MAJOR MAP | B.A. in Speech

TAKING THE RIGHT CLASSES

- Review core and other requirements in undergraduate catalog: www.gsu.edu/admissions/catalog.html

GET GOOD ADVICE

- Visit the university’s Student Advisement Center: www.gsu.edu/advisement.html

- Meet with the advisor for your major in the A&S Office of Academic Assistance: www.cas.gsu.edu/gsu_as/ssa.html

APPLY WHAT YOU LEARN

- Look into the benefits of also being a member of the Honors College: www.gsu.edu/honors

CONNECT WITH PEERS

- Explore ways to get involved in the community through the Office of Civic Engagement: www.gsu.edu/service

- Explore Study-Abroad Options

THINK GLOBALLY

- Explore intercultural communication on campus, attend intercultural events

PREPARE FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION

- Discuss careers and graduate or professional study with the department advisor and career services

- Make use of AS/AI: www.asa.org/student-academics

- Take advantage of a Study Abroad course during Maymester or summer term: www.studyabroad.gsu.edu

- Visit University Career Services: www.gsu.edu/career

- Meet with the Undergraduate Studies Advisor:

- Volunteer for a hospital, nonprofit agency or school specializing in communication disorders

- Create a study group and participate in tutorial sessions

- Explore Georgia State NSLC/HA Chapter

- Attend/ Volunteer for Georgia State debate tournament

- Attend CRADL Lecture: www2.gsu.edu/~cradl/gradnews.html

- Consider joining the Georgia State debate team

- Attend the National Debate Project, the Center for International Medical Educators, and/or the India AI/MTI Project

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- If considering graduate or professional study, take the appropriate examination

- Critically Thinking Through Writing (CTWa) courses required of students entering Fall 19 and after

- Complete your major requirements and any minor or additional courses. Also, you need 39 hours overall at the 3000/4000 level to graduate from Georgia State.

- Take senior CTW course, SPCH 4803 Communication and Diversity

- Meet again with both OAA and department advisors to confirm you are on course to graduate

- Look into internship opportunities that are related to your particular field

- Consider participating in advocacy for particular groups

- Take advanced seminars to develop your specific interests

GRADUATION & BEYOND

COMMUNICATION DISORDERS:
- Speech, Language, Cognition—Communication Disorders in Children and/or Adults

EMPLOYERS:
- Hospitals, Research Laboratories, Rehabilitation Clinics, Pediatric Facilities, Nursing Homes, Public Schools, Colleges and Universities

PUBLIC AND POLITICAL COMMUNICATION:
- Corporate Communications, Speech-Writing, Notes, Education Public Affairs, Communications Consultant

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