UNLV Graduate College 2023-2024 Catalog

PLAN OF STUDY - Part II

# Master of Arts - Communication Studies - Thesis

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Refer to the [2023-2024 Graduate Catalog](http://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=44&navoid=12936) for degree requirements.

## COURSE REQUIREMENTS

### Core Courses – Credits: 14

| COURSE  (Prefix & #) | CREDITS | GRADE  (if completed) | SEMESTER/YEAR  (Taken/anticipated) | COURSE (Substitution) | CREDITS  (Substitution) | GRADE  (Substitution) | INSTITUTION  (Substitution) |
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| COM 730 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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### Elective Courses – Credits: 12

Complete 12 credits of advisor-approved electives. A maximum of 6 credits can be taken outside the Department of Communication Studies.

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### Culminating Experience – Credits: 6

Complete 6 credits of 797 (repeatable)

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## TOTAL CREDITS       Minimum credits required for graduation = 32

## GRADUATION POLICIES

* A minimum of 50 percent of the degree program must be 700-level courses excluding thesis, dissertation, or professional/scholarly paper. Individual departments may require more than the Graduate College minimum.
* Courses used to fulfill requirements for one degree may not be used toward another degree.
* A candidate for an advanced degree or graduate certificate must have a minimum Graduate Program Grade Point Average of 3.00 to be eligible to graduate or receive the certificate.
* Acceptable course work is defined as any class in which a student receives a grade of B- or higher. Any required course graded C+ or below will not be included in the candidate’s degree program.
* Refer to the [Thesis and Dissertation Format and Submission Guidelines](https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/thesis) webpage for a breakdown of requirements.
* Refer to the [Graduate Catalog](http://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=44&navoid=12936) for all Academic, Transfer Credit, and program-related policies and requirements.