



School of Communications

Advising Guidelines for BA in Media Studies

Sample 4-Year Course Sequence

Students should consult with their advisor to determine their plan of study.

Students must take 120 credit hours to graduate with an average of 15 credit hours per semester.

Courses	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4		TOT
	FA	SP	FA	SP	FA	SP	FA	SP	
Major Coursework									
EPMD 1000 – Intro to Media Production	3								3
MDST 1010 – Media Foundations	3								3
MDST 1050 – Media Writing		3							3
MDST 1160 – Comm for Media Pros		3							3
MDST 2100 – Media Literacy			3						3
MDST 2400 – Media, Diversity & Society			3						3
MDST 2500 – Prof Dev for Media Careers				3					3
MDST 3100 – Social Media Strat & Tactics					3				3
MDST 3250 – Global Media Practice					3				3
MDST 3300 – Media Law, Ethics & Policy						3			3
MDST 4110 – Digital Media & Culture							3		3
MDST 4200 – Media Research							3		3
MDST 4620 – Media Practicum/Thesis OR MDST 4950 – Media Internship MDST 4950 – Media Internship								3	3
Total Credits for Major									39
University Coursework									
FRSH 1200 – Freshman Seminar	3								3
Other GCP Courses	6	6	6	6					24
KEYS 4xxx – Keystone Course								3	3
General Electives (May be in Major)		3	3	6	9	12	9	9	51
Total Credits Per Semester	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	120