HEARING & SPEECH
College of Behavioral and Social Sciences

BSOS Expectations of Students
As a University of Maryland student, you are an informed and active participant in your education. Therefore, the College of Behavioral and Social Sciences expects that you:

- Know your benchmark/gateway and degree requirements
- Develop a graduation plan which leads to a timely graduation
- Complete an academic audit during your junior year
- Take appropriate actions to remove registration blocks and register on time
- Adhere to University and College policies and deadlines
- Be responsible for your academic actions and decisions

Student Expectations of BSOS
Academic advisors are committed to assist you in meeting your educational goals. Therefore, the College is committed to the following:

- Introducing you to major and University requirements upon your entrance to a BSOS major
- Providing assistance during academic difficulty
- Referring you to helpful campus resources when needed
- Providing advising opportunities throughout your academic career

Advising Resources

BSOS Advising
General questions, registration, exceptions to University policy, academic probation, limited enrollment questions, graduation concerns

2148 Tydings Hall
(301) 405-1697
bsosadvising@umd.edu

Department Advising
Major requirements and courses, registration, internships, career questions, department permission for courses

**All HESP students have mandatory advising every semester**
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(301) 405-4219
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HESP Major Benchmarks

Benchmark Requirements: In accordance with University policy, the Department of Hearing and Speech has established benchmark requirements. Students are expected to demonstrate continuing progress in their majors by completing prerequisite or required courses with the appropriate grades within an established timeframe. Students who do not complete benchmark requirements will need to choose a new major and will not be permitted to return to the Hearing and Speech major at a later time.

Benchmark 1: HESP majors must complete the following courses within two semesters of entering the major:
- Academic Writing with D– or higher
- Additional Gen Ed course 1 with D– or higher
- MATH 111, 115, 220, 140 or STAT 100 with C– or higher
- HESP 120 with C– or higher
- HESP 202 with C– or higher
- PSYC 100 with C– or higher

Benchmark 2: HESP majors must complete the following courses within two semesters of meeting Benchmark 1:
- 300 level HESP course with C– or higher
- PHYS102/103 with C– or higher
- Natural Science Course (Human Biology) with C– or higher

(To pursue future ASHA professional certification students must take one course in Human Biology. BSCI103, 105, or 106 are recommended to fulfill this requirement. Please consult with advisor for Departmental recommendations.)

Effective Spring 2013, changes occurred to the HESP Major and Benchmark math and science requirements. If questions, please contact a HESP advisor.
### General Education Requirements (Fall 2012 and later)

#### Fundamental Studies

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<td>AW: Academic Writing</td>
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<td>PW: Professional Writing</td>
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<td>OC: Oral Communication</td>
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<td>MA: Fundamental Studies Math</td>
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<td>AR: Analytic Reasoning</td>
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#### Distributive Studies

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<td>NL: Natural Sciences Lab</td>
<td>PHYS 102/103</td>
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<td>NS: Natural Sciences</td>
<td>BSCI103,105, or 106 Recommended</td>
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<td>HS: History and/or Social Sciences</td>
<td>PSYC100</td>
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<td>HU: Humanities</td>
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<td>SP: Scholarship in Practice (overlap permitted with major requirement)</td>
<td>HESP120</td>
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#### I-Series (overlap permitted with Distributive Studies/Diversity)

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#### Diversity (overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-Series)

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<td>UP: Understanding Plural Societies</td>
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<td>CC: Cultural Competency OR UP: Understanding Plural Societies</td>
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#### TOTAL General Education Credits

General Education requirements must total at least 40 credits

### HESP Major Requirements

#### Requirements [Courses in brackets are prerequisite courses]

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#### Benchmark 1 Requirements

- Academic Writing (D– or higher)
- Additional Gen Ed course 1 (D– or higher)
- MATH 111, 115, 220 [113], 140 [115] or STAT 100 * (C– or higher)
- PSYC 100 (C– or higher)
- HESP 120 (C– or higher)
- HESP 202 (C– or higher)

#### Benchmark 2 Requirements

- HESP 300 level course (C– or higher)
- PHYS 102/103 (overlap with Gen Ed NS/NL) (C– or higher)

Natural Science: Human Biology (may overlap with Gen Ed NS/NL) (C– or higher)

To pursue future ASHA professional certification students must take one course in Human Biology. BSCI103, 105, or 106 are recommended to fulfill this requirement. Please consult with advisor for Departmental recommendations.

#### Additional HESP Requirements [Grade of C– or higher]

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- HESP 300 [202]
- HESP 305 [202]
- HESP 311 [202]
- HESP 400 [300]
- HESP 403 [305]
- HESP 407 [311]
- HESP 411 [311]

#### Disorder Courses: One course from this group should be taken by end of Junior year.

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- HESP 402 [400] or HESP 404 [305] or HESP 406 [300 & 305] or HESP 410 [305]

#### HESP Electives (* requires departmental permission):

- HESP 386*, HESP 388*, HESP 389*, HESP 402, HESP 404, HESP 406, HESP 410, HESP 417*, HESP 418*, HESP 420, HESP 422, HESP 469*, HESP 498*, HESP 499*

#### HESP Statistics Requirement [Grade of C– or higher]

**Choose one from the following courses**

- EDMS 451 [Sophomore Standing]
- BIOM 301 [MATH 113 or 115]
- PSYC 200 [PSYC 100 & MATH 111, 220, 140 or STAT 100]

#### HESP Supporting Courses [Grade of C– or higher]

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- Area 1 Requirement
- Area 2 Requirement

*Will be fulfilled by completing benchmark math

** Could be completed by benchmark math
## HEARING & SPEECH SCIENCES—FOUR YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

### Year 1

**Fall**
- Course: ENGL 101 (AW: Academic Writing) 3
- Course: Gen Ed course 1 3
- Course: MATH 111, 115, 220, 140, or STAT 100 3
- Course: HESP 120 (HS) 3
- Course: HESP 202 3
- Course: Elective 3
- Course: UNIV 100 1

**Spring**
- Course: ENGL 101 (OC: Oral Communications) 3
- Course: MA (Math) Course based on Math Placement 3
- Course: HU (Humanities)* 3
- Course: HESP 120 (SP: Scholarship & Practice-major)* 3
- Course: Elective 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Total 16**

### Year 2

**Fall**
- Course: HU (Humanities)* 3
- Course: PHYS 102/103 (NL: Natural Science lab) 4
- Course: HESP 305 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Spring**
- Course: SP (Scholarship in Practice — non-major)* 3
- Course: HESP 300 3
- Course: HESP 311 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Total 15**

### Year 3

**Fall**
- Course: UP (Understanding Plural Societies) 3
- Course: HESP Statistics Requirement — depending on course chosen, could count for AR (Analytic Reasoning) 3
- Course: HESP 400 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Spring**
- Course: PW (Professional Writing) 3
- Course: HESP Disorder Course 3
- Course: HESP elective 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Total 15**

### Year 4

**Fall**
- Course: CC (Cultural Competency) 3
- Course: HESP Supporting Course 3
- Course: Elective 3
- Course: Elective 3

**Spring**
- Course: HS (History/Social Sciences)* 3
- Course: HESP 407 3
- Course: Elective 3
- Course: Elective 1

**Total 15**

**Cumulative Credits + Planned Credits = Total Credits** 120

### Important Planning Notes:
- All students must take two Distributive Studies courses that will also count for the I-Series requirement. (I-series are not listed separately in this plan)
- Understanding Plural Societies courses may also fulfill a Distributive Studies category.