KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
(41104) B.A. IN COMMUNICATION / COMMUNICATION STUDIES: 124 S.H.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Fall 2009 **START TERM:** _____

NAME		TRANSFER INSTITUTIONS (X) Credits:	
STUDENT ID#		In Progress	
GENERAL EDUCATION: 47- 48 Semester Hours (S.H.)		**ACADEMIC MAJOR[3] 36 S.H.Total Credits**	
Foundation Requirements 13 S.H.		**Required: Foundation Core 12 S.H.**	
GE 1000 Transition to Kean[1]	1	COMM 2405 Public Speaking	3
ENG 1030 Composition[2]	3	COMM 2425 Interpersonal Communication	3
MATH 1010 Foundations of Math	3	COMM 3510 Persuasion	3
COMM 1402 Speech Communication[2]	3	COMM 3720 Communication and Media Theory	3
GE 2023 Research & Technology	3	**Required: Major Electives[4] 24 S.H.** (Eight courses selected with Departmental advisement)	
Disciplinary & Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirements:			
Humanities: 9 S.H.			
*ENG 2403 World Literature	3		
Choose two courses from different areas:			
Fine Arts/Art History	3		
Philosophy or Religion	3		
Foreign Languages (Must take I and II for credit)	3		
Music or Theatre	3		
Interdisciplinary	3		
		FREE ELECTIVES: 31 – 35 S.H. **(At least 50% must be at the 3000/4000 level) See page 2**	
Social Sciences: 9 S.H.			
*HIST 1000 Civil Society in America	3		
Choose two courses from different areas:			
Psychology	3		
Economics or Geography	3		
Political Science	3		
Sociology or Anthropology	3		
Interdisciplinary [7]	3		
***Science and Mathematics*: 10 or 11 S.H.**			
MATH 1016;1030;1054;2411 or CPS 1031;1032;1231	3	**Special Notes:**	
Lab Science		[1]Required of Freshmen and Transfers with fewer than 10 credits.	
Biology; Chemistry; Physics; Geology; Meteorology; Earth Science; Astronomy	4	[2]Students need a C grade to satisfy course requirement.	
Additional Science Course: Interdisciplinary (ID) or one from above (3 or 4 S.H.)	3, 4	[3] All Major courses and capstone require a grade of C or better. Need a 2.5 G.P.A. to graduate.	
		4 Students with a 3.0 GPA can receive credit for an independent study or an internship	
***Health & Physical Education*: 3 S.H.**		[5] Students with a double major or a minor are exempt	
ID 1225 Issues in Contemporary Health **OR**	3	[6] Students can repeat this class if the issue is different	
ID 1010 Leisure & Recreation in Multicultural Society	3	[7] Students can take ID2415 to satisfy Social Science Distribution Requirement or an Additional Required Course	
		*G.E. required course	
G.E. and Major Capstone: 3 S.H.		**Note: See foreign language requirements note on page 3**	
COMM 4962 Communication Research Seminar[3]	3		
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES: 6 - 9 S.H. [7]			
ID 2415 Group Communication	3		
(Two classes at the 3000 level or higher in English, Psychology, History, Political Science, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy/Religion or Foreign Languages) [5]		**Other Transfer:**	
	3	**TOTAL CREDITS:**	
	3	Advisor:	

		Advisor Signature:	
Major Electives (choose from the following possible communication classes to satisfy major requirements)			
COMM 2410 Debate	3		
COMM 2920 Intro to Journalism	3		
COMM 3410 Voice and Speech	3		
COMM 3420 Interviewing	3		
COMM 3425 Nonverbal Communication	3		
COMM 3430 Family Communication	3		
COMM 3525 Communication and Conflict Resolution	3		
COMM 3520 Organizational Communication	3		
COMM 3530 Communicating Across Cultures	3		
COMM 3570 Cinema As Cross-Cultural Communication	3		
COMM 3590 Business and Professional Communication	3		
COMM 3630 Gender, Language and Communication	3		
COMM 3660 Public Relations	3		
COMM 3690 Health Communication	3		
COMM 3700 Community Building and Advocacy	3		
COMM 3910 Advanced Journalism	3		
COMM 3915 Feature Writing	3		
COMM 3917 Sports Writing in Journalism	3		
COMM 3920 Specialty Writing in Journalism	3		
COMM 3925 Editing Skills in Journalism	3		
COMM 3960 Issues in Communication [6]	3		
COMM 3970 Political Communication	3		
COMM 4204 Communication Ethics	3		
COMM 4208 Event Planning and Management	3		
COMM 4350 Consulting and Training in Communication	3		
COMM 4510 Communication and Popular Culture	3		
COMM 4520 Communication and Technology	3		
COMM 4610 Communication and Law	3		
COMM 4615 Communication and Mediation	3		
COMM 4620 Public Relations Writing	3		
COMM 4625 Communication and Negotiation	3		
COMM 4640 Public Relations Cases	3		
COMM 4880 Travel Learn: Organizational Leadership Across Cultures	3		

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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[1]
Required of all freshmen and transfers with fewer than 10 credits
Prereq: None
Equiv: ID 1001

ENG 1030[2]
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.

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Your major department is located in

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