

COM Foundation Requirements

Student Name: _____ BU ID: _____

Semester/Year of BU Matriculation: _____ Today's Date: _____

Use this sheet to keep track of when you completed each class and to make sure you satisfied all the requirements for graduation.

Information

- Enrollment in CO 201 during the second semester freshman year is contingent upon completion of WR 100 in the first semester. Students who take WR 097, WR 098 or WR 099 in the fall should consult with an academic counselor for advice on what to take in the spring.
- Students may be exempted from the foreign language requirement based on a score of 560 or higher on the SAT II, AP/IB or transfer credit or the Boston University language placement examination.
- Course offerings change and the listed classes are not available every semester. Be sure to check if the courses you select have any prerequisites.
- Students may not count a course for both a liberal arts requirement and the CAS Focus. Courses can not count for more than one requirement.
- Physical education or any one-credit music, art or officer's training program courses do not count toward the total number of credits needed to graduate.
- If you wish to fulfill a liberal arts requirement with a course not on this list, you MUST file a petition with Undergraduate Affairs BEFORE registering for that course.

Communication Core (Two Courses)

_____ CO 101: The World of Communication *
Co-req: WR100

*MUST receive C or higher.

_____ CO 201: Introduction to Communication Writing**
Prereq: WR 100

** Students entering BU Fall 2015 or later, majoring in Film & Television are not required to take CO 201 and should consult Film & Television curriculum guide

History (Two Courses)

To be fulfilled by any two courses from the following: Any HI courses; Also any courses listed below.

AA 310: History of the Civil Rights Movement	CL 101: The Glory of Greece	RN 111: US Religions
AA 371: African American History	CL 102: The Grandeur of Rome	RN 214: Islam
AA 382: Precolonial Africa	CL 202: Warfare in Antiquity	RN 220: The Holy City
AA 385: Atlantic History	CL 221: Greek History (formerly CL 321)	RN 242: Magic, Science and Religion
AA 395: African & Caribbean	CL 222: Roman History	RN 312: Buddhism in America
AA 410: Blacks in Modern Europe	CL 300: The Age of Pericles	RN 322: History of Judaism
AA 480: History of Racial Thought	CL 302: The Age of Augustus	RN 331: Zionism and the State of Israel
AN 368: Australian Culture and Society	CL 303: Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire	RN 384: The Holocaust
AN 379: China: Tradition and Transition (area)	CL 314: Women in Ancient Rome	RN 385: Representations of the Holocaust in Literature and Film
AM 301: Perspectives on the American Experience	CL 336: Roman Empire	CGS SS: Any CGS Social Science
AM 375: History of Women in the US	EC 365: Economic Institutions in Historical Prospective	
AR 100: Great Discoveries in Archaeology	IR 303: Universal History	
AR 101: Introduction to Archaeology	IR 365: Rise of China	
AR 205: Origins of Civilization	IR 376: American Foreign Policy	
AR 230: Archaeology of Classical Civilization	PO 111: Intro to American Politics	
AR 232: Archaeology of Ancient Egypt	RN 102: Sacred Journeys	
AR 251: Ancient Maya Civilization	RN 103: Religions of the World: Eastern	
AR 262: Asian Gods and Goddesses	RN 104: World Religions	

Social Science (Two Courses)

To be fulfilled by any two courses from the following: Any EC, IR, PO, PS, or SO courses; Also any AN, AR, or GE courses except those listed as a natural science on the opposite side, unless listed below; Also any courses listed below.

AA 313: Politics of The Wire	PH 253: Social Philosophy	WS 342: Women, Law and Society
AA 363: Race & Development of American Economy	PH 254: Political Philosophy	WS 348: Gender and International Development
AA 382: Precolonial Africa	PH 255: Philosophy of Law	WS 360: Global Feminism
AM 367: Material Culture	PH 256: Philosophy of Gender and Sexuality	CGS SS: Any CGS Social Science
CC 112/203/204/211: Core Social Science	SP 302: Contemporary Spanish Culture	SED PE 375: Psychology of Sport
GE 100: Introduction to Environmental Science	SS 315: Aotearoa New Zealand	
GE 150: Sustainable Energy	WS 101: Gender and Sexuality I	
GE 250 Fate of Nations	WS 102: Gender and Sexuality II	
LC 286: Topics in Chinese Culture	WS 213: Sexism in the 20th Century (formerly WS 113)	
PH 155: Politics and Philosophy	WS 214: Women in Arts and Culture (formerly WS 114)	
PH 241: Philosophy of Personality	WS 305: Critical Issues in Women's Studies	
PH 242: Human Nature	WS 340: Women, Race and Gender in Media	

Writing and Literature (Four Courses)

_____ WR 150: Writing and Research Seminar

To be fulfilled by any three courses from the following: Any EN, WR, or XL courses; Also any courses listed below.

