

JOURNALISM MINOR

Learning Goals and Outcomes

Goal 1: Explore the vital role that media organizations play in sustaining democracies by holding governments, institutions, organizations, and individuals accountable to their constituents.

Outcome 1.1: Students will be able to explain the rights and responsibilities of a free press and its practitioners.

Goal 2: Learn basic journalism principles and accepted tenets of journalism ethics and the law.

Outcome 2.1: Students will be able to apply basic journalism principles that follow ethical guidelines and/or knowledge of communication law.

Goal 3: Develop ideation, reporting, writing/production, revision and copy editing skills to create journalistic content that is consistent with accepted journalism practice and style.

Outcome 3.1: Students will be able to ideate, report, create, and edit journalistic content in a variety of formats and styles.

Goal 4: Learn best practices for diverse and inclusive storytelling.

Outcome 4.1: Students will be able to ideate, report and produce content that reflects best journalistic practices in inclusive storytelling.

Requirements

The minor in Journalism requires six journalism courses.

Code	Title	Hours
Two required Journalism courses:		
ENG 261	News Reporting	3
ENG 492	English Internship	3
Four additional Journalism courses from the list below:		12
ENG 268	Fact-checking and Fake News	
ENG 269	Intro Media & Cultural Studies	
ENG 346	The Art of The Interview	
ENG 350	Advanced News Reporting	
ENG 360	Feature Writing	
ENG 362	Photojournalism	
ENG 363	Sports Journalism	
ENG 364	Stunt Journalism	
ENG 365	Multimedia Journalism	
ENG 460	Magazine Writing	
ENG 461	Food Writing	
ENG 462	Travel Writing	
ENG 463	Literary Journalism	
ENG 464	Media, Politics & the Election	
ENG 465	Special Topics in Journalism	
ENG 466	Journalism & Entrepreneurship	
ENG 467	Communication and the Law	
ENG 468	Media/Culture in South Africa	

ENG 469 The Art of Editing

Total Hours **18**

For English majors minoring in journalism: of the six required courses for the Journalism Minor, no more than two courses may also count towards the English Major.