M.A. GLOBAL MEDIA

ABOUT

Students in this 31-credit M.A. program learn to critically evaluate relationships among media, the public, corporations, policy makers and other stakeholders during rapidly evolving events or around critical issues to prepare them for work with domestic or global NGOs, think tanks, businesses, political entities and government agencies. Graduates from the Master of Arts in Studies of Global Media (GLO) will be able to research, analyze, verify, address and communicate information about critical and complicated global issues in an effective, ethical and culturally aware manner.

CORE COURSES

- **GLO 560: Disinformation & Information Security in a Global Media Context** - Students analyze cases of misinformation and disinformation around the world and develop skills and methods to deconstruct, verify and authenticate information in text, images, video and audio and address some of the largest issues of our times. Students also explore contemporary issues of digital insecurity and surveillance tactics and develop tools for digital security and safety.

- **GLO 580: Digital Media Law in a Global Context** - This course takes students on a global journey through the law of digital communication, including but not limited to free speech v. hate speech, intellectual property, defamation, privacy, the right to be forgotten, access to information, media regulatory mechanisms and frameworks issued by governmental bodies, as well as those regulatory mechanisms and frameworks used by non-governmental bodies (such as the platform “law”). Students learn about legal concepts important to media professionals and responsible digital citizen-scholars.