KEAN UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
COMMUNICATION DEPARTMENT
41108 B.A. IN COMMUNICATION (MEDIA OPTION): 124 S.H. (blue)
EFFECTIVE DATE: FALL 2010 START TERM: _____

NAME		TRANSFER INSTITUTIONS (X) Credits:	
STUDENT ID#		In Progress	
GENERAL EDUCATION: 46-48 S.H.		ACADEMIC MAJOR : ***42 S.H. Total Credits[2]	
Foundation Requirements 13 S.H.		Media Option	
GE 1000 Transition to Kean (Required of Freshmen and Transfers with fewer than 10 credits)	1	Required: Foundation Core 18 S.H.	
***ENG 1030 Composition	3	COMM 2403(MED 2400) Production Foundations	3
**MATH 1010 Foundations of Math	3	COMM 2503 (MED 2500) Mass Media	3
COMM 1402 Speech Communication[1]	3	COMM 2602 (FILM 2600)Film History I	3
GE 2023 Research & Technology	3	COMM 2920 Intro to Journalism	3
		COMM 3510 Persuasion	3
Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirements:		COMM 3720 Communication and Media Theory	3
Humanities: 9 S.H.		Required: Media Core 12 S.H.	
*ENG 2403 World Literature	3	COMM 2603 (MED 2600) Audio Production	3
Select two courses from different areas:		COMM 2813 (MED 2800) Video Field Production	3
Fine Arts or Art History	3	COMM 3003 (MED 3000) Media Journalism	3
Philosophy or Religion	3	COMM 2703 (MED 2700) Media Performance	3
Foreign Languages (Note)	3		
Music or Theatre	3	Electives: 3 credits in COMM and 9 credits in MED 12 S.H.[3]	
Interdisciplinary	3		3
			3
Social Sciences: 9 S.H.			3
*HIST 1000 Civil Society in America	3		3
Select two courses from different areas:			
Psychology	3	FREE ELECTIVES (F.E.): 28-30 S.H. (at least 50% of free electives must be taken at the 3000/4000 level)	
Economics or Geography	3	No Comm or Media or Film Free electives	
Political Science	3		
Sociology or Anthropology	3		
Interdisciplinary	3		
Science and Mathematics: 10 or 11 S.H.		Other Transfer:	
**CPS 1031	3	Special Notes:	
Lab Science		*G.E. required course	
Astronomy; Biology; Chemistry; Earth Science; Geology; Meteorology; Physics	4	**Course required by Major	
Additional Science Course: Interdisciplinary (ID) or one different science course from above (3 or 4 credits)	3, 4	***All Major courses & ENG1030 require a minimum grade of C	
		>Require advisor permission	
Health & Physical Education: 2 or 3 S.H.		Note: See foreign language requirements	
ID 1225 Issues in Contemporary Health OR	3		
ID 1010 Leisure & Recreation in Multicultural Society	3	[1] A grade of C or better required for all COMM classes	
OR TWO one-credit P.E.D. courses	1, 1	[2] A GPA of 2.5 overall and in your major is required to	
		graduate	
***G.E. and Major Capstone: 3 S.H.		[3] A 3.0 GPA is required to have a graded internship/or	
COMM 4962 Communication Research Seminar	3	practicum	
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES: 6 S.H.			
PS 2300 Intro to Comparative Politics	3	TOTAL CREDITS:	
OR PS 2400 Intro to International Relations		Advisor:	
ID 2415 Group Communication	3	Advisor Signature:	

ADDITIONAL MAJOR INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL EDUCATION INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Testing and Placement

Incoming freshmen and transfer students may be placed in specific GE Foundations, Developmental or ESL courses as a result of testing prior to registration. Students may be exempt from testing due to SAT scores or prior college work.

Prerequisites and Equivalencies for GE Foundations Courses

GE 1000
Required of all freshmen and transfers with fewer than 10 credits
Prereq: None
Equiv: ID 1001

ENG 1030
Prereq: Placement testing or exemption from placement testing
Equiv: ENG 1031/1032, ENG 1033/1034, ENG 1430, ENG 1020, ENG 1400

MATH 1000 or 1010 or 1016 or 1030
Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing
Equiv of MATH 1000: MATH 1001/1002, MATH 1003/1004, MATH 1051

MATH 1044 or 1054
Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing and MATH 1000

COMM 1402
Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1031/1032 or ENG 1033/1034 if required by placement testing
May be taken concurrently with ENG 1030
Equiv: COMM 1400

GE 2021- 2026 *Research and Technology* is offered as college-based course
GE 2021 College of BPA
GE 2022 College of EDU
GE 2023 College of HSS
GE 2024 College of NAHS
GE 2025 College of VPA
GE 2026 Undecided Majors
Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1030 or equivalent
COMM 1402
Equiv: GE 2020

GE Distribution Courses

All courses taken under the General Education Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution requirements must be selected from the Approved General Education Distribution Course List, printed in Registration Bulletin. These courses are designated as GEHU, GESS, GESM, or GEHPE.

GEHU Humanities
GESS Social Sciences
GESM Science and Mathematics
GEHPE Health and Physical Education

Required GE Distribution Courses

ENG 2403 is a required Humanities Distribution course with an emphasis on diversity. Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing; ENG 1030 or equivalent.

HIST 1000 is a required Social Sciences Distribution course with an emphasis on diversity. Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing; ENG 1031/1032 or ENG 1033/1034 if required by placement testing; May be taken concurrently with ENG 1030.

Foreign Language Credit

The three credits for a foreign language that may satisfy the GE Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirement are awarded only upon successful completion of the second of two semesters of study at the introductory or intermediate level.
Credit for the first semester may be used as elective credit.

Major/GE Capstone Course

A Capstone course is a major course that satisfies three credits of GE requirements.
Each major guide sheet will count three credits for the Capstone as either GE credits or major credits, but not both.

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENT

Writing-Emphasis Requirement

All students are required to complete one "Writing-Emphasis" course. The "W-E" course must be within the major portion of your program. Consult your major program advisor for specific information.

Evaluator's Signature_____**Date**_____

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Your major department is located in CAS 402, (908) 737 – 0460.

YOU MUST BRING THIS EVALUATION AND YOUR KEAN UNIVERSITY TRANSCRIPT TO ALL ADVISING/REGISTRATION SESSIONS