

Journalism, MA (Boston)

The School of Journalism offers a dynamic Master of Arts degree that seeks to prepare students for the challenges faced by media organizations in the digital age. The degree trains students to become rigorous, ethical, and creative news reporters, editors, and content producers, as well as social media managers and video/audio specialists.

Both students new to the field and those with some experience can choose courses tailored to help them thrive in particular subject areas, such as criminal justice or climate change, or around specific technologies, such as podcasting or data visualization. Our programs are designed to merge the skills of professional journalism with knowledge of the latest information technologies.

Program Requirements

Complete all courses and requirements listed below unless otherwise indicated.

Core Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
JRNL 6200	Enterprise Reporting 1	4
JRNL 6201	Enterprise Reporting 2	4
JRNL 6202	Perspectives on News Media Ethics and Diversity	4
JRNL 6340	Fundamentals of Digital Journalism	4

Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 20 semester hours in the following range:		20
JRNL 5309 to JRNL 7976		

Courses from other disciplines may be taken in consultation with your faculty advisor.

No more than two courses outside of CAMD may be taken.

Program Credit/GPA Requirements

36 total semester hours required

Minimum 3.000 GPA required

Plan of Study

Sample Plan of Study: Two Years with Co-op in Summer Second Half

Year 1							
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer 1	Hours	Summer 2	Hours
JRNL 6100		1 JRNL 6201		4 Vacation		0 Co-op	0
JRNL 6200	4	JRNL 6202	4				
JRNL 6340	4	Elective 2	4				
Elective 1	4						
	13		12		0		0
Year 2							
Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours				
Co-op	0	Elective 3	4				
		Elective 4	4				
		Elective 5	4				
	0		12				

Total Hours: 37