

# PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION M.A.

## Admission Requirements

Complete the following admission requirements:

- Submit an academic writing sample.

## Program Requirements

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## Minimum Requirements for Professional Communication M.A. Degree: 33 credits

Code	Title	Credits
<b>General University Requirements</b>		
Complete the graduate general university requirements. ( <a href="https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#gurmastersdegreestext">https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#gurmastersdegreestext</a> )		
<b>Master's Degree Requirements</b>		
Complete the master's degree requirements. ( <a href="https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#typesofmastersdegrees">https://catalog.uaf.edu/masters/#typesofmastersdegrees</a> )		
As part of the master's degree requirements, complete the following:		
COM F699 or COM F698	Thesis Non-thesis Research/Project	6
<b>Professional Communication Program Requirements</b>		
Complete the following:		
COM F601	Quantitative Research Methods in Communication	3
COM F602	Communication Research Methodologies: Human Science	3
COM F622	Communication in Interpersonal Relationships	3
COM F625	Communication Theory	3
COM F631	Teambuilding	3
COM F645	Organizational Communication	3
COM F680	Communication and Diversity in the Professional World	3
<b>Electives</b>		
Complete two of the following: <sup>1</sup>		6
COM F633	Public Relations Theory and Practice	
COM F642	Communication in Health Contexts	
COM F675	Training and Development Communication	
COM F682	Seminar in Communication	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>33</b>

other universities in the elective area if approved by the student's committee.

**Note:** A maximum of 6 credits of approved F400-level courses may be included in the 30-34 credit requirement.

**Note:** The comprehensive examination is to be taken no later than the student's fourth semester of work.

<sup>1</sup> Students may take F400- and F600-level courses in art, education, English, journalism, communication, marketing, business administration and Arctic and Northern studies as well as graduate-level independent studies to fulfill 6 credits of the elective requirement if approved by the student's committee. Students will also be able to apply up to 6 credits of appropriate graduate-level coursework from