**LOS ANGELES PIERCE COLLEGE**

# Associate in Arts Degree in Communication Studies for Transfer

**Effective: Spring 2016 (Revised Fall 2019)**

This degree is gives students an admission advantage at some CSU campuses. Not all CSU campuses accept this degree as fulfillment of lower-division major requirements. Students should meet with a counselor to determine if this degree is a good option for them. Information on which CSU campuses accept this degree can be found at [http://www.calstate.edu/transfer/adt- search/search.shtml](http://www.calstate.edu/transfer/adt-search/search.shtml)

Students must complete 60 units which are eligible for transfer to the California State University. Students must fulfill the general education requirements and the major and elective courses to total 60 units. Students may choose to follow either the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) ***OR*** the California State University General Education-Breadth Requirements. Students must maintain an overall minimum grade point average of 2.0. Students must earn a “C” or better in all courses required for the major.

**Major Requirements**

**Courses taken outside of LA Pierce College must be evaluated by a counselor to ensure they meet AD-T requirements.**

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| **MAJOR REQUEIREMENTS** | **UNITS\*** | **COMPLETED** | **IN PROGESS** | **NEED** |
| COMM 101: Public Speaking | 3 |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| **List A - Select two courses from the following:** | 6 |  |  |  |
| COMM 104: Argumentation and Debate  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 121: Interpersonal Communication  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 151: Small Group Communication |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| **List B – Complete two courses:** | 6 |  |  |  |
| Any List A course not already used  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 100: Introduction to Communication Studies  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 122: Intercultural Communication  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 130: Introduction to Oral Interpretation of Literature  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| **List C - Select one course from the following:** | 3 |  |  |  |
| Any List A or B course not already used  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| ANTHRO 102: Human Ways of Life: Cultural Anthropology  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| COMM 190 Communication and New Media  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| ENGLISH 103: Composition and Critical Thinking |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| PSYCH 1: General Psychology  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| SOC 1: Introduction to Sociology  |  |[ ] [ ] [ ]
| **Total units required for the major** | **18** |  |  |  |

**General Education Requirements**

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| **REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION PLAN** | **Units** |
| One of the following plans must be completed for this degree. |
| **CSU GE Breadth Certification Plan** | 39 |
| **IGETC:** grade of “C” or better required in each course.  | 34\* - 37 |

\*IGETC 1C is required for all CSU applicants. Students applying to a UC or Private School may earn this ADT without IGETC 1C but will be ineligible to apply to a CSU.

**Note for Counselors – TMC Minimum Units**

None for this degree. All units are the same as the TMC.

**\*Quarter Unit Value**

The following guidelines should be followed to apply quarter units to ADTs as specified in the TMC per the LACCD District Academic Senate ADT Reciprocity Guidelines:

1 quarter unit minimum = 1semester unit

2 quarter units minimum = 2 semester units

4 quarter unit minimum = 3, 4 or 5 semester units