



Certificate Planning Chart

*Key to course frequency & formats: x traditional; ● online; # traditional & online

					Term	Grade
					Taken	Earned
CORE REQUIREMENTS: 9 CREDITS (3 Courses)						
COMMRC	0500	Argument	3	x x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	0520	Public Speaking	3	# # x	_____	_____
COMMRC	0530	Interpersonal Communication	3	# # ●	_____	_____
COMMRC	0540	Discussion	3	x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	0550	Speech Composition	3	x x	_____	_____
ELECTIVES: 15 CREDITS (Choose 5 approved courses from the list below)						
COMMRC	0300	Communication Process	3	# # #	_____	_____
COMMRC	0310	Rhetorical Process	3	x x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	0320	Mass Communication Process	3	# # ●	_____	_____
COMMRC	1101	Evidence	3	x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1102	Organizational Communication (0300)	3	# # ●	_____	_____
COMMRC	1103	Rhetoric and Culture (0310 or 0320)	3	x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1104	Political Communication (0310 or 0320)	3	x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1105	Television and Society (0320)	3	x # x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1106	Small Group Communication (0300)	3	# #	_____	_____
COMMRC	1109	Nonverbal Communication (0300)	3	# #	_____	_____
COMMRC	1110	Theories of Interpersonal Communication (0300)	3	x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1111	Theories of Persuasion (0520 and 0310 or 0320)	3	● #	_____	_____
COMMRC	1112	Theories of Rhetoric (0310 & 0520)	3	x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1114	Freedom of Speech and Press (0310 or 0320)	3	x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1117	21st Century Public Argument (0310 or 0320)	3	x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1119	Presidential Rhetoric 2 (0310 or 0320)	3	x x	_____	_____
COMMRC	1121	History of Mass Media (0320)	3	# #	_____	_____
COMMRC	1122	Media Criticism (0320)	3	# # ●	_____	_____
<i>Choose one of the following:</i>						
COMMRC	1900	Communication Internship	3	x x x	_____	_____
CGS	1900	CGS Choosing Your Path: Internship Seminar	3	● ● ●	_____	_____
Total Credits in Certificate:					_____	

This certificate is available as a **standalone program** to non-degree seeking students or it may be pursued in conjunction with another undergraduate degree.

Credits earned at other accredited educational institutions may be eligible for transfer. However, a **minimum of 9 credits must be earned** at the University of Pittsburgh.

Important! If you earn less than a "C" in any course, please contact your advisor!

Students must maintain at least **2.0 grade point** average in all University certificate courses.



*Indicated course rotation is not guaranteed. See the [Registrar's website](#) for the most recent offerings.