



EDINBORO UNIVERSITY

M.A. Communication Studies - Online

The Master of Arts in Communication Studies (MACS) program enables students to develop expertise in managerial and leadership communication, and conflict management. Graduates of the program work in businesses and corporations, non-profit and social service organizations, governmental and educational institutions, political and international agencies. Some graduates continue their education in doctoral programs at research institutions nationally and internationally.

Curriculum (36 credit hours)

Option A: 33 credit hours of coursework

COMM 798 Practicum (3 credit hours)

Option B: 33 credit hours of coursework

COMM 799 Thesis (3 credit hours)

Option C: 36 credit hours of coursework

Comprehensive Exams and Project/Portfolio

Core Courses (9 credit hours)	Conflict Management Courses (12 credit hours)	Managerial & Leadership Courses (12 credit hours)
COMM 600 Comm. Theory	COMM 665 Managing Conflict	COMM 645 Technology of Comm.
COMM 610 Comm. Research	COMM 675 Intercultural Conflict & Comm	COMM 630 Interpersonal Comm.
COMM 710 Comm. Ethics	COMM 685 Crisis Management Comm.	COMM 660 Organizational Comm.
	COMM 725 Negotiating Intractable Conflict	COMM 740 Comm. Consulting
		COMM 760 Managerial Leadership Comm.

Admission Requirements: All admission materials should be sent to: School of Graduate Studies, Biggers House, 148 Meadville Street, Edinboro, PA 16444 or via email gradstudies@edinboro.edu or via fax 814-732-2611.

1. Online Application submitted to the School of Graduate Studies and Research (online.edinboro.edu)
2. \$30.00 application fee (\$7 if former EUP student)
3. Submit an official transcript reflecting baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution.
4. Scores from the Miller Analogies Test (MAT), or the general aptitude portion of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT)
5. Waiver of MAT/GRE/GMAT requirement for applicants with two or more years professional experience; these applicants must submit an 8-10 page writing sample showing research, analytical and writing ability
6. Two letters of recommendation.
7. Statement of purpose (1-2 pages) for pursuing a Master's Degree in Communication & Media Studies
8. If you are interested in transferring credits from another degree you will need to fill out the [Transfer Credit Form](#) and submit it to the address listed above.

For More Information: If you have questions about the application process, please contact Edinboro University's School of Graduate Studies at (814)732-2856 or toll-free (888) 845-2890. For questions concerning the MACS Program or the Certificate in Conflict Management, contact Dr. Andrew Smith at (814)732-2165(arsmith@edinboro.edu) or Ms. Jessica Albert, Graduate Admissions Counselor at (814) 732-1353 (jalbert@edinboro.edu)