

JOURNALISM MAJOR - POLITICAL JOURNALISM OR LIBERAL ARTS TRACK (123 CREDITS)

Core Curriculum (63 credits plus intermediate foreign language)

BIB203	Theology of the Bible I
BIB213	Theology of the Bible II
BIB223	Principles of Biblical Reasoning
CLA201	Research & Writing
CLA213	Logic
CLA223	Rhetoric
ECO303	Economics for the Citizen
GOV203	Constitutional Law
GOV213	Freedom's Foundations I
GOV223	Freedom's Foundations II
HIS203	History of the United States I
HIS213	History of the United States II
HIS223	History of Western Civilization I
HIS233	History of Western Civilization II
LIT213	Western Literature I
LIT223	Western Literature II
MAT203	Euclidean Geometry
MUS303	Music History & Appreciation
PHI203	Philosophy
SCI223	Biology
SCI221	Biology Laboratory
SCI233	Physics
SCI231	Physics Laboratory
Modern/Classical Foreign Language (see Foreign Language Requirements)	

Major Courses (46 credits)

Required Journalism Courses (25 credits)

JRN203	Journalism I
JRN213	Journalism II
JRN253	Student Publication Internship I
JRN263	Student Publication Internship II
JRN302	Journalism History
JRN352	Media Law
JRN470	Off-Campus Journalism Internship (6 credits)
JRN491	Journalism Faith & Reason Integration Essay

And one of the following two courses

(see course descriptions):

JRN212	Print Media Graphics, or
JRN222	Radio Journalism

Students must choose one track (12 credits)

Political Journalism Track

GOV303	American Political Institutions
GOV313	Political Science Research Methods
GOV323	Comparative Politics
GOV333	International Relations

Liberal Arts Track

Writing Elective: CPW (3 credits, 300+)
 Literature Elective: LIT, LGN, LAU (3 credits, 300+)
 History Elective: HIS, HSS (3 credits, 300+)
 Political Theory, Classical Liberal Arts, History, Literature, or Biblical Studies Elective (3 credits, 300+)

Major Electives (9 credits)

Choose any combination of the following (choose 9 credits):
 JRN253/263 Student Publication Internship I/II (up to 6 credits)
 JRN212/222 Print Media Graphics/Radio Journalism (up to 2 credits)
 JRN332 Web-based Journalism & Design
 JRN342 Narrative Non-fiction
 JRN403 Political Journalism
 JRN470 Off-Campus Journalism Internship
 JRN480 Freelance Journalism Internship (3 or 6 credits)

Open Electives (14 credits)

Recommended Course Sequence

First Year

Fall Semester

CLA201	Research & Writing	1
CLA213	Logic	3
HIS203	History of the United States I	3
HIS223	History of Western Civilization I	3
JRN203	Journalism I	3
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Spring Semester

CLA223	Rhetoric	3
HIS213	History of the United States II	3
HIS233	History of Western Civilization II	3
JRN213	Journalism II	3
LIT213	Western Literature I	3
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Second Year

Fall Semester

GOV203	Constitutional Law	3
GOV213	Freedom's Foundations I	3
JRN253	Student Publication Internship I	3
JRN212/222	Print Media Graphics or Radio Jrn.	2
LIT223	Western Literature II	3
Open Elective		3
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Spring Semester

GOV223	Freedom's Foundations II	3
JRN263	Student Publication Internship II	3
PHI203	Philosophy	3
SCI223	Biology	3
SCI221	Biology Laboratory	1
Open Elective		3
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Third Year

Fall Semester

BIB203	Theology of the Bible I	3
ECO303	Economics for the Citizen	3
JRN302	Journalism History	2
Major Elective		3
Track Course		3
		14

Spring Semester

BIB213	Theology of the Bible II	3
JRN352	Media Law	2
MAT203	Euclidean Geometry	3
MUS303	Music History & Appreciation	3
Track Course		3
Major Elective		3
		17

Fourth Year

Fall Semester

BIB223	Principles of Biblical Reasoning	3
JRN470	Off-Campus Journalism Internship	6
SCI233	Physics	3
SCI231	Physics Laboratory	1
Track Course		3
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Spring Semester

JRN491	Faith & Reason Integration Essay	1
Track Course		3
Major Elective		3
Open Elective		8
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