

JOURNALISM WRITING, MINOR (403)

Program Coordinator

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Program Requirements (21 hours)

The minor in journalism writing requires a minimum of 21 hours. Students pursuing the minor can gain valuable knowledge and skills in professional media writing and journalistic storytelling.

Code	Title	Hours
SMC 101	Understanding Media Content, Ethics and Technology	3
JOUR 202	Introduction to News Writing	3
JOUR 301	¹	3
JOUR 302	Intermediate Reporting	3
JOUR 325	Feature Writing	3
Select two of the following: ²		6
JOUR 323	Multiplatform News Presentation	
JOUR 426	Advanced Reporting	
JOUR 467	News / Editorial Internship Practicum	
ENG 311	Creative Nonfiction Writing	
ENG 402	Editing and Publishing	
ENG 403	Writing Memoir and Autobiography	
FLK 373	Folklore and the Media	
SMC 310	Media Diversity	
BCOM 325	Survey of Electronic Media Writing	
Total Hours		21

¹ The prerequisite for JOUR 301 includes PS 110, which may be applied toward Colonnade requirements.

² One selected course must have a JOUR prefix. Additionally, some courses among these have prerequisites. Please check the catalog.

Half of the hours in the minor must be at the 300- or 400- level.