

Journalism, Minor

The Journalism minor prepares students to work in a variety of employment positions and industries that utilize research and communication for storytelling purposes. The Journalism minor pushes students to understand the knowledge and skills of journalism, improve the communities that journalists and storytellers serve, engage with stakeholders and audiences, and improve their own news literacy. Students pursuing a Journalism minor learn what it means to be a responsible journalist; they also identify journalistic principles, ethical values, loyalties, and laws, and how and why these impact their work. They also learn how to translate journalistic behaviors and storytelling practices to their audiences and stakeholders. The Journalism minor assists students in sustaining pro-democracy and civically engaged communities and stories.

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Students are required to complete 18 credits of course work.

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses:		
JOUR 1001	Principles of Journalism	3
JOUR 1100	Information Gathering	3
JOUR 1550	Writing for News	3
JOUR 2100	Multimedia News Storytelling	3
Choose one Law/Ethics/History course from the following:		3
COMM 3800	Media Law	
COMM 3900	Media Ethics	
JOUR 4600	Journalism History	
Choose one Advanced Journalism course from the following:		3
JOUR 4150	Investigative Reporting	
JOUR 4160	Feature and Freelance Writing	
JOUR 4510	Digital Magazine Design and Production	
JOUR 4530	Television News Management	
JOUR 4710	Podcasting	
JOUR 4730	Social Justice Reporting	
JOUR 4800	Methods for Advising School Publications, Teaching Secondary Journalism	
JOUR 4932	Advanced Topics in Journalism	
JOUR 4953	Seminar in Journalism	
JOUR 4990	O'Brien Fellowship in Public Service Journalism	
JOUR 4995	Independent Study in Journalism	
JOUR 4997	Capstone in Journalism	
JOUR 4986	Internship in Journalism	
Total Credit Hours:		18

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