Report on learning outcomes

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M.S. in Mass Communication

Learning Outcomes	Objectives
General Subject Knowledge	The student will be able to identify and understand leading communication theories and concepts; and demonstrate the ability to critique and apply theories in a variety of communication contexts.
	The student will be able to identify significant milestones in the history of communications; describe important events and individuals in the history of media and communication in the United States; and analyze the role and impact of media on U.S. society.
	The student will be able to demonstrate proficiency in grammar, spelling and flow; organize content for effective storytelling; and write with accuracy, clarity and style for different audiences, media and across a variety of multimedia platforms.
	The student will develop a specific expertise in communication studies or applied communication

	research.
Field specific knowledge: Communication Studies	The student will master the tools and technologies appropriate for communication professions.
	The student will be able to organize, construct and present arguments in the context of professional presentations.
	The student will be able to understand the legal constraints and ramifications of working within a communication-related field.
Applied Communication Research	The student will be able to understand all the phases involved in the execution of a research project. The student will be able to develop instruments that are suitable for capturing audience and media characteristics. The student will be able to
	perform advanced statistical computations and transform numerical findings into actionable recommendations.