



Transfer Degree Map: LSC to University of Houston-Downtown Bachelor of Art in Communication (Media & Public Concentration)



4 – Year Suggested Academic Plan for Transfer of the Associate of Arts: FOS Speech Communication Effective FY 21-22 Catalog

First Year - Freshman

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs
EDUC 1300 (1)	Free Elect. (2)	Learning Frameworks: 1 st Year Exp.	3	ENGL 1302	ENG 1302	Composition & Rhetoric II	3
ENGL 1301	ENG 1301	Composition & Rhetoric I	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
SPCH 1311	(Core 010)	Introduction to Speech Communication	3	HIST 1302	HIST 1306	U.S. History since 1877	3
HIST 1301	HIST 1305	US History to 1877	3	SPCH 1315	COMM 1306	Public Speaking	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 2305	Federal Government	3	Social/Behavioral Sciences	(Core 080)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	3
Total			15	Total			15

Summer Session

COSC 1301 (1)	Free Elect. (2)	Introduction to Computers	3	COMM 1307 (3)	COMM 1307	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
Total			3				3

Second Year - Sophomore

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs
Lang., Phil. & Culture	(Core 040)	Choose from Language, Philosophy & Culture Core Curriculum	3	Life & Physical Science	(Core 030)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	4
Life & Physical Science	(Core 030)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	4	PSYC 2301	PSY 1303 (2)	General Psychology	3
SPCH 1318	COMM 2309 (2)	Interpersonal Communication	3	SPCH Elective	COMM XXXX (2)	Choose from 1321, 1342, 2341, 2333	3
MATH 1314	MATH 1301	College Algebra	3	PHED 1164	(Core 090)	Intro to Physical Fitness & Wellness	1
Creative Arts	(Core 050)	Choose from LSC Core Curriculum	3	ENGL Elective	ENGL XXXX (2)	Choose English Literature from LSC Language, Philosophy and Culture Core	3
Total			16	Total			14

Third Year - Junior

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
	ENG 3302	Business & Technical Report Writing	3		COMM 3314	Research in Communication Studies	3
	COMM 3320	Communication Theory	3		COMM 3318	Public Deliberation	3
	COMM 3311	Advanced Media Studies	3		COMM 3308	Family Communication	3
	Communication Elective -UL	Consult with advisor for full list of approved Upper Level COMM courses	3		Communication Elective -UL	Consult with advisor for full list of approved Upper Level COMM courses	3
	Language	Select Foreign Language-Elem. I	4		Language	Select Foreign Language-Elem. I	4
Total			15	Total			15

Fourth Year – Senior

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	University	Course Name	Hrs
	Communication Elective -UL	Consult with advisor for full list of approved Upper Level COMM courses	3		Communication Elective (UL)	Consult with advisor for full list of approved Upper Level COMM courses	3
	COMM 3325	Rhetoric & Public Address	3		COMM 4098	Senior Portfolio	-
	Elective (2)	Minor or Free Elective	3		Elective (2)	Minor or Free Elective	3
	Elective (2)	Minor or Free Elective	3		Elective (2)	Minor or Free Elective	3
					Elective (2)	Minor or Free Elective	3
Total			12				12

Notes/Comments:

- (1) EDUC 1300 is required for First Time in College (FTIC) students only. If not FTIC, take COSC 1301. Students who are FTIC are still required to complete COSC 1301.
- (2) Free electives (lower level or upper level) must be taken to complete the minimum 120 hours required for degree completion at UHD. EDUC 1300, COSC 1301, SPCH 1318, PSYC 2301, SPCH Elective, and ENGL Elective will count toward the free elective requirements.
- (3) COMM 1307 is required for completion of the program at UHD (not required for LSC Associate degree).

Articulation Agreement Information – Standard and Program to Program (P2P)

Transfer of Credit & Student Benefits

- Credits from LSC that are transferrable to UHD degree programs may be specified in any program-to-program articulation agreement.
- Reverse transfer
- LSC students will be allowed access to academic advising services at UHD
- LSC Honors students admitted to UHD will receive:
 - Acceptance to UHD Honors Program with a minimum GPA (GPA varies by the College in which the program resides)
 - UHD will accept a minimum of 12 hours of transfer Honors credit; eligible for merit and need-based aid commensurate with qualifications

Optional Partnership

- [Joint Admission](#) provides students the opportunity to maximize utilization of facilities and programs offered jointly by LSC and UHD:
 - Student ID at LSC and UHD
 - Student computer/internet account, access to computer labs and access to libraries at LSC and UHD
 - Student access to sporting events at UHD
 - Free electronic transfer transcript transmission/evaluation
 - Application fees will be waived for LSC students who apply to UHD within 6 months of earning an Associate's degree.
- Cooperative Advising allows students to access advisors at both institutions for students who are:
 - Admitted (either through regular or joint admissions) at UHD
 - All LSC students with an expressed interest in transferring to UHD
 - Advising for all degree programs at UHD
- Employee discount provides LSC employees an opportunity to apply discounts or waive fees at UHD:
 - Application fee will be waived for LSC employees
 - Recognize the eligibility of LSC employees to apply for scholarship programs.

Standard Agreement & P2P Agreement

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Program Admission Requirements

- Student must have a cumulative 2.0 GPA.
- UHD will calculate the higher grade received on duplicate courses for GPA requirements.
- UHD will accept a "D" in courses.

Program Specific Requirements