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- Communication Studies
- Digital Media Production
- Media Advertising
- Organizational and Corporate Communication
- Multimedia Journalism

In addition to taking core courses, each student completes requirements for his or her sequence, and electives as required by each major.

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- BA in Media Advertising (http://catalog.utep.edu/undergrad/college-of-liberal-arts/communication/media-advertising-ba/)
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- BA in Organizational & Corporate Communication Online (http://catalog.utep.edu/undergrad/college-of-liberal-arts/communication/organizational-corporate-communication-ba-online/)

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- Minor in Communication Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/undergrad/college-of-liberal-arts/communication/communication-studies-minor/)
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