

BIS Critical Thinking/Technology Courses

While it is difficult to compile a comprehensive list of which courses are “critical thinking” and which are “technology,” the following list is intended as a guide:

Critical Thinking Courses:

- Any course from the discipline of Philosophy, for example PHI2013/Intro to Philosophy or any other course with a PHI prefix
- Any foreign language
- LIB3003/Library Research Methods – highly recommended if you are doing research papers
- HUM3083/Honors Seminar*
- HUM3073/Honors Colloquium*

Technology Courses

- CSC2003/Intro to Computers OR BIS2073/Fundamentals of Information Systems
- CSC2163/Computer Applications
- BTE2133/Word Processing I
- BTE3143/Word Processing II
- BTE4163/Desktop Publishing
- There are other disciplines that offer courses that are technology (computer/computer app) based. Your advisor will help guide you in their selection

NOTE: Students must take courses from both areas

*Requires a 3.25 cumulative gpa or permission from Honors College Director

Program of Study for Bachelor of Integrated Studies Degree

Student: _____

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phone: _____ email: _____

Updated by _____

Liberal Arts Core Requirements:

Essential Skills:

Freshman English/Writing (6 hours)

Credits/Grade

ENG 1463 English A (C or better required) 3___

ENG 1473 English B (C or better required) 3___

OR

ENG 1803 Freshman English (Honors) 3___

Communication (3 hours)

COM 2013 Oral Communication 3___

Mathematics (3 hours)

MTH _____ College Algebra/Math for Liberal Arts/etc. 3___

Physical Well-Being (1 hours)

HPR _____ Lifetime Fitness Concepts 1___

OR

HPR _____ (P.E. Activity) 1___

Academic Enrichment

Fine Arts and Humanities (6 hours)

ENG _____ (Literature Course) 3___

_____ (Fine Arts Course) 3___

Social Science (9 hours)

HIS _____ (Civ Course) 3___

_____ (U.S. History/Pol Sci) 3___

_____ (elective) 3___

Natural Science (8 hours)

BIO _____ (Biological Science) 3___

_____ (Physical Science) 3___

Non Western Culture (3 hours)

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Core Elective (3 hours)

_____ 3___

Writing Across the Curriculum (3 hours)(Must pass with C or Better)

ENG _____ 3___

BIS Degree Requirements:

All requirements must be met with a C or better

Integrated Studies

ISD ____ Introduction to Integrated Studies

ISD 4004 Senior Seminar

Credits/ Grade

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Critical Thinking and Technology (must be from 2 different areas)

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Areas of Emphasis

(15 hours in each emphasis – must include upper level in each area of emphasis)

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Emphasis 2 _____

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_____ area complete

Emphasis 3 _____

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_____ area complete

Advisor _____

Date major declared _____

Note: student must also meet the following requirements:

- Minimum of 42 junior/senior credits (3000/4000 courses)
- Minimum of 120 credits for the degree
- 1 Writing Intensive (WI) course in any area of emphasis

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INTEREST AREA WORKSHEET

Highlight or circle the areas that are most interesting to you.
Bring this with you to your advising appointment

JOURNALISM/WRITING

- Advertising
- Creative Writing
- Writing and Rhetoric

POLITICAL STUDIES

- Pre-law
- International Relations
- Public Administration

HUMANITIES

- History
- Philosophy
- Cinema Studies

COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Computing
- Information Technology

COMMUNICATION

- Media Communication
- Film production/Broadcasting
- Interpersonal Communication
- Business Communication
- Economics
- Criminal Justice
- sociology
- Psychology

QUANTITATIVE REASONING

- Statistics
- Actuarial Science

HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

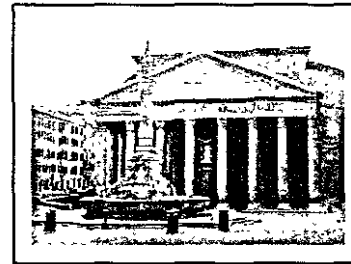
- Applied Leadership Skills
- Employment Systems and Standards
- Training and Development

HEALTH SCIENCE

- Exercise Science
- Wellness health and injury prevention
- Nutrition and Health
- Occupational Safety and Health

NATURAL SCIENCE

- Pre-Med
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Science
- Physics
- Environmental Science



CULTURAL STUDIES

- Anthropology/Archaeology
- Religious Studies
- Urban Studies
- Women and Gender Studies
- Foreign Language

FINE ARTS

- Dance
- Theatre
- Studio Art
- New Media, digital media
- Music: jazz studies, music minor

BUSINESS

- Accounting
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- Human Resource Management
- Marketing
- Business Economics
- International Management
- Management Info Systems
- Operations Management