## B.S. in Journalism
### Suggested 4-Year Academic Flowchart

#### 2015-17 Catalog

### FRESHMAN

**Fall**
- Introduction to Journalism
  - JOUR 102 (1)

**Winter**
- News Reporting and Writing
  - JOUR 203 (4)

**Spring**
- Statistics
  - STAT 130, 217, 218, or 251 (4)

**GE (4)**

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**Expository Writing**
- ENGL 133 or 134 (4)**
- Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better

**Oral Communication**
- COMS 101 or 102 (4)**
- Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better

**Reasoning, Argumentation & Writing**
- COMS 126; COMS / ENGL 145; ENGL 148; PHIL 126 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Notes:**
- MOST GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES CAN BE TAKEN IN ANY ORDER AS LONG AS PREREQUISITES ARE MET
  - Refer to current catalog for prerequisites.

**Legend:**
- Course Title
- Course # (Units)
- Support (4)
- Major (112)
- GE Area (64)

**TOTAL YEARLY UNITS:** 45

### SOPHOMORE

**Fall**
- Intro to Multimedia Journalism
  - JOUR 285 (4)

**Winter**
- Media Law
  - JOUR 302 (4)

**Spring**
- Journalism Ethics
  - JOUR 402 (4)

**GE (4)**

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**Expository Writing**
- ENGL 133 or 134 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Oral Communication**
- COMS 101 or 102 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Reasoning, Argumentation & Writing**
- COMS 126; COMS / ENGL 145; ENGL 148; PHIL 126 (4)**
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- Major (112)
- GE Area (64)

**TOTAL YEARLY UNITS:** 48

### JUNIOR

**Fall**
- Media Technologies
  - JOUR 303, 350, 390, 410 (8)**

**Winter**
- Journalism Ethics
  - JOUR 402 (4)

**Spring**
- Global and Cultural Perspectives
  - JOUR 219 or 401**

**GE (4)**

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**GE (4)**

**Expository Writing**
- ENGL 133 or 134 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Oral Communication**
- COMS 101 or 102 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Reasoning, Argumentation & Writing**
- COMS 126; COMS / ENGL 145; ENGL 148; PHIL 126 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

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- Support (4)
- Major (112)
- GE Area (64)

**TOTAL YEARLY UNITS:** 44

### SENIOR

**Fall**
- Media Internship
  - JOUR 444 (3)

**Winter**
- Senior Media Practicum
  - JOUR 462 (4)**

**Spring**
- Journalism / Media / Mass Communication Elective
  - JOUR 285 (4)

**GE (4)**

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**GE (4)**

**Expository Writing**
- ENGL 133 or 134 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Oral Communication**
- COMS 101 or 102 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

**Reasoning, Argumentation & Writing**
- COMS 126; COMS / ENGL 145; ENGL 148; PHIL 126 (4)**
- (Completion of GE A1 with a C- or better)

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- Support (4)
- Major (112)
- GE Area (64)

**TOTAL YEARLY UNITS:** 43

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1 Students are encouraged to pursue minors or develop other areas of interest outside of Journalism, Media, Mass Communication through 36 Approved Electives units. At least 24 units must be upper-division courses with a lecture or seminar component. See catalog for other restrictions.
2 JOUR 461 Senior Project (3 units) combined with one unit of additional JOUR upper division credit, may substitute for JOUR 462 Senior Media Practicum (4 units), with consent of department head.