contemplating a semester abroad, contact the Communication Counselor, Roger Woolsey <woolseyr@bc.edu>, to determine whether you can complete the necessary courses.</p> <p>Communication Honors Program. Majors with a 3.75 GPA should seriously consider the Honors Program. A student beginning the major junior year cannot begin the honors program until they have satisfied the four common requirements.</p>	<p>Majors who began the major junior year will still have five or six courses to complete.</p> <p>Review your degree audit to make sure your schedule satisfies all of the requirements for the major. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • four common requirements (CO010, CO020, CO030, and CO350) • a cluster course • a theory course (CO370-CO380) • two writing-intensive seminars (CO427-CO475) • three communication electives <p>Majors in the Honors Program will need to write a thesis during senior year.</p> <p>Planning for the future:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Majors interested in a career in a communication-related field are strongly encouraged to complete an internship during the senior year. • Majors considering law or graduate school should attend the relevant departmental information session. • Majors should start their job search during the fall semester. As a first step it is helpful to visit the BC Career Center to learn about search strategies, resume workshops, and interviewing tactics. Information about the Career Center is available online at-- http://www.bc.edu/offices/careers/