

Journalism Student Course Outline

Students seeking admission to the major must meet the following conditions:

- ___ Minimum 30 college credits with a cumulative minimum 2.50 GPA both overall and in Journalism courses.
- ___ Complete JOUR 207 with a B- or better (transfer students must meet the same requirements for any course accepted as an equivalent of JOUR 207).
- ___ Complete one journalism staff course with a B- or higher.
- ___ Submit a letter of application. See Canvas or the department website for details on the letter requirements.
- ___ Demonstrate understanding of values, principles and practices in the field.

NEWS EDITORIAL Major (79-81 cr.)			
Qtr.	Yr.	Courses	Prereq.
___	___	J190 Intro to Mass Media (5)	
___	___	J207 Newswriting (4)	
___	___	J307 Reporting (5)	<i>B- in J207</i>
___	___	J309 Editing (5)	<i>J207 & J307</i>
___	___	J340 History of Mass Media (4)	<i>Junior Status</i>
___	___	J350 Mass Media Law (5)	<i>Junior Status</i>
___	___	J351 Mass Media Ethics (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J404 Feature Writing (4) OV	<i>J307 & major status</i>
___	___	J430 Field Internship (6)	<i>J207, 300-level J classes (not 340) & two staff courses</i>
___	___	J450 Advanced Reporting (5)	<i>J307, 350, 351 & major status</i>
___	___	J480 Senior Seminar (5) WP-3, OV	<i>J350, 351, senior and major status</i>
___	___	J ___ Front (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J ___ Front (4)	<i>J307 & J214</i>
___	___	J ___ Klipsun (4) WP-3, OV	<i>for 314, 414 & 421</i>
___	___	J ___ * Front, Klipsun, Planet or J305, 346 or 370, OV	

PUBLIC RELATIONS Major (79-81 cr.)			
Qtr.	Yr.	Courses	Prereq.
___	___	J190 Intro to Mass Media (5)	
___	___	J207 Newswriting (4)	
___	___	J351 Mass Media Ethics (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J350 Mass Media Law (5)	<i>Junior Status</i>
___	___	J330 Principles of PR (4)	<i>J207 or Eng101</i>
___	___	J380 Advanced PR Writing (5)	<i>J207 & 330</i>
___	___	J309 Editing (5)	<i>J207 & 380</i>
___	___	J404 Feature Writing (4) OV	<i>J380 & major status</i>
___	___	J407 PR Case Studies (4) OV	<i>J207, 330, 380 & major status</i>
___	___	J430 Field Internship (6)	<i>J207, 300-level J classes & one staff course</i>
___	___	J440 PR Research & Campaigns (5), OV	<i>J330, 380, 350, 351 & major status</i>
___	___	J480 Senior Seminar (5) WP-3, OV	<i>J350, 351, senior & major status</i>
___	___	J ___ Front (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J ___ Klipsun (4) WP-3, OV	<i>J214 required, J380 or J307 for 314, 414 & 421</i>
___	___	J ___ * Front, Klipsun, Planet, or J305, 346 or 370, OV	

VISUAL JOURNALISM Major (84-86 cr.)			
Qtr.	Yr.	Courses	Prereq.
___	___	J190 Intro to Mass Media (5)	
___	___	J207 Newswriting (4)	
___	___	J305 Photojournalism (4) OV	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J307 Reporting (5)	<i>B- in J207</i>
___	___	J309 Editing (5)	<i>J207 & 307</i>
___	___	J346 Intro to Visual Journalism	<i>J305 & 309</i>
___	___	J350 Mass Media Law (5)	<i>Junior Status</i>
___	___	J351 Mass Media Ethics (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J370 Digital Media in Journalism (5), OV	<i>J307 & J309</i>
___	___	J430 Field Internship (6)	<i>J207, 300-level J classes & one staff course</i>
___	___	J446 Advanced Visual Journalism (5) OV	<i>J346, J370, J350, J351 & major status</i>
___	___	J480 Senior Seminar (5) WP-3, OV	<i>J350, 351, senior & major status</i>
___	___	J ___ Front (4)	<i>J207</i>
___	___	J ___ Klipsun (4) WP-3, OV	<i>J307 & J214 for 314, 414 & 421</i>
___	___	J ___ * Front, Klipsun, Planet, J330 or J404, OV	
___	___	Art 109 Visual Dialogue (3) or Dsgn 211 Foundations of Visual Communications (3)	

OV = Requires departmental override

WP-3 = This course satisfies the writing proficiency requirements

* See course catalog for more classes, elective options and prerequisites

All three sequences also require an approved concentration of at least 12 upper-division credits in an approved discipline.

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