## Journalism Concentration Worksheet, 36 credit major

The journalism concentration offers a liberal arts approach to the study and production of multimedia news. Students will learn to gather information through observation, interviews and research and to communicate it through clear and compelling writing enhanced by photography, video, audio, and interactive features. In addition to a toolkit for newsgathering and story production, students will learn how to be more critical news consumers and their own fact-checkers through courses that offer a critical analysis of news and 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)	
	MEDP 150	Media and Film in a Digital Age (Prereq or 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 co	urses from the following			
☐ MEDPL 239	Entertainment Journalism (W) (Prereq MEDPL 201)			
☐ MEDPL 283	Visual Storytelling for Journalists (Prereq MEDPL 202 and FILMP 160)			
☐ 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 373	Journalism as Literature			
☐ 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)			
☐ MEDP 399	Urban, Environmental and Health 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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