The Bachelors of General Studies degree is an interdisciplinary program designed to prepare students for a diverse job market and should ensure that they graduate with the skills most necessary to excel in the workplace. The major requires students to select a concentration area in consultation with an advisor. Each concentration area has particular requirements, as determined by the respective program or discipline.

**Content Knowledge:** Students will demonstrate mastery of content knowledge within the area of concentration. The student learning objectives for content knowledge in the concentration area are established by the department of the concentration, and students will be assessed through their work in courses designated by the department of the concentration.

**Communication Skills:** Students will demonstrate mastery of at least one communication skill within the area of concentration. The student learning objectives for communication skills in the concentration area are established by the department of the concentration, and students will be assessed through their work in courses designated by the department of the concentration.

**Critical Thinking Skills:** Student will demonstrate mastery of critical thinking skills within the area of concentration. The student learning objectives for critical thinking skills in the concentration area are established by the department of the concentration, and students will be assessed through their work in courses designated by the department of the concentration.

For additional information about the student learning objectives in the concentrations, consult the statements by the individual concentration departments.