Journalism Concentration Worksheet, 36 credit major

The journalism concentration offers a liberal arts approach to reporting and writing multimedia news. Students will learn to gather and report information through research, observation, and interviews and then communicate it through clear and compelling writing in multimedia stories enhanced by photography, video, audio, and social media and then published on a personal website. In addition, students will become more critical consumers of news through courses that offer an analysis of journalism and other media.

Analytical courses have the prefix MEDIA. Production courses have the prefix MEDP or MEDPL. Writing Intensive courses have a W in parenthesis following the course title.

12 Required Introductory Credits		
	MEDIA 180	Introduction to Media Studies
	MEDIA 211	News Literacy in a Digital Age (W) (CUNY Common Core EC 2)
	MEDPL 150	Visual Communication & Interactive Design (Prereq/coreq MEDIA 180)
	FILMP 160	Media and Film in a Digital Age 2 (Prereq MEDIA 180)

6 Required Production Credits		
MEDPL 201	Reporting and Writing 1 (W) (Prereq MEDIA 180)	
MEDPL 202	Reporting and Writing 2 (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)	

12 Elective Production Credits			
Please choose 4 courses from the following			
MEDPL 239	Entertainment Journalism (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 283	Visual Storytelling (Prereq MEDPL 202)		
MEDPL 284	Radio Reporting and Podcasting (Prereq MEDPL 202)		
MEDPL 294	Magazine Writing (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 295	Online Journalism (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
□ MEDPL 296	Feature Writing (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 297	Data Journalism: Telling Stories with Numbers (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 372	Investigative Reporting (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 377	Neighborhood News (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201-Can take twice)		
MEDPL 387	Mobile Journalism (Prereq MEDPL 202)		
MEDPL 388	Studio News Production (Prereq MEDPL 283-Can take twice)		
MEDPL 39901	Social Justice Journalism (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 39902	Urban, Environmental and Health Reporting (Prereq MEDPL 201)		
MEDPL 39903	Business and Economic Reporting (Prereq MEDPL 201)		

6 Elective Analytical Credits

Students may choose any two analytical courses with the MEDIA prefix. It is recommended that journalism students consider analytical courses related to their concentration. Please fill in the course number and title.

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