

Name \_\_\_\_\_ I.D.# \_\_\_\_\_ Began Program \_\_\_\_\_

M.A. CURRICULUM (33 credits) [as of Fall 2005]

Department of Communication, University at Albany

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PROGRAM CORE (9 credits)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Com 502 Communication Theory and Practice
- \_\_\_\_\_ Com 503 Message Design and Social Influence
- \_\_\_\_\_ Com 525 Communication Research Methods

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AREA OF CONCENTRATION (12 credits within an area)

Political Communication:  
Substantive Core  
(12 credits)

Organizational Communication:  
Substantive Core  
(12 credits)

Interpersonal Interaction/Cultural Practices:  
Substantive Core  
(12 credits)

\_\_\_\_\_ Com 520 Theories and  
Research in Political  
Communication

\_\_\_\_\_ Com 551 Theories and  
Research in Public  
Organizational Communication

\_\_\_\_\_ Com 575 Interpersonal Interaction

\_\_\_\_\_ Political Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ Organizational Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ Com 577 Culture and Communication

\_\_\_\_\_ Political Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ Organizational Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ IP/IC Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ Political Elective

\_\_\_\_\_ Organizational Elective

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SUPPORTING ELECTIVES (6 credits from courses within the department or, by approval, outside the department)

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FINAL PROJECT (6 credits)

\_\_\_\_\_ COM 698 Research Seminar/Practicum in Communication, OR \_\_\_\_\_ COM 699 Masters Thesis

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**NOTE:** All students must pass a comprehensive examination in their area of concentration. Students are eligible to take this exam after they complete 24 credits, which include program core (9 credits), area of concentration (12 credits), and at least 3 additional credits.

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