### Bachelor of Science

#### Interdisciplinary Studies with a Major in Professional Writing (BS)

**Degree Program Guide**

The Degree Program Guide is a suggested curriculum to complete this degree program in four years. It is just one of several plans that will work and is presented only as broad guidance to students. Each student is strongly encouraged to develop a customized plan in consultation with their academic advisor. Additional information can also be found in Degree Works.

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|          | Introduction to Rhetorical Studies                                     | 3            |
|          | Advanced Composition                                                  | 3            |
|          | ENGL 307T/IDS 307T (meets Impact of Technology)                         | 3            |
|          | Organizational Foundations course                                      | 3            |
|          | **Total Credit Hours**                                                | **15**       |
| Fall     | ENGL 334W Technical Writing                                            | 3            |
|          | Organizational Foundations course                                      | 3            |
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|          | Professional Writing course                                           | 3            |
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|          | **Total Credit Hours**                                                | **15**       |
| Spring   | IDS 493 IDS Electronic Portfolio Project                              | 3            |
|          | Electives                                                             | 10           |
|          | **Total Credit Hours**                                                | **15**       |
| Senior   | Professional Writing course                                           | 3            |
| Fall     | Electives                                                             | 10           |
|          | **Total Credit Hours**                                                | **15**       |
|          | **Total Credit Hours**                                                | **120**      |