ALSO REQUIRED – separate form: Application to Declare Communication Honours Option B- Course Based Honours: Form available near the General Office or online at www.cmns.sfu.ca/undergraduate/forms/

DUE: 15 March, 15 July OR 15 November to CMNS Undergrad Advisor. See also Honours Brochure.

CHECKLIST FOR COMMUNICATION HONOURS
OPTION B - COURSE BASED HONOURS
(effective FALL 2011)

Name: ___________________  Student No: ______________  SFU Email: ___________________
Sem. Approved: ______________  Date: _______________  Advisor: ___________________

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO THE HONOURS PROGRAM:

____ Minimum GPA of 3.00 in CMNS and at SFU, overall and upper division
   (Graduation CGPAs & UDGPAs 3.50 or higher = Honours First Class.)
____ Completion of CMNS 110-3, 130-3; 2 of 260-3, 261-3 and 262-3; and at least 4 other CMNS
   200-level courses; all with grades of C- or better, including 1 of CMNS 210 or 253; 1 of 230 or
   240; and 1 of 220, 221, 223 or 235.
____ CMNS upper level Research Methods course: either CMNS 362 or CMNS 363.
____ Completion of at least 75 credit hours of course work with minimum CGPA of 3.00.
____ Application to Declare Communication Honours Option B- Course Based Honours:
   Application form available near the General Office or online at
   www.cmns.sfu.ca/undergraduate/forms/

OTHER COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION:

____ 11 upper level CMNS courses, including either CMNS 362 or 363, and at least 46 credit hours
   total.  (No Directed Study or Field Placement courses count here.)
____ At least 6 of the above must be 400 level regularly scheduled CMNS courses (minimum 24
   credit hours total.
____ SFU’s WQB requirements if you began studies at SFU in Fall 2006 onwards.  (See over)

SFU REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION WITH HONOURS:

____ Minimum 60 upper level credit hours overall.
   Note: At least 2/3 of your total upper level credits (both in CMNS and overall) must have been taken at
   SFU.
____ Minimum 132 credit hours overall.
   Note: At least half of your total credits must have been taken at SFU.
____ Minimum CGPA, UDGPA overall, CMNS UDGPA, and CMNS CGPA of 3.00 or better
____ SFU’s WQB requirements if you began studies at SFU in Fall 2006 onwards. Visit the website:
   www.sfu.ca/ugcr/For_Students/WQB_Requirements/
For further information, and a list of WQB courses, visit:

http://www.sfu.ca/ugcr/for_students/wqb_requirements.html

On May 10, 2004, Senate approved the final recommendations of the Undergraduate Curriculum Implementation Task Force. The following University-wide graduation requirements came into effect for students admitted to Simon Fraser University in the Fall of 2006, onwards:

- FAN (Foundations of Numeracy)
- FAL (Foundations of Literacy)

* 2 courses (minimum total of 6 credits) of Writing (W), including at least one course from the upper division, within the student's discipline;

** 1-2 Courses (minimum total 6 credits) of Quantitative (Q);

24 credits of Breadth (B), including:

(a) 6 courses (minimum total of 18 credits) of Designated Breadth (DB):

   2 courses (minimum total of 6 credits) of Social Sciences (B-Soc),
   2 courses (minimum total of 6 credits) of Humanities (B-Hum), and
   2 courses (minimum total of 6 credits) of Sciences (B-Sci), and

(b) 2 courses (minimum total of 6 credits) of Undesignated Breadth (UB) (courses taken outside the student's major program).

For a list of “Q” and B-Science courses for “arts” students visit:

http://www.sfu.ca/ugcr/for_students/Q_and_Breadth_Science.html

A grade of C- or better is required to earn W, Q or B credit.

* Examples of W courses in CMNS are: CMNS 223-3, 253-3, 304-4, and 323-4.

** Examples of Q courses in CMNS are: CMNS 260-3 and 363-6.

A course that is required for a CMNS Major or other CMNS program (listed on the reverse side) that is also a W, Q, or B course, may be counted for both requirements. E.g., CMNS 304-4 is a W course, and would also be counted as one of the CMNS Upper Division courses required for a Major, Extended Minor, etc.

Note that courses that are both W and Q count for both requirements; or both Q and B count for both requirements; or both W and B count for both requirements; or W, Q, and B count for all 3 requirements. However, if a course is more than one type of “B”, you must choose which to use it for (e.g., B-HUM, B-SOC OR B-SCI).