

Bachelor of Science in Strategic Communication

Social Media Management Cognate

2020-2021 Degree Completion Plan

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2020 through summer 2021. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

Course		<u>Hrs</u>	Sem	Grade	Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours) ¹					Major Foundational Courses (0-3 hours)				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3			SCOM 110	Media & Culture ⁵	3		
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1							
	Communications Elective	3			MAJOR				
	Information Literacy Elective ²	3				Core (36 hours)			
	Information Literacy Elective	3			ARTS 222	Introduction to Graphic Design	3		
					ARTS 224	Media Design	3		
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours) ¹					ARTS 319	Mobile & Interactive Tech. Application	3		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1			DMCA 499	Internship	3		
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3			JOUR 225	Media Writing	3		
	Technology Competency ³	0-3			STCO 289	Digital Promotion Tech & Applications ⁶			
					or SCOM 212	Criticism of Popular Culture ⁷	3		
Critical Thinking (8 hours) ¹				STCO 307	Strategic Communication	3			
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues ⁴	2			STCO 346	Persuasive Advertising & Storytelling	3		
RSCH 201	Research 201	3			STCO 348	Strategic Social Media	3		
	Critical Thinking Elective	3			STCO 356	Digital/Social/Mobil Comm. Strategies ⁶			
	<u> </u>				or SCOM 325	Interpersonal Communication ⁷	3		
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours) ¹				STCO 426	Creating Affiliate Loyalty in Digital Age ⁶				
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ⁴	2			or SCOM 490	Crisis Comm. & Negotiation ⁷	3		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3			STCO 487	Agency/Field Projects	3		
Social & Sci	entific Inquiry (6 hours) ¹					Cognate (9 hours)			
Bociai & Bei	Natural Science Elective	3			JOUR 356	Social Media Writing	3		
	Social Science Elective	3			STCO 422	Social Media Development	3		-
					STCO 462	Using the Social & Digital Future			-
Christianity	& Contexts (8 hours) ¹				or SCOM 460	Communication in the Marketplace ⁷	3		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2			<u></u>				-
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2			FREE FLEC	TIVES (25-31 hours)			
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ⁴	2			FREE ELEC	11 VES (23-31 Hours)			
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ⁴	2					_		-
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Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major and cognate taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

²HIUS 221, 222 or 223 is strongly recommended

 3 All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to $\underline{www.liberty.edu/computerassessment}$ for more information

⁴Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

⁵Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

Course offered in online format

⁷Course offered in resident format

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester			Second Semester									
ENGL 101		3	BIBL 105									
EVAN 101		2	THEO 201									
INQR 101		1	Communications Elective [SCOM 110] ¹									
Math Elective ¹		3	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3								
Social Science Elective ¹		3	Natural Science Elective ¹									
RLGN 105		2	Technology Competency ²	0-3								
UNIV 101		1	CSER	0								
CSER		<u>0</u>	Tot	al 13-16								
	Total	15										
SOPHOMORE YEAR												
BIBL 110		2	Critical Thinking Elective ¹	3								
RSCH 201		3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3								
THEO 202		2	Information Literacy Elective ^{1, 3}	3								
ARTS 222		3	ARTS 224	3								
JOUR 225		3	STCO 289 ⁴ or SCOM 212 ⁵	3								
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>								
•	Total	13	Tot	al 15								
JUNIOR YEAR												
ARTS 319		3	STCO 346	3								
JOUR 356		3	STCO 348	3								
STCO 307		3	STCO 356 ⁴ or SCOM 325 ⁵	3								
Elective		3	Elective	3								
Elective		3	Elective	3								
Elective		3	CSER	<u>0</u>								
CSER		<u>0</u>	Tot	al 15								
5	Total	18										
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STCO 422		3	DMCA 499	3								
STCO 426 ⁴ or SCOM 490 ⁵		3	STCO 487	3								
STCO 462 or SCOM 460 ⁵		3	Elective	3								
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CSER		<u>0</u>	Elective	1								
	Total	15	CSER	<u>0</u>								
			Tot	al 16								

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