

# TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

## “EXHIBIT A “

<b>A.A. Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences: Communication from Mercer County Community College to B.A., Communication Studies at Rider University</b>				
<b>MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE A.A., Communication</b>	<b>Cr</b>	<b>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED B.A., Communication Studies (120 Credits) Signed 11-15-24</b>	<b>Cr</b>	
<b>First Semester</b>				
CMN 101 Mass Media	3	COM 105 Communication Culture & Media	3	
CMN 141 Intro to Studio Production <b>OR</b> CMN 151 Introduction to Radio	3	COM 131 Fundamentals of Video Production <b>OR</b> COM 1XX Elective	3	
DMA 144 Internet Tools & Techniques	3	<b>Free Elective</b>	3	
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Seminar in Writing & Research	3	
Humanities General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> PHI 204 Ethics	3	Philosophical Perspectives  PHI 115 Ethics	3	
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	
<b>Second Semester</b>				
CMN 102 Media Issues and Ethics	3	COM 302 Communication Ethics	3	
CMN 111 Speech: Human Communication <b>OR</b> <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> CMN 112 Public Speaking	3	<b>COM 104 Speech Communication</b>	3	
ENG 102 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Seminar in Writing & Research	3	
MAT 125 Elementary Statistics I	3	MSD 200 Statistical Methods I	3	
Social Science General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Perspectives  SOC 101 Sociological Imagination	3	
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	
<b>Third Semester</b>				
CMN 214 Issues in Intercultural Comm. in the U.S. <b>OR</b> CMN 215 Communication and Gender	3	COM 252 Intercultural Communication <b>OR</b> COM 318 Gender and Communication	3	
CMN Communication Elective <u>Writing: CMN-144, CMN-161, ENG-131</u>		Communication Elective <u>Mercer Writing:</u>		

CMN-144-Screen Writing CMN-161-Writing for Media ENG-131-Journalism I <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Career: (CMN-122, CMN-125, ENG-131)</b></u> CMN-122-Organizational Communication CMN-125-Public Relations ENG-131-Journalism I <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Media/Prod.: (CMN: 107,141,142,146,151,153,250)</b></u> CMN-107-Cinema CMN-141-Intro to TV Production CMN-142-Introduction to Field Production CMN-146-Social Media Technologies CMN-151-Introduction to Radio CMN-153-Digital Audio Production I CMN-250-Announcing for Media <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>General Communication: (CMN: 201, 211, 214, 215)</b></u> CMN-201-Persuasion & Propaganda CMN-211-Interpersonal Communication in Human Relations CMN-214-Issues in Intercultural Communication in the U.S. CMN-215-Communication & Gender	3	FTV-238-Screenplay Fundamentals COM -107-Writing for the Media COM-102-Intro to News Writing <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Mercer Career:</b></u> COM-253-Organizational Communication COM-240-Public Relations COM-102-Intro to News Writing <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Mercer Media Prod:</b></u> FMS-382-Comparative Film Directors COM-131-Fundamentals of Video Production COM-331-Television News Production COM-203-Intro to Social Media COM-1XX-Elective COM-234-Audio Production COM-221-Speaking for Broadcast & Digital Media <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Mercer General Communication</b></u> COM-205-Persuasion COM-251-Interpersonal Communication COM-252-Intercultural Communication COM-318-Gender & Communication	3
ENG- Humanities: Literature General Educ. Elect. <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> (ENG-201, ENG-202, ENG-211, ENG-212, ENG-213, ENG-216, ENG-220, ENG-221, ENG-227, ENG-238)	3	Aesthetic Perspectives: Literature  (ENG-363, ENG-362, ENG-217, ENG-270, ENG-228, ENG-226, ENG-224, ENG-230, ENG-250, ENG-210)	3
Historical Perspective General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> HIS 101 World Civilization to 1648 <u><b>OR</b></u> HIS 112 World History to 1500	3	Historical Perspectives  HIS 150 Pre-Modern World; Evolution to Revolution	3
Lab Science General Education Elective	3/4	Scientific Perspectives: Lecture & Lab	3/4
	<b>15/16</b>		<b>15/16</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
CMN Communication Elective <u><b>Writing: CMN-144, CMN-161, ENG-131)</b></u> CMN-144-Screen Writing CMN-161-Writing for Media ENG-131-Journalism I <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Career: (CMN-122, CMN-125, ENG-131)</b></u> CMN-122-Organizational Communication CMN-125-Public Relations ENG-131-Journalism I <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Media/Prod.: (CMN: 107,141,142,146,151,153,250)</b></u> CMN-107-Cinema	3	Communication Elective <u><b>Mercer Writing:</b></u> FTV-238-Screenplay Fundamentals COM -107-Writing for the Media COM-102-Intro to News Writing <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Mercer Career:</b></u> COM-253-Organizational Communication COM-240-Public Relations COM-102-Intro to News Writing <u><b>OR</b></u> <u><b>Mercer Media Prod:</b></u> FMS-382-Comparative Film Directors	3

CMN-141-Intro to TV Production CMN-142-Introduction to Field Production CMN-146-Social Media Technologies CMN-151-Introduction to Radio CMN-153-Digital Audio Production I CMN-250-Announcing for Media <b>OR</b> <u><b>General Communication: (CMN: 201, 211, 214, 215)</b></u> CMN-201-Persuasion & Propaganda CMN-211-Interpersonal Communication in Human Relations CMN-214-Issues in Intercultural Communication in the U.S. CMN-215-Communication & Gender		COM-131-Fundamentals of Video Production COM-331-Television News Production COM-203-Intro to Social Media COM-1XX-Elective COM-234-Audio Production COM-221-Speaking for Broadcast & Digital Media <b>OR</b> <u><b>Mercer General Communication</b></u> COM-205-Persuasion COM-251-Interpersonal Communication COM-252-Intercultural Communication COM-318-Gender & Communication	
Historical Perspective General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> HIS 102 Hist. of West. Civilization Since 1648 <b>OR</b> HIS 113 World History Since 1500	3	Historical Perspectives HIS 151 World in the Modern Era: Exploration to Globalization	3
Mathematics Elective <b>OR</b> Science General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> BIO 113 Biological Science Concepts	3	Mathematical Reasoning <b>OR</b> Scientific Perspectives: 3 Credit Non-Lab Course BIO 100 Life Science	3
Humanities: Aesthetic Appreciation Gen. Ed. Elective	3	Aesthetic Perspectives: Fine Arts	3
Social Science General Education Electives <b>Rider suggests for transfer:</b> POL 101 The American Political System	3	Social Perspectives POL 100 U.S. Politics in Crisis	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>60</b>		<b>60</b>

**Mercer County Community College Footnotes:**

Electives should be selected in consultation with an academic advisor in order to assume maximum transfer of credits.

Mercer students must earn a minimum grade of a C in all ENG and CMN courses to graduate.

**Rider University Footnotes:**

Ü – Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

For transfer credit Mercer students must have a grade of “C” or higher in all courses. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “C- “ or below.)

**Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.**

**COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN  
COMMUNICATION STUDIES AT RIDER UNIVERSITY\***

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at Mercer, indicate course number)
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