



**PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOR
Master of Arts in Professional Communication (MAPC): PROFCOM-MA 23 Months Blended
Y2021P-CA1B**

May 3, 2021 to March 26, 2023

Thesis, Research Paper, and Course-Based Options

Program schedules, including start and end dates, are subject to change

Non-credit Required Activities								
Activity	Description		Grade Scale	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	
ITAI	Introduction to Academic Integrity		C/I	05/03/2021	05/09/2021	Online	1	Required
Course	Credit	Course Title	Grade Scale	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Required or Elective
Residency One								
PCOM510	3	Introduction to Communication Theory	4.33	05/10/2021	06/06/2021	Online	4	Required
				06/14/2021	06/25/2021	Online Residency	2	
				07/04/2021	08/01/2021	Online	4	
PCOM515	3	Research Process and Methods in Communication	4.33	05/10/2021	06/06/2021	Online	4	Required
				06/14/2021	06/25/2021	Online Residency	2	
				07/04/2021	08/01/2021	Online	4	
PCOM550	3	Communication and Culture in Organizations	4.33	05/10/2021	06/06/2021	Online	4	Required
				06/14/2021	06/25/2021	Online Residency	2	
				07/04/2021	08/01/2021	Online	4	
Distance One - All Students								
PCOM540	3	Communication, Culture, Media and Technology	4.33	08/02/2021	10/10/2021	Online	10	Required
PCOM640	3	Communication Policy, Politics and Law	4.33	10/18/2021	12/19/2021	Online	9	Required
Distance Two - Thesis Students								
PCOM630	3	Applied Communications Research and Research Proposal (Pre-requisite PCOM515)	4.33	01/03/2022	03/13/2022	Online	10	Required
Distance Two - Research Paper and Course-Based Students								
PCOM650	3	Special Topics in Communication	4.33	01/03/2022	03/06/2022	Online	9	Required
PCOM630	3	Applied Communications Research and Research Proposal (Pre-requisite PCOM515)	4.33	03/14/2022	05/15/2022	Online	9	Required
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Course	Credit	Course Title	Grade Scale	Start Date (dd/mm/yyyy)	End Date (dd/mm/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Required or Elective
Residency Two - All Students								
PCOM633	3	Strategic Communication	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Required
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
ELECTIVES: Students are polled for elective preferences and will be registered based on these results. Electives require a minimum of 10 enrolled students. Thesis students take 1 elective. Research Paper and Course-Based students take 2 electives.								
PCOM530	3	Strategic Digital Communication	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
PCOM631	3	Media Production	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
PCOM632	3	Conflict Analysis and Management	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
PCOM635	3	Communication for Development and Social Change	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
PCOM639*	3	Communication for Sustainability*	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
PCOM655	3	Organizational Cultural Development	4.33	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Elective
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
Residency Two - Thesis Students								
PCOM661	12	Thesis (Pre-requisites PCOM515 & PCOM630)	CR	05/23/2022	06/12/2022	Online	3	Required
				06/13/2022	06/24/2022	On-Campus	2	
				07/04/2022	07/31/2022	Online	4	
Distance Three - Thesis Students								
PCOM661	-	Thesis - continued (Pre-requisites PCOM515 & PCOM630)	CR	08/01/2022	03/26/2023	Online	34	Required
Distance Three - Research Paper Students								
PCOM660	6	Research Paper (Pre-requisites PCOM515 & PCOM630)	CR	08/15/2022	03/26/2023	Online	32	Required
Distance Three - Course-Based Students								
Students will take 2 relevant graduate-level courses offered at RRU. Students wishing to take this option require consultation with the MAPC Program Head and appropriate Program Offices to approve their course selections.								

*Pending approval

Total Number of Program Credits = 36; updated November 24, 2020

Definition Key:

Delivery Mode (way in which the course is delivered to the student):

On-Campus, also known as Face to Face, indicates that course is taught on site at Royal Roads University.

Online, also known as Distance Learning (**DL**), indicates that the course is taken over the Internet.

Pre-Res-DL indicates portion of course that takes place online prior to the Residency.

Post-Res-DL indicates portion of course that takes place online after the Residency.

Residency vs Distance Row Headers:

Residency indicates courses or a period of time during which students are on site receiving instruction in person at Royal Roads University or at a partner institution. When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth residency period.

Distance indicates courses or a period of time during which students take their courses online (aka Distance Learning). When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth Distance Learning period.