

COMPUTATIONAL MEDIA

Requirement Checklist for Master of Science

Last _____	First _____	Student ID _____
Email _____	Advisor _____	Start Quarter _____
Terminal Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No, pursuing PhD		

OVERALL REQUIREMENTS FOR AN MS

<p>TASKS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete 15 credits of core courses <input type="checkbox"/> Demonstrate competence in media creation <input type="checkbox"/> Demonstrate competence in programming <input type="checkbox"/> Demonstrate competence in interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> Complete at least 10 credits of topics courses <input type="checkbox"/> Complete MS thesis or project (CMPM 204 & 299) 	<p>Quarter Completed</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
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DETAILED REQUIREMENTS

DEGREE COURSES		ADDITIONAL COURSES	
<i>CORE</i>	Quarter Passed	Course	Quarter Passed
CMPM 201	_____	_____	_____
CMPM 202	_____	_____	_____
CMPM 203	_____	_____	_____
<i>TOPIC</i>	Quarter Passed	_____	_____
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<i>THESIS</i>	Committee Members
CMPM 204	_____
CMPM 299	_____

INCOMPLETES PENDING		FAILED COURSES	
Course	Quarter	Course	Quarter
_____	_____	_____	_____
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MS in Computational Media

Each student is required to complete at least 35 credits as follows:

Core Courses (15 credits)

- CPM 201, History & Theory of Computational Media, 5 credits
- CPM 202, Computational Media Research, 5 credits
- CPM 203, Computational Media Methods, 5 credits

Topics Courses (10 credits)

- Two 5-credit graduate courses from Computational Media or affiliated departments. Cannot use CPM 201, 202, or 203 toward this requirement.
- List of approved courses in the [CM Graduate Student Handbook](#).

MS Research Thesis (7-10 credits)

- CPM 204, Computational Media Project Definition, 5 credits
- CPM 299, Thesis Research, 2-5 credits

Foundation Areas

- Demonstrated competence in media creation, programming, and interpretation in a CM context prior to the end of second year.
- For more information, please see the [CM Graduate Student Handbook](#).

MS Thesis

Completion of a Master's Thesis is required for the Masters degree. To fulfill this requirement, the student submits a written proposal to a faculty member, usually by the third academic quarter. By accepting the proposal, the faculty member becomes the thesis advisor. In consultation with the advisor, the student forms a Master's Thesis Reading Committee of at least two faculty members (including the advisor), one of whom must be in CPM. At least half of the committee must members from the UCSC academic senate. The final thesis must be accepted by the review committee before the award of the Master of Science degree.

More information on all requirements can be found in the [CM Graduate Student Handbook](#).