The bachelor’s degree, emphasizing general educational preparation, represents a first step in preparing students for careers as information professionals. By combining a major in information science with an area of special interest in the context of new information technologies, students may be qualified for a variety of positions in information centers, bibliographic utilities and networks, information industry companies, and specialized publishing, abstracting and indexing services.

Students intent upon careers as information professionals should be prepared to undertake an additional year of study to earn the master’s degree. It is the master’s degree that is recognized as the basic professional degree and that is normally required for professional positions and continuing advancement in the field. The master’s degree may be completed on a part-time basis, during which students may be employed in paraprofessional or other positions.

Courses Recommended for Transfer
The UNT Core requirements, with the exception of U.S. History and Political Science, and the College & Major requirements are shown with Texas Common Course Numbering System values only when UNT offers equivalent courses. There may be other courses in transfer that apply toward the specific degree requirement, but those listed are known to apply.

UNT Core: English Composition & Rhetoric

ENGL 1301; and ENGL 1302 or 2311
A grade of ‘C’ or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

UNT Core: Humanities

One course chosen from: ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, or 2333; PHIL 1304 or 2316

UNT Core: Mathematics

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Information Bachelor of Science mathematics requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: Natural Science

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Information Bachelor of Science laboratory science requirement (see page two).

UNT Core: U.S. History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

UNT Core: Political Science

As of Fall 2013, only the following courses are offered at the two-year level:

- GOVT 2305 and 2306

Other acceptable combinations are:

- GOVT 2301 and 2302
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UNT Core: Visual & Performing Arts

One course chosen from: ARTS 1301, 1303, or 1304; DRAM 1310; MUSI 1306 or 1307; SPCH 2341

UNT Core: U.S. History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

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**College of Information Bachelor of Science Core: Laboratory Sciences**

The College of Information requires Bachelor of Science students to complete at least 9 hours (3 courses) in laboratory science (6 hours/2 courses also satisfy the university core Natural Science requirement.) At least one course must be taken from the list of Natural and Life Sciences, at least one course must be taken from the list of Physical Sciences, and the third course can be taken from either the list of Natural and Life or Physical Science courses below:

**Natural and Life Sciences**
- ANTH 2401 or 2101/2301
- BIOL 1406 or 1106/1306
- BIOL 1407 or 1107/1307
- BIOL 1411 or 1111/1311
- BIOL 1413 or 1113/1313
- BIOL 2401 or 2101/2301
- BIOL 2402 or 2102/2302
- BIOL 2406 or 2106/2306
- GEOL 1401 or 1101/1301
- GEOL 1403 or 1103/1303

**Physical Sciences**
- ASTR 1403 or 1103/1303
- ASTR 1404 or 1104/1304
- CHEM 1411 or 1111/1311
- CHEM 1412 or 1112/1312
- PHYS 1401 or 1101/1301
- PHYS 1402 or 1102/1302
- PHYS 1403 or 1103/1303
- PHYS 1404 or 1104/1304
- PHYS 1410 or 1110/1310
- PHYS 1415 or 1115/1315
- PHYS 2425 or 2125/2325
- PHYS 2426 or 2126/2326

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**College of Information Bachelor of Science Core: Foreign Language**

Any foreign language 2311 and 2312. Courses must be taken in the same language.

**NOTE:** Prerequisites for foreign language 2311 and 2312 courses are 1311 and 1312 or 1411 and 1412 or 1511 and 1512. Placement exams may be available; see your community college academic advisor for details.

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**Information Science: Other Course Requirements**

To enroll for more than 6 hours of courses in the Department of Library and Information Sciences, students must:

- Have at least sophomore standing (at least junior standing is required to enroll for more than 12 hours in the department)
- Have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5

*There are no TCCNS options for Library and Information Science (SLIS courses).*

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**Information Science: Minor (Required)**

Minor of at least 18 hours, including at least 6 advanced hours, in an approved field outside the department.

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This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current Undergraduate Catalog for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT’s course offerings.

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