Two-Year Degree Plan
[BA Professional and Technical Communication](#)
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Assumptions:
1) Students are bringing in 60 hours, and the majority of the CORE Curriculum is filled, including the CLASS foreign language requirement.
2) All 60 hours are lower division.

Year One at UNT			
Fall Year One		**Spring Year One**	
TECM 2700: Technical Writing	Major req	TECM 4180: Advanced Technical Communication	Major req
TECM 2800: The Profession of Technical Communication	Major req	TECM 3550: Content Strategy	Major req
CORE #1 (33 CORE hours)	CORE req	CORE #3 (39 CORE hours)	CORE req
CORE #2 (36 CORE hours)	CORE req	CORE #4 (42 CORE hours)	CORE req
Science Course	CLASS req	Lower/Upper Division Elective	

Total Hours: 75
Total In-Residence: 15
Total Upper Division: 0

Total Hours: 90
Total In-Residence: 30
Total Upper Division: 6

Year Two at UNT			
Fall Year Two		**Spring Year Two**	
TECM 4300: Usability and UX for Technical Communication	Major req	TECM 4500: Content Analysis for Technical Communication	Major req
TECM 3100: Visual Technical Communication	Major req	TECM 3200: Information Design and Electronic Media	Major req
TECM 4190: Technical Editing	Major req	TECM 4100: Grants and Proposals	Major req
TECM 3XXX or 4XXX	Major elec	TECM 3XXX or 4XXX	Major elec
Lower/Upper Division Elective		Lower/Upper Division Elective	

Total Hours: 105
Total In-Residence: 45
Total Upper Division: 18

Total Hours: 120
Total In-Residence: 60
Total Upper Division: 30

KEY: Major req = a specified course required for the BS with a major in tech comm
Major elec = an elective course required for the BS with a major in tech comm
CORE req = a course required by the UNT for any undergraduate
CLASS req = a course required by the College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences for any undergraduate

Our BA/BS programs prepare students for positions as technical writers/editors, content developers, or UX professionals, most commonly working on teams to create user guides, web content & proposals in companies within the information technology, consulting & healthcare industries. Students earning the BS will be especially well-qualified for technology-heavy positions (e.g., front-end web developer, business analyst, etc.) in information technology and software companies

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We offer various leadership opportunities through TA & Lab Tutor positions as well as involvement in our student org, Eagle Technical Communicators.

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Our courses cover the principles of technical communication; technical writing, editing & content strategy; document/web design; communication/information technologies & web development that all equip you with cutting-edge knowledge & skills that are immediately applicable to industry.

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