



Public Relations Major Checklist

**For Students Following the:
2010-2011 catalog**

Name:
Student ID:
Catalog Year:

CORE COURSES (39 Hours)					
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
JOU 110 OR EMB 110	Introduction to Mass Communication				
JOU 220 OR EMB 265	News Writing I Broadcast News Writing	ENG 101			
CMST 220	Interpersonal Communication	CMST 101 or 110			
CMST 303	Organizational Communication	CMST 101 or 110			
CMST 340 OR JOU 370	Strategies of Persuasion Advertising	CMST 101 or 110 EMB 110 or JOU 110			
PRE 375	Principles of Public Relations	EMB 100 or JOU 110 & JOU 220 or EMB 265			
PRE 376	Public Relations Writing	PRE 375 (pre-req or co-req)			
PRE 377	Public Relations Case Studies & Campaigns	PRE 375			
JOU 385/485	Mass Communication Law	JOU 110 or Junior Standing			
PRE 385 OR JOU 492	Publics Relations Research Methods Mass Comm Research Methods	PRE 375 JOU 220			
PRE 394 OR ELECTIVE	Special Topics in Public Relations CMST, EMB, JOU, MIN, or POP 300-400 Level Elective	see catalog			
PRE 400	PR Planning & Account Management	PRE 375			
PRE 410 OR CMST 370 OR JOU 321	Electronic Public Relations Advanced Public Speaking Publication Skills	PRE 376 CMST 101 or 110 EMB 100 or JOU 110			

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APPLIED EXPERIENTIAL COURSES (3 Hours) - Choose One					
	Course	Pre-req	Credits	Term	Grade
PRE 396	Public Relations Internship	PRE 375 & PRE 376			

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PRE 499	Independent Study: Public Relations	Junior Standing or Instructor Consent				
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Date of most recent check / update: _____

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF PRE MAJOR		
	Major GPA	GPA Met?
Grade of C or higher or a 2.5 minimum major GPA required		
Current NKU Secondary Area of Study: _____		

STATUS OF NKU GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS		
	Earned	Still Needed
120 EHRS total minimum credits required for NKU graduation		
45 total upper level (300-400) credit hours needed for NKU graduation		
Current Cumulative NKU GPA: _____		
<p>Please note: NKU requires a 2.00 minimum cumulative GPA to remain graduation eligible. This may be different from your major expectations. Graduation eligibility also requires completion of General Education requirements, completion of 25% of total coursework at NKU, and completion of last 30 credit hours at NKU.</p>		

PROGRAM CERTIFICATION		
	Yes or No	
Has student applied for graduation?		
Anticipated graduation	Semester	Year
This program certification has been reviewed by a COI Advisor _____		
	Name	Date
<p>Note: NKU email is used to communicate all information about graduation status. Any changes to program certification requirements listed above must be approved in writing and submitted to the Registrar by a COI Representative.</p>		