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Journalism & Media Studies (BA)
Catalog: FALL 2019 & SPRING 2020

Admitted Date: _____ NSHE ID: _____
Date Advised: _____ Student Name: _____
GPA: _____ Advisor: _____

Entrance requirements: Students must meet and maintain the Greenspun College of Urban Affairs minimum GPA requirement of **2.00** for admission into the Department of Journalism & Media Studies. **https://www.unlv.edu/jms**

General Education Requirements (38-47 credits)	Credits	Semester	Grade
1. 1st and 2nd Year Seminars (6 credits)			
GSC 100	3		
GSC 300	3	REQUIRED	
2. English Composition (6 credits) (PREJMS)			
ENG 101 (PREJMS)	3		
ENG 102 (PREJMS)	3		
3. US and NV Constitution (4-6 credits)			
	3		
	1		
4. Mathematics (3 credits)			
MATH 120 or higher	3		
5. Social Sciences (9 credits)			
**Note: Must be 3 different disciplines*			
(1st)	3		
(2nd)	3		
(3rd)	3		
6. Life & Physical Sciences (7-8 credits)			
	3		
(With lab)	4		
7. Logic/Analytical Thinking (3 credits)			
	3		
8. Multicultural & International (0-6 credits)			
(Multi)	3		
(Int'l)	3		
Total Credits of Gen Ed Requirements	44		

Notes	
Minimum of 120 total credits	YES or NO
Minimum 2.0 GPA	YES or NO
60 credits earned from 4-year institution	YES or NO
42 credits are Upper Division level (300-400 level)	YES or NO
Last 30 credits in residency as a declared major	YES or NO
A minimum grade of C or higher (C- is not acceptable) is required in all JOUR courses.	
To be fully admitted to JMSBA:	
Completion of all PREJMS courses (JOUR 107 & 207, ENG 101 & ENG 102) with a grade of C (2.0) grade (C- is unacceptable)	YES or NO

Courses NOT counting towards Graduation

PREJMS Program Requirements (6 Credits)	Credits	Semester	Grade
JOUR 107 All Things Media: Foundations	3		
JOUR 207 All Things Media: Words and Numbers	3		
Total Credits of PREJMS Program Requirements	6		

•Upon completion of PREJMS requirements, student must meet with a GCUA Academic Advisor to change from PREJMS to JMSBA.

JMS Program Requirements (15 Credits)	Credits	Semester	Grade
JOUR 112 Intro to Digital and Social Media	3		
JOUR 211 Storytelling and Design	3		
JOUR 401 First Amendment and Society	3		
JOUR 435 Mass Comm. Research Methods	3		
JOUR 499 Professional Internship	3		
Total Credits of JMS Program Requirements	15		

JMS Area of Concentration (15 Credits)	Credits	Semester	Grade
Concentration:			
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
Total Credits of JMS Concentration Requirements	15		

JMS Electives (12 Credits)	Credits	Semester	Grade
JOUR	3		
JOUR	3		
JOUR **UD**	3		
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Total Credits of JMS Electives Requirements	12		
Total JMS Program Credits	48		

Remaining credits to reach 120 credits **28**

General Elective Course(s)	Credits	Semester	Grade