

BG Perspective (BGP) Requirements

Must complete at least 1 course in each of the following:

English Composition and Oral Communication
 Course _____ Credits _____

Quantitative Literacy

Must Complete at least 2 courses in each of the following:

Humanities and the Arts

Natural Sciences - at least one Lab Science required

Social and Behavioral Sciences

Complete total required BGP credit hours by selecting courses from any of the above categories:

University Requirements Designated courses in Humanities and the Arts and the Social and Behavioral Sciences domains may be used to fulfill both the BGP requirement and one of the following university requirements:

Cultural Diversity in the US _____
 International Perspective _____

Composition Requirement:

WRIT 1120 Research Writing _____

Total BGP Credits: Must be at least 36 _____

Arts & Sciences Requirements

World Languages and Cultures (____ yrs of HS____)
 Consult the Undergraduate Catalog or the Arts and Sciences Student Handbook regarding approved course options in the different language and culture areas.

_____ 1010 _____
 _____ 1020 _____

Lab Science

Multidisciplinary Component Select from approved offerings, in consultation with an advisor and a faculty mentor. Four courses total, each with a different subject prefix. At least two courses at 3000/4000 level. Courses applied to the Arts & Sciences MDC may not be used to fulfill other Arts and Sciences degree requirements, nor may they be used to fulfill major, minor, BGP or other program requirements.

Major Requirements (40-42 Hrs)

Hrs	Grade	
3	_____	TCOM 1030 Media & the Info. Society
3	_____	TCOM 2600 Writing for Elect. Media
3	_____	TCOM 2610 Interactive Television and Video Production
3	_____	TCOM 2620 Interactive Radio Production
3	_____	TCOM 3550 Global Telecommunications Systems
3	_____	TCOM 3600 Media Research
3	_____	TCOM 3660 Media Effects
3	_____	TCOM 4600 Media Policy & Industry
1-3	_____	TCOM 4890 Internships

Media Studies Track

Select one focus area from either Media Studies Track or Media Production Track

1) Media Business (15 hours)

3	_____	Select two of the following:
3	_____	TCOM 3610 Media & Strategic Communication
		TCOM 4530 Media Sales and Promotion
		TCOM 4610 Audience Research
		TCOM 4630 Media Programming
3	_____	TCOM 4911 Media Management
		6 credits of TCOM 3000/4000 Electives or TCOM 2630 or TCOM 2640
3	_____	
3	_____	

2) Media Culture (15 hours)

3	_____	TCOM 4860 Critical Studies in Media Environments
3	_____	Select two of the following:
3	_____	TCOM 3500 Scriptwriting
		TCOM 3520 Online Social Media
		TCOM 3610 Media & Strategic Communication
		TCOM 3650 Broadcasting History
		TCOM 4000 Topics in Documentary Studies (can be repeated for different topics)
		TCOM 4390 Topics in Sports Telecommunications (can be repeated for different topics)
		TCOM 4610 Audience Research
		TCOM 4630 Media Programming
		TCOM 4660 Television and Film Criticism
		TCOM 4670 Gender, Media and Culture
		TCOM 4690 Contemporary Aspects of Telecommunications (approval needed)
		TCOM 4750 Electronic Surveillance and Privacy
		6 credits of TCOM 3000/4000 Electives or TCOM 2630 or TCOM 2640
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Further Media Production Track and minor on the second page.

Media Production Track: Focus Area

1) Social & Interactive Media (15 hours)

3	TCOM 2640 Interactive Online Media
3	TCOM 3520 Online Social Media or TCOM 4750 Surveillance & Privacy
3	TCOM 4640 Practicum in Interactive Online Media Production
	6 credits of TCOM 3000/4000 Electives or TCOM 2630
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2) Radio (15 hours)

3	TCOM 3680 Intermediate Radio Production and Performance
3	One of the following: TCOM 4530 Media Sales and Promotion TCOM 4911 Media Management TCOM 4630 Media Programming TCOM 2640 Interactive Online Media
3	TCOM 4912 Advanced Radio Production Practicum
	6 credits of TCOM 3000/4000 Electives or TCOM 2630
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3) Television/Video (15 hours)

3	TCOM 2630 Multi-Camera Television Production
3	TCOM 3640 Video Field Production, Editing and Online Distribution
3	TCOM 4680 Advanced Producing and Directing
3	TCOM 4913 Video Practicum
	3 credits of TCOM 3000/4000 Electives or TCOM 2640
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Minor Requirements (usually 20 hours, no courses in major may be used)

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Electives and Non-Credit Courses

_____	_____	_____
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Junior Audit Instructions

You must complete an official degree audit with a **College Advisor** during your junior year [60-89 hours]. To do so, you must schedule an appointment with a **College Advisor**. You should bring a completed copy of this check sheet and a current copy of your Degree Audit Reporting System (DARS) report.

For Graduation You Will Need:

1. Minimum GPA 2.00.

Current GPA _____

2. 122 credit hours minimum.

In Progress/Completed _____ **Needed** _____

3. A major, and if required, a minor, specialization or emphasis.

Declared with the College Office Yes No

4. 40 credit hours at the 3000/4000 level.

In Progress/Completed _____ **Needed** _____

5. Completion of all degree requirements, including the BG Perspective Core.

In Progress/Completed _____ **Needed** _____

6. At least 30 credit hours of BGSU course work.

In Progress/Completed _____ **Needed** _____

Any substitution or waiver of courses required for your major or minor program must originate in the department/school offering the major or minor and must be approved by the College Office.

To ensure a timely graduation, see a **College Advisor** during the semester prior to your intended graduation.

Remember to complete an **Application for Graduation** by the end of the second week of classes during the fall or spring semester, or by the end of the first week of the summer semester. For the specific dates, check your DARS. You may log onto MyBGSU to complete the online application. After the deadlines, you will need to complete an application in person in the College Office.

Student Contact Information:

Name (Print First & Last Name)

BGSU ID#

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Phone (Cell or Local Number)

BGSU Email

Student's Signature

Date

Advisor's Signature

Date