

COMMUNICATION DISORDERS, MASTER OF SCIENCE (MS)

Graduate Program

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Required Core

CMSD 520S	RESEARCH METHODS	3
CMSD 538S	PHONOLOGICAL ACQUISITION AND BEHAVIOR	3
CMSD 542S	INFANT AND TODDLER COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE	3
CMSD 543S	SCHOOL-AGE AND ADOLESCENT LANGUAGE	3
CMSD 547S	AUGMENTATIVE COMMUNICATION	3
CMSD 552S	NEUROPATHOLOGIES OF LANGUAGE	3
CMSD 554S	MOTOR SPEECH DISORDERS	3
CMSD 555S	BILINGUAL AND CULTURAL ISSUES	2
CMSD 559S	DYSPHAGIA	3
CMSD 568S	ADVANCED ASSESSMENT: PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES	2

Electives 6

To be determined in consultation with the graduate advisor. All 500-level courses must serve as electives. A minimum of 6 credits must be from courses within the department.

Practicum 14

CMSD 561S	CLINICAL PRACTICUM
CMSD 562S	ADVANCED CLINICAL PRACTICUM
CMSD 697S	CLINICAL FIELD EXPERIENCE

Typically, students will be expected to enroll for at least 2 credits of practicum per semester.

Students are required to complete at least one internship; those wishing to take additional internships may exercise the variable credit option.

Choose one of the following options 6

Non-Thesis Option

CMSD 620S	RESEARCH IN COMMUNICATION DISORDERS I
CMSD 621S	RESEARCH IN COMMUNICATION DISORDERS II
CMSD 622S	RESEARCH IN COMMUNICATION DISORDERS III

Thesis Option

CMSD 600S	THESIS (variable credit course-minimum 6 credits)
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Total Credits 54

Student Learning Outcomes—students will

- demonstrate application of research in the discipline of communication disorders;
- use the products of technology in both scholarship and clinical applications;
- write and speak clearly and effectively;
- critically evaluate and utilize new information in the discipline of communication disorders;

- demonstrate through discussion and application in class and clinic the principles, processes and procedures for the prevention, identification, evaluation, intervention and management of communication disorders;
- demonstrate knowledge through adherence to the Code of Ethics of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association in academic and clinical work.