Journalism Major Course Planning Guide
(2017-18 catalog year and beyond)

UA degree requires 120 units, 42 of which must be upper division (300+). The Journalism major requires a minimum of 39 units in journalism, with a maximum of 48 units, which count toward the UA requirement of 120 units for graduation. Some lower-division courses can be taken at a community college and transferred in. Some AP courses can satisfy UA foundation courses. Students must also complete a minor of at least 18 credits. See the adviser each semester for planning.

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<th>Journalism Requisites</th>
<th>Courses Required for Journalism Major</th>
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<td>The following are required to enroll in JOUR 203, 205 and 208:</td>
<td>[ \text{JOUR 105} – \text{Principles of Journalism} ]</td>
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<td>[ \text{B or better in ENGL 101, 102 or 109H} ]</td>
<td>[ \text{JOUR 203} – \text{Photojournalism} ]</td>
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<td>[ \text{C or better in MATH 105, 107, 109C, 112; or LING 123, or PHIL 110} ]</td>
<td>[ \text{JOUR 205} – \text{Reporting the News} ]</td>
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<td>[ \text{C or better in JOUR 105} ]</td>
<td>[ \text{JOUR 208} – \text{Law of the Press} ]</td>
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<td>[ \text{Overall UA GPA of 2.5 or higher} ]</td>
<td>[ \text{JOUR 306} – \text{Advanced Reporting} ]</td>
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Optional specializations (noted on transcript and diploma)

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<th>Broadcast Journalism Specialization</th>
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<td>Complete these courses: [ \text{JOUR 280} – \text{Beginning TV Writing (counts as an elective)} ] [ \text{JOUR 385} – \text{Beginning Television Reporting and Production (instead of JOUR 307)} ] [ \text{JOUR 390} – \text{Arizona Cat’s Eye (instead of JOUR 411)} ] [ \text{The second JOUR elective required of majors} ] [ \text{May also take other broadcast electives in addition to these three classes, including a broadcast internship} ]</td>
<td>Complete at least three of the following electives (two can count toward the two required electives for the journalism major): [ \text{JOUR 402} – \text{Media and Terrorism} ] [ \text{JOUR 426} – \text{Reporting the Middle East} ] [ \text{JOUR 473} – \text{Reporting in the U.S. Mexico Borderlands} ] [ \text{JOUR 496F} – \text{Media Coverage of International Crises} ] [ \text{JOUR 496L} – \text{U.S. Press and Latin America} ] [ \text{JOUR 497C} – \text{Reporting the World} ] [ \text{JOUR 493} – \text{Internship Specializing in Global Journalism} ]</td>
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