AA 304: African American Women Writers	PH 259: Philosophy of the Arts	WS 346: Women in Film
AA305: Toni Morrison	RN 101: The Bible	CFA TH 101: Intro to Aesthetics & Dramatic Literature
AA 404: African American and Asian American Women Writers	RN 102: Sacred Journeys	CFA TH102: Dramatic Literature I
CC 101, CC 102, CC 201, CC 202: Core Humanities	RN 201: The Hebrew Bible	CFA TH 201: Dramatic Literature II
CL 102: The World of Rome	RN 206: World Scriptures	CFA TH 202: Dramatic Literature III
CL 213: Greek and Roman Mythology	RN 241: Topics in Religion and Evil	CFA DR 202: Modern Drama II
CL 224: Greek Drama in Translation	RN 340: The Quran	CGS HU: any CGS Humanities
CL 226: Ancient Epic in Translation	RN 385: Representations of the Holocaust in Literature and Film	CGS RH: any CGS Rhetoric
CL 262: Homeric Epic	RN 426: Topics in Religion and Literature in East Asia	
CL 305: Themes in Literature and Film	WS 101: Gender and Sexuality I	
CL 310: Classical Tradition in Modern Literature	WS 102: Gender and Sexuality II	
CL 325: Greek Tragedy + Film	WS 213: Sexism in the 20th Century (formerly WS 113)	
CL 350: Greek Short Story	WS 214: Creating Women (formerly WS 114)	
PH 159: Philosophy and Film	WS 305: Critical Issues in Women's Studies	
PH 258: Philosophy and Literature	WS 344: Images of Women in Popular Culture	

* Necessary prerequisites for WR 150 (WR 097, WR 098, WR 099, or WR 100) may fulfill the other three requirements. All literature courses in foreign languages can count toward WR requirement.

Foreign Language (Two Courses)

Any foreign language including sign language. Second semester proficiency is required. Students exempt from language requirement must still satisfy credit requirements.

Liberal Arts Elective (One Course)

Any four-credit CAS or CGS liberal arts course.

Philosophy (One Course)

To be fulfilled by any one course from the following: Any PH course; Also any course listed below.

RN 100: Religion and Culture	RN 211: Chinese Religions	RN 216: Judaism
RN 103: Religions of the World: Eastern	RN 212: Christianity	RN 397: Topics in Philosophy and Religion
RN 104: World Religions	RN 213: Hinduism	SO 225: Law and Society
RN 106: Death and Mortality	RN 214: Islam	CGS HU 201: History of Western Ethics I
RN 210: Buddhism	RN 215: Japanese Religions	CGS HU202: History of Western Ethics II

Math, Natural Science and Computer Science (One Course)

To be fulfilled by any course from the following: Any AS, BI, CH, CS, ES, MA or PY courses; Also any courses listed below.

AN 102: Human Behavioral Biology and Evolution	GE 101: Natural Environment	PS 205: Memory and Brain
AN 210: Medical Anthropology	GE 104: Natural Environments: The Physical Landscape	PS 231: Physiological & Psychology
AN 234: Evolutionary Psychology	GE 110: Changing Planet: Perspectives from Space	PS 338: Neuropsychology
AN 263: Behavioral Biology of Women	GE 150: Sustainable Energy	RN 239: Religion and Science
AN 331: Human Origins	GE 250: Fate of Nations	RN 242: Magic, Science and Religion
AN 332: Primate Behavior Adaptations	GE 309: Intro Environmental Analysis and Politics	CGS NS: Any CGS Natural Science
AN 333: Human Population Biology	HI/GE 394: Environmental History of Africa	SAR HS 201: Intro to Nutrition
AN 334: Human Behavior Evolution	PH 160: Reasoning and Argumentation	SAR HS 251: Human Nutritional Science
AR 102: Introduction to Sciences in Archaeology	PH 251: Medical Ethics	<i>Prereq: one semester of biology</i>
AR 381: Introduction to Paleoethnobotany	PH 265: Minds and Machines	SMG QM 221: Probability & Statistics
AR 382: Zooarchaeology	PH 266: Mind, Brain and Self	SMG QM 222: Modeling Business Decisions and Market Outcomes
CC 105/106/111/212: Core Sciences	PH 270: Philosophy of Science	
EC 171: Personal Lifestyle Economics	PH 271: History of Science	
EC 305: Economic Statistics	PH 272: Science, Technology and Values	
GE 100: Intro to Environmental Science	PH 277: Philosophy & Methods in Human Science	

Statistics (One Course)

To be fulfilled by any one of the following courses:

CS 109/MA 109: The Art and Science of Quantitative Reasoning	MA 213: Basic Statistics and Probability	SMG QM 221: Probabilistic and Statistical Decision Making for Management
MA 113: Elementary Statistics	MA 214: Applied Statistics	SMG QM 222: Model Business Decisions
MA 115: Statistics I	PS 211: Intro to Experimental Design in Psychology	
MA 116: Statistics II	CGS MA113: Elementary Statistics	
	CGS MA 115: Statistics	