

Austin Peay State University
Department of Communication
Application for Admission to Candidacy and Program of Study Form
For the M. A. in Communication Arts, Corporate Communication Concentration

Student's Name: _____ Student's Number: A- _____

Mailing Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Best Contact Phone Number: (_____) _____ - _____ Email Address: _____

Use of This Application Form for: **Initial Application** **Updating Application**

Fulfillment of Research Component: **Research Paper (COMM 5950-3)** **Thesis (COMM 599 A, B - 3, 3)**

1. Corporate Communication Core, Required Courses (13 credits):

Prefix	Number	Title	Credit	Approved*
COMM	5001	Proseminar in Communication	1	
COMM	5000	Communication Research Methods	3	
COMM	5030	Applied Communication Theory	3	
COMM	5600	Integrated Corporate Communication	3	
COMM	5650	Communication Law	3	

2. Research Component (3 or 6 credits):

COMM	Number	Title	Credit	Approved*
COMM	5950	Research Paper OR	3	
COMM	599A	Thesis Writing AND	3	
COMM	599B	Thesis Writing	3	

3. Corporate Communication Elective Courses (15 or 18 credits dependent upon choice of Research

Component): *Students in the Research Paper option for 3 credits take 18 semester hours of elective classes while students in the Thesis option for 6 credits take only 15 hours of elective courses. Only COMM classes numbered 5000 and above count as graduate credit toward the M. A. in Communication Arts, Corporate Communication.*

Prefixes	Credit	Approved	Prefixes	Credit	Approved
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*Transfer courses from an accredited college or university are limited to 9 semester hours and is determined by the Graduate Coordinator on a course-by-course evaluation of the classes that are comparable and compatible with existing graduate classes offered in the M. A. program in Communication Arts, Corporate Communication area. *Classes must be initialed as approved by the advisor/committee chair for each student.*

4. Application Form Approval by Advisor/Committee Chair:

Advisor Printed Name	Advisor Signature	Signature Date

5. For Thesis Only: List the names of two other graduate or associate graduate faculty members to serve on committee.

Graduate or Associate Graduate Faculty Name	Graduate or Associate Graduate Faculty Name

6. Approval of Graduate Coordinator:

Graduate Coordinator Printed Name	Graduate Coordinator Signature	Signature Date