



Articulation Office – Counseling Services & Special Programs

ADVISEMENT INFORMATION FOR TRANSFER MAJORS

SPEECH COMMUNICATION (CPSUSLO, CSUF, CSULB)

A variety of university majors have as part of their name "communication." There may be great differences between these various majors in terms of academic emphasis, required courses, transfer requirements, and the occupational preparation provided. Students should pay particular attention to the descriptive information provided by the specific campus to which they are considering transferring.

This advisement sheet addresses "Speech Communication" majors, which usually emphasize public speaking, debate, and interpersonal communication. This type of major provides a broad liberal arts education, and is good preparation for communications-related occupations in mass media, business, government, and education. Students are encouraged to read the other advisement sheets for Communication Studies, and Communicative Disorders/Speech Pathology.

Listed below are Saddleback College (SC) courses that have been articulated with selected example universities, and represents lower-division preparation for the major. In addition, students are advised to complete General Education requirements prior to transfer.

Articulation agreements can change without notice at any point during your time at Saddleback College. Please refer to the college catalogs and websites of the transfer schools you are considering, as well as the state-wide articulation database for CSU and UC campuses, www.assist.org, for the most current information. Students are urged to contact a Saddleback College counselor to review this information on a regular basis.

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CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN LUIS OBISPO

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Lower-Division Preparation: (SP 30 or TA 30), SP 5; SP 106

Support Courses: FR (3 or 4) or GER (3 or 4) or SPAN (3 or 4); HIST (4 and 5); PSYC 1

Refer to the Cal Poly San Luis Obispo catalog, ASSIST at www.assist.org, and the Communications Studies Department website at www.calpoly.edu/~spc/ for additional information regarding program requirements.

CSU FULLERTON

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SPEECH COMMUNICATION

CSUF offers five (5) emphases in Speech Communication: Argumentation & Persuasion, Interpersonal, Intercultural, Organization, and Communication Studies.

Lower-Division Core Requirement: SP 1, 3

NOTE: Students are advised to consult with a CSUF Speech Communication program advisor regarding selection of 15 units of lower-division electives (Examples: SP 2, 3, 5, 35). ***Additional lower-division coursework to be taken at CSU Fullerton after transfer.***

Refer to the CSU Fullerton catalog, ASSIST at www.assist.org, and the Department of Human Communication Studies website at <http://communications.fullerton.edu/humancomm/> for additional information regarding this program.

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CSU LONG BEACH

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES

CSULB offers three (3) options in Communication Studies: General Speech, Interpersonal and Organizational Communication, and Rhetorical Studies.

Lower-Division Requirements:

General Speech Option: SP 3, 5, (SP 1 or SP 35 or TA 35)

Interpersonal and Organizational Communication Option: SP 1, 5, (SP 3 or SP 35 or TA 35)

Rhetorical Studies Option: SP 1, 3, (SP 35 or TA 35 or CA 1 or JRN 1)

Refer to the CSU Long Beach catalog, ASSIST website at www.assist.org, and the Department of Communication Studies website at www.csulb.edu/depts/comstudies/ for additional information regarding these programs.

NOTES:

- As each college/university has its own orientation to their Speech Communication major, read the entire Speech Communication major section in the catalog of each college/university to which you are considering transferring. Pay particular attention to the upper-division requirements.
- Contact each college/university that you are interested in. Ask them to send you information about their Speech Communication programs; selection criteria, GPA requirements, and other pertinent admissions information. Also, ask for information about their campus, services, housing, etc. Meet with college/university representatives when they visit Saddleback College.
- Visit each school to which you are considering transferring.
- Research careers related to your chosen major.
- For additional transfer information, consult Saddleback College's Transfer Student Home Page: www.saddleback.edu/ss/tc/TRANSFERSTUDENTPAGE.html, and ASSIST for CSU and UC campuses: www.assist.org