Journalism BA - Curriculum Matrix

- 1. Critical thinking Think critically, creatively and independently.
- 2. Professionalism and ethics Apply professional standards and ethical practice of journalism and public relations.
- 3. Communication and inclusion Work with and convey information to diverse communities.
- 4. **Knowledge foundations** Understand the history, purpose and relevance of the First Amendment and media law, including privacy, libel, copyright, intellectual property and freedom of information.
- 5. **Research and audience engagement –** Create audience-appropriate content by conducting research via digital channels, interviewing, fact checking, writing across multiple platforms and engaging audiences with visual tools.
- 6. **Digital information and numeracy –** Demonstrate digital information and number literacy, as well as explain the evolution of media technologies.
- 7. **Writing and revision –** Demonstrate competency in grammar, spelling and Associated Press style while editing their work and the work of others with accuracy and consistency.
- 8. **Multiplatform storytelling –** Professionally package and transmit information via current and emerging technologies and work as part of a team in producing such work.

Key

- 1 = Major contributor
- 2 = Minor contributor

		SLO 1	SLO 2	SLO 3	SLO 4	SLO 5	SLO 6	SLO 7	SLO 8	
MAJOR CORE										
JOUR 244	Intro to PR	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	
JOUR 255	Digital Media Literacy	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	2	
JOUR 260	Writing for Mass Media	0	1	1	2	1	2	1	0	
JOUR 320	Mass Com Law	0	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	
JOUR 460	Ethics in Mass Media	1	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	
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NEWS CORE										
JOUR 321	Public Aff. Reporting	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	
JOUR 322	History of Journalism	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	
JOUR 327	Media Editing & Layout	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	
JOUR 329	News Laboratory	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
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PR CORE										
JOUR 341	Writing for PR	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	
JOUR 342	PR Research	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	
JOUR 344	PR Strategy	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	
JOUR 445	PR Laboratory	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	
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THEORY & HISTORY (3 courses required)										
JOUR 101	Intro to Com	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
JOUR 210	Pop Culture, Media & Values	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	
JOUR 211	Women, Men & the Media	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
JOUR 313	International Communication	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	

JOUR 411	Race & Diversity in Media	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
JOUR 424	Public Opinion & Propaganda	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	
JOUR 428	Politics & Media	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	
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APPLIED VISUAL & STORYTELLING SKILLS (4 courses required)										
JOUR 301	Data Journalism	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	
JOUR 325	Magazine Writing	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	
JOUR 351	PR Publications	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
JOUR 353	Photojournalism	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	
JOUR 355	Online Presentation	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	
JOUR 451	Digital Media Innovation	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	
JOUR 453	Advanced Photoj	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	
JOUR 489	Journalism Internship	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	