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Undergraduate Major Map

Catalog Year 2021

College / School Communication, Arch + The Arts
Major Digital Comm and Media- BS

Track / Concentration Digital Journalism
Career Path Two Year Transfer

Fall Term 2021

Digital Communication + Media is a LIMITED ENROLLMENT PROGRAM: students must have a min 2.85 cumulative GPA.

MMC 3303 will be used to satisfy the Global Learning Discipline-Specific requirement. See endnotes

 Term GPA:
 2.85

 Term Hours:
 12

 Cum GPA:
 2.85

 Cum Hours:
 12

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Journalism and Media Orientait	MMC 3003	Journalism + Media Orient	0	Core requirement.
Global Media and Society	MMC 3303	Global Media and Society	3	Core requirement.
Required Courses	JOU 3003	Intro To Journalism	3	Major Specific requirement.
Law and Ethics	MMC 4200	Law And Ethics	3	Core requirement.
Writing Fundamentals	MMC 3123	Writing Fundamentals	3	Core requirement. Must earn C or higher.

Spring Term 2022

Student needs to be evaluated at the end of this semester (nearing the 90 CRH). Student should complete the program core by the end of this semester.

VIC 3400 will be used to satisfy the Global Learning Discipline-Specific requirement. See endnotes.

 Term GPA:
 2.85

 Term Hours:
 12

 Cum GPA:
 2.85

 Cum Hours:
 24

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Core Courses	IDS 3309	How We Know What We Know	3	Core requirement.
Visual Design Global Media	VIC 3400	Vis Design Global Media	3	Core requirement.
AREA OF CONCENTRATIO N			3	Students may design their own Area of Concentration. See endnotes. Please consult with your Academic Advisor prior to selecting courses. You cannot use SCJ core and track courses to satisfy this area.
AREA OF CONCENTRATIO N			3	See endnotes.



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Summer Term 2022

Term GPA: 2.85 Term Hours: Cum GPA: 2.85 **Cum Hours:**

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
ELECTIVES			3	SCJ Track Electives Courses- Any 3000/4000 level course (choose from ADV, COM, JOU, MMC, PUR, RTV, SPC)
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Fall Term 2022

Term GPA: 2.85 Term Hours: 12 Cum GPA: 2.85 Cum Hours: 42

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Multimedia Production	RTV 3531	Multimedia Prod	3	Major Specific requirement.
News Reporting and Writing	JOU 3117	News Reporting and Writing	3	Major Specific requirement.
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Spring Term 2023Apply for Summer graduation.

Term GPA: 2.85 Term Hours: 12 Cum GPA: 2.85 Cum Hours: 54

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
News Visualization	VIC 4001	News Visualization	3	Major Specific requirement.
Intense Pods	MMC 3932C	Intense Pods	1	SCJ Track Electives courses 1-3 credits. See endnotes.
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Adv News Writing	JOU 3300	Adv News Writing	3	Major Specific
AREA OF CONCENTRATIO N			3	See endnotes.



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Summer Term 2023

Use this semester to finish up coursework.

 Term GPA:
 2.85

 Term Hours:
 6

 Cum GPA:
 2.85

 Cum Hours:
 60

Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Sr. Multimedia Project	JOU 4341C	Sr Multimedia Prjt	3	Major Specific requirement.
AREA OF CONCENTRATIO N			3	See notes.

General Requirements

GENERAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Critical Progress is the minimum grade indicated in specific courses to demonstrate proficiency and progress in major. Earning less than the minimum grade is a trigger for a conversation with advisor.

Transfer students are assumed to have completed an Associates of Arts Degree from a Florida Public Institution or completed 60 credits and the University Core Curriculum Requirements.

In addition, the following courses are required of incoming transfer students:

Global Learning Requirement for Transfers: Transfers entering FIU Fall 2011 or later are required to take two Global Learning courses.

Those who meet University Core Curriculum Requirements prior to entering FIU

-Two Global Learning Discipline Specific Courses (One of the two may be a Global Learning Foundation Course chosen in consultation with your advisor)

Those who do not meet University Core Curriculum Requirements prior to entering FIU

- -One Global Learning Foundation Course (from the University Core Curriculum)
- -One Global Learning Discipline Specific Course

Transfer courses may not be used to meet the FIU Global Learning Requirement. For a list of Global learning courses: http://goglobal.fiu.edu

College of Communication, Architecture + The Arts: School of Communication + Journalism (SCJ):

Grades: All students must successfully pass MMC3003 (Journalism + Media Orientation), and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.85 (this includes all transfer work, in addition to current FIU work).

Writing Proficiency: All students are expected to demonstrate proficiency in writing. Students are required to enroll in a writing course and receive a """"C""" or higher.

Graduation Policy:

To be eligible for graduation, a student must have a minimum 2.75 GPA in all SCJ courses as well as in the outside courses required by the program.

SCJ Track Electives Courses (15 credits): MMC3932C Intense PODS (register for three sections as one section is 1 credit). Students will select 12 credits from a provided list of courses to satisfy this requirement.



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Area of Concentration: (12 credits)

Students must select four upper division level courses in one subject area. Student must consult with their advisor to discuss a chosen area of focus outside of the SCJ. Students must earn C or higher in courses to be used towards Area of Concentration.

Suggested Area of Concentration for Digital Communication and Media: 3000/4000 level courses: International Relations & Political Science: INR, CPO, POS, POT; Psychology:CLP, DEP, EXP, INP, PPE, PSY, SOP; History - AFH, AMH, ASH, EUH, HIS, LAH, WOH; Criminal Justice - CCJ, CJC, CJE, CJJ, CJL, DSC; Anthropology/Sociology: AND, ANG, ANT, SOC, SYA, SYD, SYG, SYO, SYP; Global and Sociocultural Studies: GEO3421, GEO3471, GEO3502, GIS3048; English: AML, CRW, ENC, ENG, ENL, FIL, LIT; English-Business Writing - ENCC3213, ENC3204, ENC3249, ENC4260; Art/Photography: ARH, ART, GRA, PGY; Religion: REL, ASN, HBR, etc. Students may also choose a variety of Business Minors and Certificates. Please consult with advisor before selecting a minor or certificate.