JOURNALISM - MINOR

Journalism Studies in The College of Liberal Arts offers a minor in Journalism, as well as a major in Journalism, and provides a background in reporting, from interviewing to on-line records searches, and in writing, from deadline news stories to longer analytical and feature pieces. Video production for the web is an integral part of news writing in our program, along with the opportunity for specialized, advanced writing classes in political reporting, literary nonfiction, arts and entertainment journalism, and magazine writing. Students also can get in-depth experience in the field of new media, particularly blogging.

Program Requirements

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Select one of the following: 3

- COMM 307/Mass Communication, Law, and Society
- JOUR 301 Mass Communication, Law and Society
- JOUR 303 Media Writing II
- JOUR 304 Editing for the Mass Media

Select one of the following: 3

- ANTH 225 Introduction to Biological Anthropology
- ANTH 301 Indians of North America
- ANTH 316 Nautical Archaeology
- ANTH 317/Introduction to Biblical Archaeology
- RELS 317
- ANTH 404/Women and Culture
- WGST 404
- ARTS 489 Special Topics in...
- COMM 350 Theories of Mediated Communication
- COMM 354 Political Economy of Telecommunication
- COMM 458/Global Media
- JOUR 458
- COMM 480/Religious Communication
- RELS 480
- ECON 312 Poverty, Inequality and Social Policy
- ENGL 210 Technical and Business Writing
- HIST 343 Inter-American Relations
- HIST 460 American Society and Culture Since 1877
- HIST 470 American Business History
- MUSC 201 Music and the Human Experience
- MUSC 324/Music in World Cultures
- ANTH 324
- POLS 302/The Mass Media and Politics
- COMM 302

POLS 359 American Political Thought
PSYC 315 Social Psychology
SOCI 314 Social Problems
SOCI 327 Morality and Society
SOCI 423 Globalization and Social Change
VIST 485 - VIST 489 (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/vist)

Total Semester Credit Hours 18

JOUR 102 is a prerequisite for enrollment in the Journalism minor.

Students must make a grade of "C" or better in all courses.