

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL AND EXTENSION EDUCATION  
AGRICULTURAL COMMUNICATIONS OPTION DEGREE PLAN

(2008-2009 Catalog)

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ID: \_\_\_\_\_

- At least 128 hours needed for the degree
- At least 48 hours must be upper division (300 level or above)
- At least 36 hours must be in Technical Agriculture
- At least 18 hours for a Journalism and Mass Communication Minor

NEW MEXICO HED GENERAL EDUCATION COMMON CORE (35-36 CREDITS)

<u>Area I: Communications (9-10 credits)</u>	<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>	<u>Sem.</u>
ENGL 111 (must earn a "C" or better)	_____	_____	_____
ENGL 203, 211, 218, 311, or 318 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
*AXED 201	3	_____	_____
Other Oral Communication Course: _____	3	_____	_____

<u>Area II: Mathematics/Algebra (3 credits)</u>			
*MATH 210, 121, or 142 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
Other: _____	3	_____	_____

<u>Area III: Laboratory Science (8 credits)</u>			
*BIOL 111/111L	4	_____	_____
*CHEM 110 or 111 (c. one)	4	_____	_____
*GEOG 111 or GEOL 111 (c. one)	4	_____	_____
Other: _____	4	_____	_____
Other: _____	4	_____	_____

<u>Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences (6-9 credits: If 6 credits, then needs 9 credits in Area V)</u>			
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____

<u>Area V: Humanities and Fine Arts (6-9 credits: If 6 credits, then needs 9 credits in Area IV)</u>			
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____

\*Recommended Courses

VIEWING A WIDER WORLD

(6 credits: At least one course from a non-CAHE college)

	<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>	<u>Sem.</u>
*ECON 337 or 384 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
*GEOG 315 or SOC 361 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
*EPWS 325	3	_____	_____
Other: _____	3	_____	_____
Other: _____	3	_____	_____

CCDM 114

(If the student has to take CCDM 114 for the Basic Skills Math requirement. Doesn't count towards graduation.)

CCDM 114 (must earn a "C" or better)	4	_____	_____
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DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

Professional Education (25-27 credits)

AXED 100 or approved AXED substitute for transfer students: _____	3	_____	_____
AXED 201	NA or 3	_____	_____
AXED 360, 415, or 430 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
~AXED 444	3	_____	_____
~AXED 490 or 446 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
~AXED 449	10-12	_____	_____
AXED 111 (required for freshman)	1	_____	_____

Journalism and Mass Communication Minor (at least 18 credits)

JOUR 105	3	_____	_____
JOUR 110 (Pass Grammar, Spelling, and Punctuation Test)	3	_____	_____
JOUR 210	3	_____	_____
JOUR _____ (Up. Div.)	3	_____	_____
JOUR _____ (Up. Div.)	3	_____	_____
JOUR _____ (Up. Div.)	3	_____	_____

\*Recommended courses

~Need a 2.50 or above GPA to enroll

DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS (cont.)

Technical Agriculture and Natural Resource Sciences (at least 36 credits)

Agricultural Economics (at least 9 credits)

	<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>	<u>Sem.</u>
AGE 100	3	_____	_____
ECON 337 or 384 (c. one)	NA or 3	_____	_____
GEOG 315 or SOC 361 (c. one)	NA or 3	_____	_____
AGE _____	3	_____	_____
AGE _____	3	_____	_____
AGE _____	3	_____	_____
AGE _____	3	_____	_____

Agricultural Mechanics and Technology (at least 6 credits)

(Courses in agricultural mechanics, computer graphics, and/or other areas of technology.)

AXED 348	3	_____	_____
AXED 485 (if not counted elsewhere)	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Plant, Pest, and Soil Sciences (at least 12 credits)

HORT 100 or 250 (c. one)	3 or 4	_____	_____
EPWS 100, 325, or 303 (c. one)	NA, 3 or 4	_____	_____
AXED 485 (if not counted elsewhere)	3	_____	_____
Other: _____	_____	_____	_____
Other: _____	_____	_____	_____

DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS (cont.)

Technical Agriculture and Natural Resource Sciences (cont.)

+Choose at least 9 credits from one of the following three areas:

+ Animal Science (ANSC or WLSC Courses)

	<u>Hrs.</u>	<u>Gr.</u>	<u>Sem.</u>
*ANSC 100 or 200 (c. one)	3	_____	_____
AXED 485 (if not counted elsewhere)	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

+ Horticultural Science

*HORT 250	NA or 3	_____	_____
*HORT 365	4	_____	_____
HORT _____	_____	_____	_____
HORT _____	_____	_____	_____
HORT _____	_____	_____	_____
HORT _____	_____	_____	_____

+ Natural Resources

* WLSC 110	3	_____	_____
Other selected courses in AGE, AGRO, ANSC, HORT, SOIL, RGSC or WLSC:			
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

SELECTED ELECTIVES (up to 8 credits)

\*Courses can be selected to complete a second minor.

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

\*Recommended Courses