

School of Continuing Studies

Journalism

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

To receive an Associate of Arts in Journalism, a student must complete at least 61 credits with a cumulative grade point average of 2.000 (C) and a grade-point average of at least 2.000 in the major. All required courses are offered during the evening hours, with some courses additionally offered in the daytime. Major requirements for the degree consist of:

The core course list for journalism majors seeking an Associate of Arts degree includes:

- JOUR 201
- JOUR 301
- JOUR 320
- MDAR 201
- MDAR 205
- JOUR 360
- One from MDAR 210, 235, 281, or 345

In addition, students must complete the following general education courses

- ENGL 101 or CSEN 125
- MATH, PHIL 106, 121, MGMT 325
- one course from oral communications supporting requirement (SPCH 140, 311, or THEA 210)
- one computer applications supporting requirement
- Humanities (4)
- Science (4)
- Social Science (4)
- Electives as necessary to total 60 credits

BACHELOR OF ARTS

To receive a Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, a student must complete at least 124 credits with a cumulative grade point average

of 2.000 (C) and a grade-point average of at least 2.000 in the major. All required courses are offered during the evening hours, with some courses additionally offered in the daytime.

Major requirements for the degree consist of:

- JOUR 201
- JOUR 301
- JOUR 320
- MDAR 201
- MDAR 205
- JOUR 350
- JOUR 360
- JOUR 401
- One from MDAR 261, JOUR 330, 340, or 405
- One from MDAR 210, 235, 281, or 345
- MDAR 501

In addition, students must complete the following general education courses

- ENGL 101 or CSEN 125
- Math, PHIL 106, 121, or MGMT 325
- one course from oral communications supporting requirement (SPCH 140, 311, or THEA 210)
- Foreign Language or Proficiency Alternative (6-8)
- one computer applications supporting requirement (3)
- Humanities (12, at least two disciplines)
- Science (12, at least two disciplines)
- Social Science (12, at least two disciplines)
- Electives as necessary to achieve a total of 124 credits

POST-BACCALAUREATE CERTIFICATE IN JOURNALISM

The certificate program is offered to students who already hold a baccalaureate degree. The certificate will be earned upon successful completion of 11 required courses for the major for a BA in Journalism.

The core course list for journalism majors seeking post-baccalaureate certificate of degree includes:

- JOUR 201
- JOUR 301
- JOUR 320
- MDAR 201
- MDAR 205
- JOUR 350
- JOUR 360
- JOUR 401
- One from MDAR 261, JOUR 330, 340, or 405
- One from MDAR 210, 235, 281, or 345
- MDAR 501

MINOR IN JOURNALISM

The minor is open to students who are in a baccalaureate program other than Journalism. Students majoring in Media Arts, Public Relations, Website Development or Digital Design may count only one course towards both the major and minor requirements.

The core course list for journalism minors seeking a bachelors or arts degree includes:

- JOUR 201
- JOUR 301
- JOUR 320 or 350
- MDAR 201 or 205
- JOUR 360
- JOUR 401