

Four Year Planning Tool

Columbia College Chicago

Academic Year 2016-2017

Department: Communication and Media Innovation	Total Credits required for Degree:	120
Degree: Bachelor of Arts	Total Credits required in Major:	53
Major Program: Multimedia Journalism: Broadcast-TV		

Example is for planning purposes only

1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
48-11XX First-Semester Experience	3	52-1152 Writing & Rhetoric II (EN)	3
52-1151 Writing & Rhetoric I (EN)	3	53-1015 Reporting & Writing OR 53-1015A College Newspaper Workshop	3
53-1011 Introduction to Journalism	4	53-1017 Editing Essentials	4
40-1302 Television Arts: Production	4	LAS Core	3
		College-Wide Elective	2
Total Semester Hours:	14	Total Semester Hours:	15
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
53-2015 Media Ethics & Law	3	53-2230 Digital Storytelling	3
53-2020A Reporting & Writing II	6	53-2310 Broadcast News Writing	3
LAS Core	3	40-2622 Production & Aesthetics for News	4
LAS Core	3	LAS Core	3
		College-Wide Elective	3
Total Semester Hours:	15	Total Semester Hours:	16
5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
53-3310 Writing & Reporting TV News	3	40-2621 On-Camera Talent	3
40-2601 Creating the TV News Package	3	LAS Core	3
LAS Core	3	LAS Core	3
LAS Core	3	LAS Core	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
Total Semester Hours:	15	Total Semester Hours:	15
7th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
53-3601A Practicum in TV News: Newsbeat (6cr) OR 53-3601B Practicum Television News: Metro Minutes (4cr) OR 53-3621A Practicum: Producing News: Newsbeat (6cr)	4	53-3*** OR 54-4*** Journalism Advanced Elective	3
53-3115 Investigative Reporting OR 53-3130 Interpretive Reporting	3	53-**** Broadcast Internship (CWE)	6
53-**** Broadcast Internship (CWE)	3	LAS Core	3
LAS Core	3	College-Wide Elective	3
College-Wide Elective	2		
Total Semester Hours:	15	Total Semester Hours:	15

Major Elective: Choose from a list of courses, available in the catalog, to fulfill major requirements.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12-16 credits per term. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000 level or higher) LAS core courses (6 credits).