# **CURRICULUM GUIDE** B.A. **Public Relations**

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The schedule below is an EXAMPLE of how you can arrange your class schedule. Please consult your advisor for specific changes that may need to be made.

	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Freshman Year Sophomore	ASO 100 BEM 202 BEM 203 Gen Ed/ Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective TOTAL MKT 301	1 3 3 3 3 3 3	BEM 295 ECO 120 Gen. Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective TOTAL BEM 305W	4 3 3 3 3
Year	Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/ Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective TOTAL	3 3 3 3	Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective  TOTAL	3 3 3 3
Junior Year	PUB 412 PUB 320 PUB 375 Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective	3 3 3 3	PUB 475 PUB 380 Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective Gen Ed/Elective	3 3 3 3 3
Senior Year	PUB 410 PUB 470 PUB 475 BEM 325 Gen Ed/Elective	3 1 3 3 3	PUB 490 PUB 491 PUB 425 COMM 300 BEM 415 Gen Ed/Elective	3 1 3 0 3 3 3
TOTAL 13 TOTAL 14  TOTAL HOURS TO DEGREE COMPLETION 120				

<sup>\*</sup> PREREQUISITES: Consult with your advisor and/or the University catalog regarding prerequisites for upper division PUB courses.

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### **GENERAL EDUCATION & UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS 36 HOURS**

ASO 100 Academic Success Seminar

### **PUB CORE COURSES required by all PUB students**

BEM 295 (4) Video Production 1
BEM 202 Information Gathering

BEM 203 Introduction to Media Writing
BEM 305W Storytelling and Feature Writing

ECO 120 OR 130 OR 230 OR 231

MKT 301 Principles of Marketing
PUB 412 OR BEM 412 Web Development

PUB 320 OR BEM 320 Design

PUB 375 Public Relations Principles
PUB 380 Public Relations Writing

PUB 410 OR PUB 410S Social media and Public Relations

PUB 470 (1) OR PUB 349 (1)

PUB 475 Advanced Public Relations
PUB 490 *OR* PUB 490S Public Relations Campaigns

PUB 491 (1) Senior Seminar

PUB 425 Crisis and Risk Communication

### **PUB ELECTIVES (Select 6 hours from the following)**

BEM 325 Photojournalism BEM 415 Media Ethics

COMM 400 Studies in Communication
PUB 325 OR PUB 325S Advertising Strategy and Practice
PUB 385 OR PUB 385S Event Planning and Management

PUB 390 Fundraising

PUB 400 Studies in Public Relations
PUB 415S Public Relations in Performing

PUB 480 Integrated Communications Strategies
PUB 499 Independent Study in Public Relations

PUB 520 Integrated Public Relations MGT 301 Principles of Management

#### **FREE ELECTIVES 23 HOURS**

#### **EXIT REQUIREMENT**

**COMM 300**