

Bachelor of Science in Journalism Course Guideline 125 Hours (Effective 2012)

FRESHMAN 1ST TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
ENC 1101 - Freshman Comm. Skills I	3			
GRA 1433 - Basic Computer Operations	2			
Humanities Course	3			
Mathematics: (Recommended: MGF 1106 - Liberal Arts I)	3			
Non-Journalism Elective	3			
SLS 1101 or Non-Journalism Elective if course was not taken	2			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>			

FRESHMAN 2ND TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
ENC 1102 - Freshman Comm. Skills II	3			
GRA 1111 - Basic Design Principles (Pre-req: GRA 1433)	3			
Mathematics: (Recommended: MGF 1107 - Liberal Arts II)	3			
MMC 2920 - Professional Dev. Colloquium	1			
POS 2041 - American National Government or POS 3063 American Constitution (Do not substitute for these courses)	3			
SPC Course	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>			

SOPHOMORE 1ST TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
Foreign Language I or Sign Language I	3			
Foreign Language I or Sign Language I Lab	1			
JOU 1040 - Language Skills for Media Professional (Pre-req: ENC 1101 & ENC 1102 with minimum B and C OR ENC 1101 & ENC 1102 with C's and minimum B in ENC 2300)	3			
MMC 2000 - Introduction to Mass Media	3			
Natural Science - (Recommended: BOT 1010 or EVR 1001)	3			
POS 2112 - State & Local Government	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>			

SOPHOMORE 2ND TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
Humanities Course	3			
Foreign Language II or Sign Language II	3			
Foreign Language II or Sign Language II Lab	1			
JOU 2100C - Reporting & Writing I (Pre-req: JOU 1040) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
Natural Science - (Recommended: BOT 1010 or EVR 1001)	3			
SYG 2000 - Introduction to Sociology	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>			

JUNIOR 1ST TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
AFA 3104 or AMH 2091	3			
GEO or GEA Course	3			
JOU 3101C - Reporting & Writing II (Pre-req: JOU 2100C) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
MMC 4945 - Internship (Pre-req: JOU 2100C & Permission from Internship Coordinator) (Student may enroll in the internship course up to three times, but will receive credit towards graduation once) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	1			
PGY 2401C - Photo Foundation	3			
RTV 3601C - Broadcast Announcing	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>			

JUNIOR 2ND TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
Approved LIT, ENL or AML Course	3			
ECO 2013 - Principles of Economics I	3			
JOU 4342C - Reporting & Writing III (Pre-req: JOU 3101C) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
PSY 2012 - Introduction to Psychology	3			
RTV 3320C - TV News I, (Pre-req: 3101C)	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>			

SENIOR 1ST TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
CGS 2060/EME 2040/MAN 2543	3			
JOU 4945 Student Media Practicum (Pre-req: JOU 2100C & RTV 3320) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	1			
MMC 4203 - Media Ethics (Junior Standing) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	2			
MMC 4250 - Leadership/Media Management (Pre-req: 3101C) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
MMC 4200 - Communication Law (Pre-req: Junior Standing) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
One of the following courses: RTV 3681C (Pre-req: RTV 3320) RTV 3332C (Pre-req: RTV 3320) JOU 3308 (Pre-req: JOU 3101C) JOU 3223 (Pre-req: JOU 3101C) JOU 4181 (Pre-req: JOU 3101C) JOU 4302 (Pre-req: JOU 3101C) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	3			
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>			

SENIOR 2ND TERM	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
AMH 2010 or 2020 or 4420	3			
Approved LIT, ENL or AML Course	3			
MMC 4922 - Senior Capstone Colloquium (Required of Journalism majors during graduation semester - fall or spring) Must have minimum of a 2.5 Cum GPA	1			
Non-Journalism Elective	2			
PHI or REL Course	3			
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<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>			

HOURS REQUIREMENT DASHBOARD	
GRAND TOTAL HOURS =	125
AA DEGREE TOTAL HOURS =	0
HOURS NEEDED TO GRADUATE =	0

Courses Taken Will Not Count Toward Degree	HRS	GR	SEM	YR
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>			

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Student's Signature - Date

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Advisor's Signature Date

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Division Director's Signature Date

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Dean's or Associate Dean's Signature Date

Student must earn at least a "B" and a "C" in ENC 1101 and ENC 1102. Students who fail to meet this requirement must earn a "B" or better in ENC 2300 to enroll in JOU 1040. Students must have 2.0 minimum GPA to enroll in JOU 1040.

Student must earn "C's" or better in six semester hours of math.

Student must earn six credits in natural science courses.

Student must earn "C's" or better in general education courses.

Liberal Arts Requirements (30 Semester Hours); Student must earn "C's" or better in these courses

**Foreign Languages (8 Semester Hours)**  
A student must earn "C's" or better in at least eight credit hours of the same foreign language or sign language. A student who has completed foreign language in high school may take a placement test to determine the appropriate course level.

**Cognate Requirements and Electives (Five semester hours)**  
Courses taken in the Division of Journalism cannot be used for cognate or elective credit. Electives may be any level courses; however, they may not be listed elsewhere on this checklist. If the student did not take SLS 1101, seven hours are required.