

INFORMATION SCIENCE, BA

FOUR-YEAR PLAN

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This Four-Year Plan is only one way a student may complete an L&S degree with this major. Many factors can affect student degree planning, including placement scores, credit for transferred courses, credits earned by examination, and individual scholarly interests. In addition, many students have commitments (e.g., athletics, honors, research, student organizations, study abroad, work and volunteer experiences) that necessitate they adjust their plans accordingly. Informed students engage in their own unique Wisconsin Experience by consulting their academic advisors, Guide, DARS, and Course Search & Enroll for assistance making and adjusting their plan.

Freshman

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
Communications A	3 L I S 201, 350, or 461 (Meets Communications B Requirement)	3
L I S/COMP SCI 102	3 Literature Breadth	3
Foreign Language (if needed)	3 Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth	5
Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth	5 Electives	3
	14	14

Sophomore

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
L I S 440 (meets Quantitative Reasoning B)	3 L I S 202 (Meets Ethnic Studies Requirement)	3
Biological Science Breadth	3 INTER-LS 210 (Meets Career/Community/ Internship Requirement)	1
Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth	3 Literature Breadth	3
Elective	6 Biological Sciences Breadth (if needed)	3
	Intermediate/Advanced COMPSCI, MATH or STAT (if BS) or Elective (if BA)	3
	Electives	2
	15	15

Junior

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
Communicating Digitally course	3 Ethics, Computing & Society course	3

Human Computer Interaction course	3 Career/Community/ Internship course (if needed) or other Intermediate or Advanced Electives	3
Physical Sciences Breadth	3 Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth if needed	3
Intermediate/Advanced COMPSCI, MATH or STAT (if BS) or Intermediate or Advanced elective (if BA)	3 Sciences Breadth if needed	3
Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth	3 Elective	3
	15	15

Senior

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
Information and Data Science course	3 Computational Techniques and Tools course	3
Complete Core Information Science coursework or other Intermediate or Advanced Electives	10 Complete Information Science Coursework Requirement or other Intermediate or Advanced Electives	10
Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth (if needed)	3 Humanities or Social Sciences Breadth (if needed)	3
	16	16

Total Credits 120