

BA in English and Communications Degree Requirements

To be eligible for a BA in English and Communications, students must successfully complete a minimum of 40 courses, including 12 English & Communications Core Courses, 2 English & Communications electives, 5 English & Communications Track courses, and 15 General Education courses, as well as Physical Education and Civil Defense & First-Aid Requirements.

English & Communications Major Core		
12 E&C Core Requirements		
E&C 103 Introduction to Language & Culture E&C 104 Introduction to Communications E&C 105 Introduction to the Structure of English E&C 120 American Literature 1 E&C 121 English Literature 1 E&C 130 Introduction to Journalism	E&C 140 Expository Writing E&C 141 Persuasive Writing E&C 200 Discourse Analysis E&C 238 Media & Society E&C 290 Research Methods E&C 299 Capstone	
2 English & Communications Electives		
E&C 122 World Literature 1 E&C 123 Rhetoric E&C 124 English Language Drama from the 19 th Century to Present E&C 125 Introduction to Acting Techniques E&C 201 The History of English E&C 202 Topics in Linguistics E&C 203 English Phonetics/Phonology	E&C 220 American Literature 2 E&C 221 English Literature 2 E&C 222 World Literature 2 E&C 223 Shakespeare E&C 224 Theatre & Society E&C 261 World Media E&C 298 Independent Study	
5 English & Communications Track Courses		
Public Relations	Writing & Translation	General
E&C 231 Public Speaking E&C 232 Public Relations E&C 233 Professional Communication E&C 234 Advertising E&C 235 Communications Ethics E&C 236 Survey/Polling Methodology E&C 237 Introduction to Filmmaking E&C 239 Campaigning for a Cause E&C 244 Writing for Media E&C 245 Advanced Writing for Special Purposes E&C 260 Negotiation E&C 263 Opinion Making in The Age of New Media E&C 267 Filmmaking 2	E&C 151 Consecutive and Simultaneous Interpreting E&C 233 Professional Communication E&C 240 Creative Writing E&C 241 Script Writing E&C 242 Technical Writing E&C 243 The Practice and Art of Non-Fiction E&C 244 Writing for Media E&C 245 Advanced Writing for Special Purposes E&C 250 Introduction to Translation E&C 251 Business Translation E&C 252 Technical Translation E&C 253 Literary Translation	Any combination of English & Communications courses from Public Relations Track, Writing & Translation Track, or Electives.
6 Free Electives		
<i>Any combination of English & Communications Track Courses or Electives and General Education Electives</i>		

General Education	
Foundation Requirements	Clusters
FND 101 Freshman English 1 FND 102 Freshman English 2 FND 103 Armenian language & Literature 1 FND 104 Armenian language & Literature 2 FND 121 Armenian History 1 FND 122 Armenian History 2	<i>Each General Education Cluster must contain at least one 200-level course</i> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 10px;"> <div style="background-color: #ffcc99; padding: 2px 5px;">3 Arts and Humanities</div> <div style="background-color: #99ff99; padding: 2px 5px;">3 Quantitative Sciences</div> <div style="background-color: #9999ff; padding: 2px 5px;">3 Social Sciences</div> </div>
Physical Education 120 hours	
First Aid and Civil Defense 40 hours	
(For more information on General Education, Physical Education, and First Aid & Civil Defense, visit http://aua.am/gen-ed)	